

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 114-**

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Page 117 after line 13, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 504. STUDY ON EFFECTS OF DEFERRED ACTION FOR**  
2 **CHILDHOOD ARRIVALS POLICY ON COMMIS-**  
3 **SIONED OFFICER DIVERSITY.**

4 (a) STUDY REQUIRED.—The Secretary of Defense  
5 shall conduct a study of the effects of the Deferred Action  
6 for Childhood Arrivals policy on diversity among commis-  
7 sioned officers of the Armed Forces. Such study shall ex-  
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9 (1) how recent executive actions regarding de-  
10 ferred action and prosecutorial discretion for un-  
11 documented immigrants residing in the United  
12 States has affected the ability of the Department of  
13 Defense to expand the eligible applicants for military  
14 service academy admission; and

15 (2) whether allowing non-citizens who possess  
16 an employment authorization document issued by  
17 United States Citizenship and Immigration Services  
18 under the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals  
19 policy of the Department of Homeland Security and

1       who otherwise satisfy the requirements for admission  
2       to a military service academy, other than United  
3       States citizenship, to be appointed to and to attend  
4       such academies and, upon graduation, to be ap-  
5       pointed as commissioned officers in the Armed  
6       Forces, would ultimately impact the diversity of  
7       ranking officers of the Armed Forces.

8       (b) SUBMITTAL TO CONGRESS.—Not later than De-  
9       cember 1, 2016, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to  
10      the congressional defense committees the results of the  
11      study required under subsection (a).

