

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-

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Page 1115, after line 5, insert the following:

1 **Subtitle F—Employment Fairness**
2 **for Taiwan**

3 **SEC. 1771. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This subtitle may be cited as the “Employment Fair-
5 ness for Taiwan Act of 2020”.

6 **SEC. 1772. SENSE OF THE CONGRESS.**

7 It is the sense of the Congress that—

8 (1) Taiwan is responsible for remarkable
9 achievements in economic and democratic develop-
10 ment, with its per capita gross domestic product ris-
11 ing in purchasing power parity terms from \$3,470 in
12 1980 to more than \$55,000 in 2018;

13 (2) the experience of Taiwan in creating a vi-
14 brant and advanced economy under democratic gov-
15 ernance and the rule of law can inform the work of
16 the international financial institutions, including
17 through the contributions and insights of Taiwan
18 nationals; and

1 (3) Taiwan nationals who seek employment at
2 the international financial institutions should not be
3 held at a disadvantage in hiring because the eco-
4 nomic success of Taiwan has rendered it ineligible
5 for financial assistance from such institutions.

6 **SEC. 1773. FAIRNESS FOR TAIWAN NATIONALS REGARDING**
7 **EMPLOYMENT AT INTERNATIONAL FINAN-**
8 **CIAL INSTITUTIONS.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Treasury
10 shall instruct the United States Executive Director at each
11 international financial institution to use the voice and vote
12 of the United States to seek to ensure that Taiwan nation-
13 als are not discriminated against in any employment deci-
14 sion by the institution, including employment through con-
15 sulting or part-time opportunities, on the basis of—

16 (1) whether they are citizens or nationals of, or
17 holders of a passport issued by, a member country
18 of, or a state or other jurisdiction that receives as-
19 sistance from, the international financial institution;
20 or

21 (2) any other consideration that, in the deter-
22 mination of the Secretary, unfairly disadvantages
23 Taiwan nationals with respect to employment at the
24 institution.

1 (b) INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTION DE-
2 FINED.—In this section, the term “international financial
3 institution” has the meaning given the term in section
4 1701(c)(2) of the International Financial Institutions Act.

5 (c) WAIVER AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of the
6 Treasury may waive subsection (a) for not more than 1
7 year at a time after reporting to the Committee on Finan-
8 cial Services of the House of Representatives and the
9 Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate that pro-
10 viding the waiver—

11 (1) will substantially promote the objective of
12 equitable treatment for Taiwan nationals at the
13 international financial institutions; or

14 (2) is in the national interest of the United
15 States, with a detailed explanation of the reasons
16 therefor.

17 (d) PROGRESS REPORT.—The Chairman of the Na-
18 tional Advisory Council on International Monetary and Fi-
19 nancial Policies shall submit to the committees specified
20 in subsection (c) an annual report, in writing, that de-
21 scribes the progress made toward advancing the policy de-
22 scribed in subsection (a), and a summary of employment
23 trends with respect to Taiwan nationals at the inter-
24 national financial institutions.

1 (e) SUNSET.—The preceding provisions of this sec-
2 tion shall have no force or effect beginning with the earlier
3 of—

4 (1) the date that is 7 years after the date of the
5 enactment of this Act; or

6 (2) the date that the Secretary of the Treasury
7 reports to the committees specified in subsection (c)
8 that each international financial institution has
9 adopted the policy described in subsection (a).

