

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118—46
OFFERED BY MR. THOMPSON OF MISSISSIPPI

Add at the end of section 2 the following:

1 (c) WAIVER.—

2 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Homeland
3 Security may waive, on a case-by-case basis, and for
4 a period of not more than one year, the application
5 of subsection (b) to an institution of higher edu-
6 cation if the Secretary determines such waiver is in
7 the national security interests of the United States.

8 (2) RENEWAL.—The Secretary of Homeland
9 Security may annually renew a waiver issued pursu-
10 ant to paragraph (1) if the Secretary determines
11 such waiver is in the national security interests of
12 the United States.

13 (3) NOTIFICATION.—If the Secretary of Home-
14 land Security issues or renews a waiver pursuant to
15 paragraph (1) or (2), respectively, not later than 30
16 days after such issuance or renewal, as the case may
17 be, the Secretary shall provide written notification to
18 the Committee on Homeland Security of the House
19 of Representatives and the Committee on Homeland
20 Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate re-

- 1 garding such issuance or renewal, including a jus-
- 2 tification relating thereto.

