

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118–36

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Add at the end of subtitle D of title XII the following:

1 **SEC. 12 . AMENDMENTS TO THE UKRAINE FREEDOM SUP-**
2 **PORT ACT OF 2014.**

3 The Ukraine Freedom Support Act of 2014 (22
4 U.S.C. 8921 et seq.) is amended—

5 (1) by redesignating section 11 as section 13;

6 and

7 (2) by inserting after section 10 the following
8 new sections:

9 **“SEC. 11. WORKING GROUP ON SEMICONDUCTOR SUPPLY**
10 **DISRUPTIONS.**

11 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the
12 date of the enactment of this section, the President shall
13 establish an interagency working group to address semi-
14 conductor supply chain issues caused by the Russia’s ille-
15 gal and unprovoked attack on Ukraine.

16 “(b) MEMBERSHIP.—The interagency working group
17 established pursuant to subsection (a) shall be comprised
18 of the head, or designee of the head, of each of the fol-
19 lowing:

1 “(1) The Department of State.

2 “(2) The Department of Defense.

3 “(3) The Department of Commerce.

4 “(4) The Department of the Treasury.

5 “(5) The Office of the United States Trade
6 Representative.

7 “(6) The Department of Interior.

8 “(7) The Department of Energy.

9 “(8) The Department of Homeland Security.

10 “(9) The Department of Labor.

11 “(10) Any other Federal department or agency
12 the President determines appropriate.

13 “(c) CHAIR.—The Secretary of State shall serve as
14 the chair of the working group established pursuant to
15 subsection (a).

16 **“SEC. 12. REPORTS ON SEMICONDUCTOR SUPPLY CHAIN**
17 **DISRUPTIONS.**

18 “(a) REPORT ON IMPACT OF RUSSIA’S INVASION OF
19 UKRAINE.—Not later than 60 days after the date of the
20 enactment of this section, the Secretary of State shall sub-
21 mit to the committees listed in subsection (b) a report of
22 the interagency working group that—

23 “(1) reviews and analyzes—

24 “(A) the impact of Russia’s unprovoked at-
25 tack on Ukraine on the supply of palladium,

1 neon gas, helium, and hexafluorobutadiene
2 (C4F6); and

3 “(B) the impact, if any, on supply chains
4 and the global economy;

5 “(2) recounts diplomatic efforts by the United
6 States to work with other countries that mine, syn-
7 thesize, or purify palladium, neon gas, helium, or
8 hexafluorobutadiene (C4F6);

9 “(3) quantifies the actions resulting from these
10 efforts to diversify sources of supply of these items;

11 “(4) sets forth steps the United States has
12 taken to bolster its production or secure supply of
13 palladium or other compounds and elements listed in
14 paragraph (1)(A);

15 “(5) lists any other important elements, com-
16 pounds, or products in the semiconductor supply
17 chain that have been affected by Russia’s illegal at-
18 tack on Ukraine; and

19 “(6) recommends any potential legislative steps
20 that could be taken by Congress to further bolster
21 the supply of elements, compounds, or products for
22 the semiconductor supply chain that have been cur-
23 tailed as a result of Russia’s actions.

24 “(b) COMMITTEES LISTED.—The committees listed
25 in this subsection are—

1 “(1) the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the
2 Committee on Energy and Commerce of the House
3 of Representatives; and

4 “(2) the Committee on Foreign Relations and
5 the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Trans-
6 portation of the Senate.

7 “(c) ANNUAL REPORT ON POTENTIAL FUTURE
8 SHOCKS TO SEMICONDUCTOR SUPPLY CHAINS.—

9 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days
10 after the date of the enactment of this section, and
11 annually thereafter for 5 years, the Secretary of
12 State shall submit to the Committee on Foreign Af-
13 fairs of the House of Representatives and the Com-
14 mittee on Foreign Relations of the Senate a report
15 of the interagency working group that—

16 “(A) outlines and plans for the most likely
17 future geopolitical developments that could se-
18 verely disrupt global semiconductor supply
19 chains in ways that could harm the national se-
20 curity or economic interests of the United
21 States;

22 “(B) forecasts the various potential im-
23 pacts on the global supply chain for semi-
24 conductors, and products that use semiconduc-
25 tors, from the developments outlined pursuant

1 to subparagraph (A), as well as the following
2 contingencies—

3 “(i) an invasion of Taiwan or geo-
4 political instability or conflict in East Asia;

5 “(ii) a broader war or geopolitical in-
6 stability in Europe;

7 “(iii) strategic competitors dominating
8 parts of the supply chain and leveraging
9 that dominance coercively;

10 “(iv) a future international health cri-
11 sis; and

12 “(v) natural disasters or shortages of
13 natural resources and raw materials;

14 “(C) describes the kind of contingency plans
15 that would be needed for the safe evacuation of
16 individuals with deep scientific and technical
17 knowledge of semiconductors and their supply
18 chain from areas under risk from conflict or
19 natural disaster; and

20 “(D) evaluates the current technical and
21 supply chain work force expertise within the
22 Federal government to carry out these assess-
23 ments.”.

