

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119–

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OFFERED BY MS. STEVENS OF MICHIGAN

At the end of subtitle F of title X, insert the following:

1 SEC. 10____. MODIFICATION OF AUTHORITY TO USE ARMED
2 FORCES TO ENFORCE FEDERAL AUTHORITY.

3 Section 252 of title 10, United States Code, is
4 amended—

5 (1) by inserting “(a) IN GENERAL.—” before
6 “Whenever”; and

7 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
8 section:

9 “(b) PEACEFUL PROTESTS AND DEMONSTRA-
10 TIONS.—Notwithstanding subsection (a), the President
11 may not deploy a member of a regular component of the
12 Armed Forces serving on active duty within a State or
13 territory of the United States to respond to a peaceful pro-
14 test or demonstration except upon the request of the gov-
15 ernor or chief executive of the State or territory.”.

1 **SEC. 10____. MODIFICATION OF AUTHORITY TO USE ARMED**
2 **FORCES TO ADDRESS INTERFERENCE WITH**
3 **STATE AND FEDERAL LAW.**

4 Section 253 of title 10, United States Code, is
5 amended—

6 (1) by inserting “(A) IN GENERAL.—” before
7 “The President”; and

8 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
9 section:

10 “(b) PEACEFUL PROTESTS AND DEMONSTRA-
11 TIONS.—Notwithstanding subsection (a), the President
12 may not deploy a member of a regular component of the
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14 territory of the United States to respond to a peaceful pro-
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