

19. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE
Porter OF Nevada, OR HIS
DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 5 MINUTES:

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5658, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. PORTER OF NEVADA**

Page 283, after line 3, add the following new section:

1 SEC. 734. SUICIDE RISK BY MILITARY OCCUPATION.

2 (a) STUDY.—The Secretary of Defense shall conduct
3 a study to identify the mental health risks associated with
4 the performance of military duties.

5 (b) ELEMENTS.—The study shall include the following elements:

7 (1) An assessment of suicide incidence by military
8 occupation.

9 (2) An identification of military occupations
10 with a high incidence of suicide.

11 (3) An evaluation of current suicide prevention
12 programs for those military occupations with a high
13 incidence of suicide.

14 (4) An assessment of the need for additional
15 suicide prevention programs specific to military occupations
16 with a high incidence of suicide.

17 (c) REPORT.—Not later than 120 days after the date
18 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall
19 submit to the Congressional Defense Committees a report

1 on the findings of the study. The report shall include any
2 recommendations for improving suicide prevention pro-
3 grams for military occupations with a high incidence of
4 suicide.

