

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4435**  
**OFFERED BY MR. WILSON OF SOUTH CAROLINA**  
**AND MR. ENYART OF ILLINOIS**

At the appropriate place in title X, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 10 \_\_\_\_. CONDITIONS ON ARMY NATIONAL GUARD AND**  
2 **ACTIVE ARMY FORCE STRUCTURE CHANGES**  
3 **PENDING COMPTROLLER GENERAL REPORT.**

4 (a) CERTAIN REDUCTIONS PROHIBITED.—During  
5 fiscal year 2015, the Secretary of Defense and the Sec-  
6 retary of the Army may not carry out any of the following  
7 actions:

8 (1) Reduce the end strength for active duty per-  
9 sonnel of the Army for a fiscal year below 490,000.

10 (2) Reduce the end strength for Selected Re-  
11 serve personnel of the Army National Guard of the  
12 United States for a fiscal year below 350,000.

13 (3) Transfer AH-64 Attack helicopters from the  
14 Army National Guard to the regular Army.

15 (b) REPORT REQUIRED.—Not later than March 1,  
16 2015, the Comptroller General of the United States shall  
17 submit to the congressional defense committees a report  
18 containing a review of the analyses of any counter-pro-

1 posals submitted to the Army by the Chief of the National  
2 Guard and conducted by the Army and the Department  
3 of Defense Cost Assessment Program Evaluation Office  
4 as the basis for the decision to determine the future force  
5 structure of the Army, including the appropriate mix be-  
6 tween regular Army, the National Guard, and the Army  
7 Reserve.

8 (c) ELEMENTS OF REPORT.—The report required by  
9 subsection (b) shall include, at a minimum, the following:

10 (1) An assessment of the force structure model  
11 used to conduct the analysis and determination of  
12 whether proper assumptions were made based on the  
13 current budget program, the National Military  
14 Strategy, and Combatant Commanders' operational  
15 requirements for the Army.

16 (2) An assessment of the cost analysis models  
17 used to make the determinations regarding which  
18 Army aviation platforms should be retained and in  
19 which component, including the projected costs and  
20 savings associated with the determinations.

21 (3) A comparison of the operational readiness  
22 rates for the past five years for the equipment plat-  
23 forms that comprise aviation brigades of the regular  
24 Army and the Army National Guard.

1           (4) An assessment of the manning levels re-  
2           quired for combat aviation brigades in the regular  
3           Army and the Army National Guard, including  
4           whether the resources to fund full-time support of  
5           military technicians was properly applied to fill the  
6           authorized positions in States with aviation brigades.

7           (d) NO LIMITATION ON AVIATION TRAINING.—Noth-  
8           ing in subsection (a) shall be construed—

9           (1) to limit the provision of qualification train-  
10          ing for military occupational specialties related to  
11          Army Aviation; or

12          (2) to prevent the Secretary of the Army from  
13          continuing flight training and advanced qualification  
14          courses for selected National Guard AH-64 per-  
15          sonnel in accordance with current force structure  
16          and Army readiness requirements.

17          (e) SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING ADDITIONAL  
18          FUNDING FOR THE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD.—Congress  
19          is concerned with the planned reductions and realignments  
20          the Army has proposed with respect to aviation realign-  
21          ment of combat aviation aircraft in the Army National  
22          Guard as well as greater reductions in active component  
23          end strength and brigade combat teams.

          In section 4301 of division D, relating to operation  
          and maintenance, Army National Guard, increase the

amount for National Guard combat training center rotations activities, Line 010, by \$70,000,000.

In section 4301 of division D, relating to operation and maintenance, Army National Guard, increase the amount for National Guard critical operations tempo activities, Line 010, by \$99,600,000.

In section 4301 of division D, relating to operations and maintenance, Army National Guard, increase the amount for National Guard critical depot maintenance activities, Line 090, by \$49,600,000.

In section 4301 of division D, relating to operations and maintenance, Army, increase the amount for modification of aircraft UH-60 A-L Conversions activities, Line 060, by \$38,600,000.

In section 4101 of division D, relating to aircraft procurement, Army Fixed Wing, increase the amount for modification of aircraft, UH-60 A-L Conversions activities, Line 023, by \$6,800,000.

In section 4101 of division D, relating to aircraft procurement, Army Fixed Wing, increase the amount for new procurement of UH-60M activities, Line 012, by \$98,400,000.

In section 4701 of division D, relating to Department of Energy national security programs, reduce the amount for Uranium enrichment D&D fund contribution, by \$363,000,000.

