

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117–**

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**OFFERED BY MS. SPANBERGER OF VIRGINIA**

Page 2,099, after line 25, insert the following new section:

**1 SEC. 101405. REPORT ON EFFECTS OF FOREIGN AGRICUL-  
2 TURAL ECONOMIC ESPIONAGE.**

3 (a) REPORT.—Not later than one year after the date  
4 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Commerce,  
5 in consultation with the Secretary of Agriculture, the Di-  
6 rector of National Intelligence, the Director of the Cyber-  
7 security and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the Di-  
8 rector of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, shall submit  
9 to the appropriate congressional committees a report on  
10 the effects of foreign agricultural economic espionage on  
11 the United States.

12 (b) MATTERS INCLUDED.—The report under sub-  
13 section (a) shall include the following:

14 (1) An examination of the effects of foreign ag-  
15 ricultural economic espionage on the agriculture of  
16 the United States during the 5-year period preceding  
17 the date of the report, including with respect to the

1 economic effects and the effects on the national se-  
2 curity of the United States.

3 (2) A study—

4 (A) on the current and emerging threats of  
5 foreign agricultural economic espionage on the  
6 agriculture of the United States;

7 (B) on the effects of such threats on the  
8 economy and national security of the United  
9 States; and

10 (C) that includes recommendations for how  
11 the Federal Government can best respond to  
12 such threats.

13 (c) FORM.—The report under subsection (a) shall be  
14 submitted in unclassified form, but may contain a classi-  
15 fied annex.

16 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

17 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-  
18 TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional com-  
19 mittees” means the following:

20 (A) The Committee on Energy and Com-  
21 merce, the Committee on Agriculture, the Com-  
22 mittee on the Judiciary, the Committee on  
23 Homeland Security, and the Permanent Select  
24 Committee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-  
25 resentatives.

1                   (B) The Committee on Commerce, Science,  
2                   and Transportation, the Committee on Agri-  
3                   culture, the Committee on the Judiciary, the  
4                   Committee on Homeland Security and Govern-  
5                   mental Affairs, and the Select Committee on  
6                   Intelligence of the Senate.

7                   (2) FOREIGN AGRICULTURAL ECONOMIC ESPIO-  
8                   NAGE.—The term “foreign agricultural economic es-  
9                   pionage” means economic espionage conducted by a  
10                  foreign agent that targets the agriculture of the  
11                  United States.

