AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2670
OFFERED BY MR. WALTZ OF FLORIDA

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following new section:

1 **SEC. 2___. RESTRUCTURING OF THE ROBOTIC AND AUTON-**
2   **OMOUS COMMAND AND CONTROL PROGRAM**
3   **OF THE ARMY.**

4 (a) ACTIONS REQUIRED.—Not later than 30 days
5 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
6 of the Army shall—

7   (1) restructure the Warfighter Machine Inter-
8   face program of the Army by discontinuing develop-
9   ment of new software code for any component of the
10   system for which there is off-the shelf-software that
11   is—

12   (A) available from commercial sources,
13   open sources, or Government sources; and

14   (B) capable of fulfilling at least 80 percent
15   of the system requirements applicable to such
16   component; and

17   (2) certify to the congressional defense commit-
18   tees that the procurement process for current and
19   future increments of the Warfighter Machine Inter-

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1   face will be carried out in accordance with section

2   3453 of title 10, United States Code.

3   (b) EXCEPTION.—The requirement to discontinue the

4 development of new software code under subsection (a)(1)

5 shall not apply to the configuration and testing of system

6 interfaces to commercial, open source, and existing Gov-

7 ernment off-the-shelf software

8   (c) LIMITATION.—The Secretary of the Army may

9 not award a contract for the development of a new compo-

10 nent software capability for the Warfighter Machine Inter-

11 face program of the Army if such a capability is already

12 available as a commercial item or from an open source,

13 except for the configuration of capabilities that are inci-

14 dental to and necessary for the proper functioning of the

15 system.

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