

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM PRINT 114-14

OFFERED BY MR. CARTER OF TEXAS

**H.R. 1735 as ordered reported by the Committee on Armed
Services**

At the end of subtitle D of title V (page 179, after
line 21), add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 5___ . ESTABLISHMENT OF PROCESS BY WHICH MEM-**
2 **BERS OF THE ARMED FORCES MAY CARRY A**
3 **CONCEALED PERSONAL FIREARM ON A MILI-**
4 **TARY INSTALLATION.**

5 (a) **PROCESS REQUIRED.**—The Secretary of Defense,
6 taking into consideration the views of senior leadership of
7 military installations in the United States, shall establish
8 a process by which the commander of a military installa-
9 tion in the United States may authorize a member of the
10 Armed Forces who is assigned to duty at the installation
11 to carry a concealed personal firearm on the installation
12 if the commander determines it to be necessary as a
13 personal- or force-protection measure.

14 (b) **RELATION TO STATE AND LOCAL LAW.**—In es-
15 tablishing the process under subsection (a) for a military
16 installation, the commander of the installation shall con-
17 sult with elected officials of the State and local jurisdic-

1 tions in which the installation is located and take into con-
2 sideration the law of the State and such jurisdictions re-
3 garding carrying a concealed personal firearm.

4 (c) MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS.—To be eligible to be
5 authorized to carry a concealed personal firearm on a mili-
6 tary installation pursuant to the process established under
7 subsection (a), a member of the Armed Forces—

8 (1) must complete any training and certification
9 required by any State in which the installation is lo-
10 cated that would permit the member to carry con-
11 cealed in that State;

12 (2) must not be subject to disciplinary action
13 under the Uniform Code of Military Justice for any
14 offense that could result in incarceration or separa-
15 tion from the Armed Forces;

16 (3) must not be prohibited from possessing a
17 firearm because of conviction of a crime of domestic
18 violence; and

19 (4) must meet such service-related qualification
20 requirements for the use of firearms, as established
21 by the Secretary of the military department con-
22 cerned.

23 (d) STATE DEFINED.—In this section, the term
24 “State” includes the District of Columbia, the Common-

1 wealth of Puerto Rico, and any territory or possession of
2 the United States.

