

**AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT  
FOR H.R. 4909  
OFFERED BY MR. POLIS OF COLORADO AND MS.  
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At the end of subtitle G of title X, add the following  
new section:

1 **SEC. 1098. REDUCTION OF AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIA-**  
2 **TIONS.**

3 (a) REDUCTION.—Notwithstanding any other provi-  
4 sion of this Act, but subject to subsection (b), the Presi-  
5 dent, in consultation with the Secretary of Defense, the  
6 Secretary of Energy, and the Administrator for Nuclear  
7 Security, shall make such reductions in the amounts au-  
8 thorized to be appropriated under this Act in such manner  
9 as the President considers appropriate to achieve an ag-  
10 gregate reduction of 1 percent of the total amount of  
11 funds authorized to be appropriated under this Act. Such  
12 reduction shall be in addition to any other reduction of  
13 funds required by law.

14 (b) EXCLUSIONS.—In carrying out subsection (a),  
15 the President shall not reduce the amount of funds for  
16 the following accounts:

1           (1) Military personnel, reserve personnel, and  
2           National Guard personnel accounts of the Depart-  
3           ment of Defense.

4           (2) The Defense Health Program account.

