

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
TO H.R. 1960
OFFERED BY MR. DESANTIS OF FLORIDA**

Page 223, after line 23, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 550A. SUSPENSION OF PAY OF MEMBERS OF THE**
2 **ARMED FORCES ON TRIAL FOR CERTAIN**
3 **CRIMES.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 810 of title 10, United
5 States Code (Article 10 of the Uniform Code of Military
6 Justice), is amended—

7 (1) by striking “Any person” and inserting “(a)
8 Any person”; and

9 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
10 section:

11 “(b) In the case of a member of the armed forces
12 who is being held for trial for an offense for which a sen-
13 tence of confinement for life or the death penalty may be
14 adjudged, the convening authority or military judge may
15 suspend the pay and allowances of the member during the
16 period the member is being so held. If a member whose
17 pay and allowances are suspended under this subsection
18 is found guilty of such offense, the suspended pay and al-
19 lowances of the member shall be forfeited. If a member

1 whose pay and allowances are suspended under this sub-
2 section is acquitted or if the charges against such member
3 are dismissed and pre-trial confinement is terminated, the
4 suspended pay and allowances of the member shall be paid
5 to the member with interest. A suspension under this sub-
6 section is consistent with section 813 of this title (article
7 13).”.

8 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Subsection (b) of section
9 810 of title 10, United States Code (Article 10 of the Uni-
10 form Code of Military Justice), shall apply with respect
11 to an offense alleged to have been committed after the
12 date of the enactment of this Act.

