

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1540
OFFERED BY MR. ROONEY OF FLORIDA
(Defense Authorization Bill)

In section 4201 of division D, relating to Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Army, Line 012 for Advanced Concepts and Simulation, insert a new budget item in the amount of \$10,000,000.

In section _____ of division D, relating to _____, reduce the amount for _____ by \$_____, to be derived from _____.

At the end of title II, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 2__ . BUDGET ITEM RELATING TO ADVANCED CON-**
2 **CEPTS AND SIMULATION.**

3 (a) ADDITIONAL, DISCRETIONARY BUDGET AUTHOR-
4 ITY.—In the budget submitted to Congress under section
5 1105 of title 31, United States Code, for fiscal year 2012,
6 the President requested \$20,933,000 for Advanced Con-
7 cepts and Simulation. Of the amounts authorized to be
8 appropriated by section 201, as specified in the cor-
9 responding funding table in division D, the Secretary of
10 the Army shall obligate an additional \$10,000,000 to de-

1 develop realistic human representations of software agents
2 for simulation systems in furtherance of national security
3 objectives.

4 (b) MERIT-BASED OR COMPETITIVE DECISIONS.—A
5 decision to commit, obligate, or expend funds referred to
6 in the second sentence of subsection (a) with or to a spe-
7 cific entity shall—

8 (1) be based on merit-based selection proce-
9 dures in accordance with the requirements of sec-
10 tions 2304(k) and 2374 of title 10, United States
11 Code, or on competitive procedures; and

12 (2) comply with other applicable provisions of
13 law.

