

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 119–**8****OFFERED BY MR. WHITESIDES OF CALIFORNIA**

At the end of subtitle C of title III, insert the following:

1 SEC. 3____. AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH ADVANCED TECH-
2 NOLOGY CENTERS TO ENHANCE WORKFORCE
3 TRAINING IN CERTAIN CRITICAL SKILLS.

4 (a) AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of Defense may es-
5 tablish Advanced Technology Centers at community col-
6 leges with workforce programs that include a critical na-
7 tional production facility. An Advanced Technology Center
8 established under this subsection shall provide workforce
9 training in covered critical skills.

10 (b) COVERED CRITICAL SKILLS.—In this section, the
11 term “covered critical skills” means any of the following:

- 12 (1) Advanced composite material layup.**
13 (2) Advanced coatings applications.
14 (3) Computer numerical control manufacturing.
15 (4) Aircraft mechanical assembly and inte-
16 grated circuit development, including with respect to
17 aircraft such as B-21 and F-35.

1 (5) welding, pipefitting, and metal fabrication
2 related to vessel construction, repair and mainte-
3 nance.

