

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT
OF H.R. 1620
OFFERED BY MR. LAMBORN OF COLORADO**

At the end of subtitle E of title XII of division A,
add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 12__ . SENSE OF CONGRESS ON THE THREAT POSED BY**
2 **HEZBOLLAH.**

3 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

4 (1) Hezbollah has been designated a foreign
5 terrorist organization by the Department of State
6 since October 8, 1997.

7 (2) Hezbollah has been responsible for numer-
8 ous terrorist attacks and attempted terrorist attacks
9 around the world, including attacks against United
10 States citizens.

11 (3) Hezbollah is active in Europe and has been
12 linked to a July 18, 2012, suicide bombing in Bul-
13 garia which killed five people.

14 (4) Hezbollah operatives have been captured
15 around the world attacking or attempting to attack
16 Western and Israeli targets.

17 (5) The United States is working with its Euro-
18 pean allies to combat terrorism through a variety of

1 means, including through NATO's Partnership Ac-
2 tion Plan against Terrorism and the Defence
3 Against Terrorism Programme of Work.

4 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
5 gress that—

6 (1) the United States should continue to use all
7 necessary means to fight against terrorism, includ-
8 ing Hezbollah;

9 (2) President Obama should strongly encourage
10 his European counterparts to publicly condemn
11 Hezbollah;

12 (3) European allies should seek to officially rec-
13 ognize Hezbollah as a terrorist organization;

14 (4) any attempt to distinguish between military
15 and civilian wings in Hezbollah is meaningless; and

16 (5) all countries should work together to fight
17 radical terrorist organizations like Hezbollah.

