

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT OF
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Page 308, after line 21, insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____ . SENSE OF THE CONGRESS ON THE CREATION**
2 **OF AN INTEGRATED HEALTH RECORDS SYS-**
3 **TEM.**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—The Congress finds the following:

5 (1) The Government of the United States has
6 a responsibility to provide for the brave men and
7 women who serve our country.

8 (2) The Government of the United States has
9 a responsibility to ensure that taxpayer money is
10 spent in the most effective and efficient way.

11 (3) The Department of Veterans Affairs is
12 charged with providing timely and high quality
13 healthcare for veterans.

14 (4) The Department of Defense and the De-
15 partment of Veterans Affairs have been unable to
16 create a fully integrated electronic health records
17 database for members of the Armed Services as they
18 transition from the military to civilian life.

1 (5) It is imperative that the Department of De-
2 fense and the Department of Veterans Affairs col-
3 laborate on a fully integrated electronic records sys-
4 tem to provide efficient and complete health care
5 services for veterans.

6 (b) SENSE OF THE CONGRESS.—The Congress calls
7 on the Department of Defense and the Department of Vet-
8 erans Affairs to create a fully integrated health records
9 system.

