

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 119–33

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At the end of title XVII, add the following:

1 **Subtitle C—Semiconductor Supply**
2 **Chain Security and Diversifica-**
3 **tion Act of 2026**

4 **SEC. 17_. SHORT TITLE.**

5 This subtitle may be cited as the “Semiconductor
6 Supply Chain Security and Diversification Act of 2026”.

7 **SEC. 17_. DEFINITIONS.**

8 In this subtitle—

9 (1) the term “upstream supply chain” includes
10 mining, production, or processing of critical minerals
11 used in semiconductor manufacturing, including—

12 (A) zinc;

13 (B) gallium;

14 (C) germanium;

15 (D) silicon;

16 (E) lithium; and

17 (F) cobalt; and

18 (2) the term “downstream supply chain” in-
19 cludes—

1 (A) testing and packaging facilities for
2 semiconductors; and

3 (B) advanced testing and packaging facili-
4 ties for semiconductors.

5 **SEC. 17__ . SENSE OF CONGRESS; STATEMENT OF POLICY.**

6 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
7 gress that the United States has an economic and national
8 security interest in diversifying the semiconductor supply
9 chain, specifically by encouraging the development of a re-
10 gionally-based semiconductor ecosystems in the Western
11 Hemisphere to compliment the investments in the United
12 States under the CHIPS and Science Act.

13 (b) STATEMENT OF POLICY.—It is the policy of the
14 United States—

15 (1) to promote the security of allies and part-
16 ners of the United States by encouraging the devel-
17 opment of accessible, transparent, competitive, and
18 robust semiconductor markets that provide diversi-
19 fied sources, types, and parts of the semiconductor
20 chip; and

21 (2) to encourage United States public and pri-
22 vate sector investment in Latin American semicon-
23 ductor infrastructure projects to bridge the gap be-
24 tween national security needs and commercial de-

1 mand in a way that is consistent with the region’s
2 absorptive capacity.

3 **SEC. 17__ . SUPPORTING EFFORTS OF THE GOVERNMENTS**
4 **OF WESTERN HEMISPHERE COUNTRIES TO**
5 **INCREASE THE DIVERSITY OF THEIR UP-**
6 **STREAM SUPPLY CHAINS AND DOWNSTREAM**
7 **SUPPLY CHAINS.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—In carrying out the policy de-
9 scribed in section 17__(b), the Secretary of State, in con-
10 sultation with the Secretary of Commerce and the heads
11 of other relevant United States agencies, shall, as appro-
12 priate, focus the efforts of the Department of State and
13 those agencies in supporting the efforts of the govern-
14 ments of Western Hemisphere countries to increase the
15 diversity of their upstream supply chains and downstream
16 supply chains, including through—

17 (1) providing diplomatic and political support to
18 the Organization of American States and Western
19 Hemisphere governments, as necessary—

20 (A) to facilitate international negotiations
21 concerning cross-border infrastructure;

22 (B) to enhance the Western Hemisphere’s
23 regulatory environment with respect to semi-
24 conductors; and

1 (C) to develop accessible, transparent, and
2 competitive supply chain markets and down-
3 stream supply chain markets that are supplied
4 by diverse sources, types, and routes of energy;
5 and

6 (2) providing support to improve Western
7 Hemisphere upstream supply chains and down-
8 stream supply chains for semiconductors, includ-
9 ing—

10 (A) to diversify the sources and supply
11 routes of Western Hemisphere countries; and

12 (B) to enhance semiconductor market inte-
13 gration across the regions.

14 (b) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—For the purposes of
15 providing support for projects under this section, the fol-
16 lowing terms and conditions shall apply:

17 (1) The United States International Develop-
18 ment Finance Corporation may provide support for
19 upstream supply chain and downstream supply chain
20 projects in countries in the Western Hemisphere
21 with upper-middle-income economies or high-income
22 economies (as those terms are defined by the World
23 Bank).

24 (2) The restrictions under section 1412(c)(2) of
25 the Better Utilization of Investments Leading to De-

1 velopment Act of 2018 (22 U.S.C. 9612(c)(2)) shall
2 not apply.

3 (3) The Corporation shall restrict the provision
4 of such support in a country described in paragraph
5 (1) unless—

6 (A) the President certifies to the appro-
7 priate congressional committees that such sup-
8 port furthers the national economic or foreign
9 policy interests of the United States; and

10 (B) such support is—

11 (i) designed to produce significant de-
12 velopmental outcomes or provide develop-
13 mental benefits to the poorest population
14 of that country; or

15 (ii) necessary to preempt or counter
16 efforts by a strategic competitor of the
17 United States to secure significant political
18 or economic leverage or acquire national
19 security-sensitive technologies or infra-
20 structure in a country that is an ally or
21 partner of the United States.

22 (c) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES DE-
23 FINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate congres-
24 sional committees” has the meaning given that term in

1 section 1402 of the Better Utilization of Investments
2 Leading to Development Act of 2018 (22 U.S.C. 9601).

