

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 116–57
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At the end of subtitle G of title XII, add the following:

1 SEC. 12 ____ . PLAN FOR VETTING SECURITY ASSISTANCE
2 PARTICIPANTS FOR PARTICIPATION IN EX-
3 TREMIST ORGANIZATIONS.

4 (a) PLAN REQUIRED.—Not later than 180 days after
5 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of
6 Defense shall submit to the appropriate congressional
7 committees a plan for vetting the potential for United
8 States security assistance provided to units of foreign na-
9 tional security forces to be received, directly or indirectly,
10 by groups or individuals that have a violent ideology, in-
11 cluding those that are white nationalist, racist, anti-se-
12 mitic, or islamophobic, that includes a comprehensive plan
13 and strategy for how the Department will—

14 (1) vet recipients of United States security as-
15 sistance for ties to groups that have violent
16 ideologies, including those that are white nationalist,
17 racist, anti-semitic, or islamophobic;

18 (2) develop vetting to flag recipients of United
19 States training, or others that have a relationship

1 with the Department of Defense, for affiliation with
2 groups that have violent ideologies, including those
3 that are white nationalist, racist, anti-semitic, or
4 islamophobic;

5 (3) deny security assistance to recipients
6 flagged by the vetting techniques developed pursuant
7 to paragraph (2);

8 (4) inform local partner governments of the
9 reasons why assistance was denied and encourage
10 them to take steps to rectify the situation; and

11 (5) maintain and update existing databases
12 with institutions and groups flagged by the vetting
13 techniques developed pursuant to paragraph (2).

14 (b) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Secretary of Defense
15 shall designate an office within the Department of Defense
16 to be responsible for implementing the plan submitted in
17 accordance with subsection (a), and appoint a senior offi-
18 cial of the Department to head such office.

19 (c) FORM.—The plan required by subsection (a) shall
20 be submitted in unclassified form but may include a classi-
21 fied annex.

22 (d) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES
23 DEFINED.—In this section, the term “appropriate con-
24 gressional committees” means—

25 (1) the congressional defense committees;

- 1 (2) the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the
- 2 House of Representatives; and
- 3 (3) the Committee on Foreign Relations of the
- 4 Senate.

