

**38. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE MICA
OF FLORIDA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES**

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**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1540, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. MICA OF FLORIDA**

At the end of subtitle H of title X, add the following
new section:

**1 SEC. 1085. RULES OF ENGAGEMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE
2 ARMED FORCES DEPLOYED IN DESIGNATED
3 HOSTILE FIRE AREAS.**

4 The Secretary of Defense shall ensure that the rules
5 of engagement applicable to members of the Armed Forces
6 assigned to duty in any hostile fire area designated for
7 purposes of section 310 or 351(a)(1) of title 37, United
8 States Code—

9 (1) fully protect the members' right to bear
10 arms; and

11 (2) authorize the members to fully defend them-
12 selves from hostile actions.

