AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

FOR H.R. 4435

OFFERED BY MR. RUNYAN OF NEW JERSEY

At the end of title XI, add the following:

1 **SEC. 1107. PAY PARITY FOR DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE EM-**

2 **PLOYEES EMPLOYED AT JOINT BASES.**

3 (a) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this section—

4   (1) the term "joint military installation" means

5 2 or more military installations reorganized or other-

6 wise associated and operated as a single military in-

7 stallation;

8   (2) the term "locality" or "pay locality" has the

9 meaning given that term by section 5302(5) of title

10 5, United States Code; and

11   (3) the term "locality pay" refers to any

12 amount payable under section 5304 or 5304a of title

13 5, United States Code.

14 (b) PAY PARITY AT JOINT BASES.—Whenever 2 or

15 more military installations are reorganized or otherwise

16 associated as a single joint military installation, but the

17 constituent installations are not all located within the

18 same pay locality, all Department of Defense employees

19 of the respective installations constituting the joint instal-

1 lation (who are otherwise entitled to locality pay) shall re-

2 ceive locality pay at a uniform percentage equal to the per-

3 centage which is payable with respect to the locality which

4 includes the constituent installation then receiving the

5 highest locality pay (expressed as a percentage).

6   (c) REGULATIONS.—The Office of Personnel Man-

7 agement shall prescribe regulations to carry out this sec-

8 tion.

9   (d) EFFECTIVE DATE; APPLICABILITY.—

10   (1) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall be ef-

11 fective with respect to pay periods beginning on or

12 after such date (not later than 1 year after the date

13 of enactment of this section) as the Secretary of De-

14 fense shall determine in consultation with the Office

15 of Personnel Management.

16   (2) APPLICABILITY.—This section shall apply

17 to any joint military installation created as a result

18 of the recommendations of the Defense Base Closure

19 and Realignment Commission in the 2005 base clo-

20 sure round.

☒