

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
FOR H.R. 4435
OFFERED BY MRS. DAVIS OF CALIFORNIA AND
MR. LANGEVIN OF RHODE ISLAND**

At the end of subtitle I of title V, add the following
new section:

1 **SEC. 5___.** **NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH**
2 **STUDY OF RISK AND RESILIENCY OF UNITED**
3 **STATES SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES AND**
4 **EFFECTIVENESS OF PRESERVATION OF THE**
5 **FORCE AND FAMILIES PROGRAM.**

6 (a) **STUDY REQUIRED.**—The Director of the National
7 Institute of Mental Health shall conduct a study of the
8 risk and resiliency of the United States Special Operations
9 Forces and effectiveness of the United States Special Op-
10 erations Command’s Preservation of the Force and Fami-
11 lies Program on reducing risk and increasing resiliency.

12 (b) **ELEMENTS OF THE STUDY.**—The study con-
13 ducted under subsection (a) shall specifically include an
14 assessment of each of the following: —

15 (1) The mental, behavioral, and psychological
16 health of the United States Special Operations
17 Force, the United States Special Operations Com-

1 mand's Preservation of the Force and Families Pro-
2 gram's focus on physical development to address the
3 mental, behavioral, and psychological health of the
4 United States Special Operations Force, including
5 measurements of effectiveness on reducing suicide
6 and other mental, behavioral and psychological risks,
7 and increasing resiliency of the United States Spe-
8 cial Operations Forces.

9 (2) The United States Special Operations Com-
10 mand's Human Performance Program, including
11 measurements of effectiveness on reducing risk and
12 increasing resiliency of United States Special Oper-
13 ations Forces.

14 (3) Such other matters as the Director of the
15 National Institute of Mental Health considers appro-
16 priate.

17 (c) SUBMISSION OF REPORT.—Not later than 90
18 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Direc-
19 tor of the National Institute of Mental Health shall submit
20 to the congressional defense committees a report con-
21 taining the results of the study conducted under sub-
22 section (a).

