



1 the text of that measure has been available to all Members  
2 and their staffs in both printed and electronic format for  
3 at least 10 days and any manager’s amendment or other  
4 amendment which makes substantive changes to the legis-  
5 lation has been made available in both printed and elec-  
6 tronic versions for at least 72 hours before the scheduled  
7 vote on such legislation.

8 “2. Clause 1 shall not apply to—

9 “(1) the intelligence authorization bill, appro-  
10 priations, or other legislation containing classified  
11 information, or conference report thereon, if Mem-  
12 bers have at least 7 days to study the contents of  
13 such measure; and

14 “(2) congressional declarations of war or au-  
15 thorization of military force to respond to attacks on  
16 the United States.

17 “3. Notwithstanding any provision of these rules, any  
18 citizen who is eligible to vote and who is not an employee  
19 of the executive or judicial branch of the Government may  
20 petition the board of the Office of Congressional Ethics  
21 to investigate allegations that a Member voted for any  
22 measure that violated this rule.”.

23 (b) Clause 6(c) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House  
24 of Representatives is amended by inserting before the pe-

- 1 riod at the end thereof the following: “, or a rule or order
- 2 that would waive the provisions of rule XXIX”.

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