

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 4909
OFFERED BY MS. BROWNLEY OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of title II, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 2 ____ . REPORT ON TEST AND EVALUATION FACILITIES**
2 **OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.**

3 (a) REPORT REQUIRED.—Not later than 180 days
4 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
5 of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense com-
6 mittees a report on the backlog of deferred maintenance
7 and aging equipment and systems at covered facilities.
8 The report shall include a strategic plan for—

9 (1) eliminating the maintenance backlog at cov-
10 ered facilities; and

11 (2) modernizing the equipment and systems of
12 covered facilities to provide adequate testing for de-
13 velopment, acquisition, fielding, and support of
14 warfighting capabilities.

15 (b) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

16 (1) COVERED FACILITIES.—The term “covered
17 facilities” means major range and test facility bases
18 including facilities, ranges, and other physical assets

1 that are used to support test and evaluation activi-
2 ties of the Department of Defense.

3 (2) EQUIPMENT.—The term “equipment”
4 means aircraft, ships, other systems, and devices
5 that are used to support test and evaluation activi-
6 ties at major range and test facilities of the Depart-
7 ment of Defense.

