

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5959, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. HOLT OF NEW JERSEY**

At the end of subtitle A of title IV, add the following
new section:

1 **SEC. 418. BRIEFING ON CAPACITY OF IRAN TO DISRUPT OIL**
2 **PRODUCTION AND TRANSHIPMENT IN THE**
3 **PERSIAN GULF REGION.**

4 Not later than 60 days after the date of the enact-
5 ment of this Act, the Director of National Intelligence
6 shall provide to the Permanent Select Committee on Intel-
7 ligence, the Committee on Armed Services, and the Com-
8 mittee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives
9 and the Select Committee on Intelligence, the Committee
10 on Armed Services, and the Committee on Appropriations
11 of the Senate a comprehensive briefing regarding the ca-
12 pacity of Iran to disrupt oil production and transhipment
13 in the Persian Gulf region. Such briefing shall include—

14 (1) an estimate of the likely increase of the
15 price of crude oil in the event of a large scale mili-
16 tary confrontation between Iran and the United
17 States;

18 (2) the potential for Iran to use both conven-
19 tional and unconventional military assets to disrupt

1 or destroy key oil production infrastructure in the
2 Persian Gulf region; and
3 (3) the effect of such a conflict on the global
4 economy and the political stability of countries in
5 the Persian Gulf region.

