

En Bloc Amendments to H.R. 2500

Full Committee En Bloc #4

Log #	Sponsor	Description
433r1	Gallagher	Bars DOD procurement of unmanned air systems.
481r1	Langevin	Directs a feasibility study on dedicated security contingency support for non-governmental organizations.
216	Kelly	Repeals the Secretary of Defense Review of Counterdrug Curricula and Program structure.
277r2	Waltz	Prohibits DoD from contracting with companies that hold contracts from an authority of the government of Venezuela not recognized by the U.S. Exceptions from the prohibition: humanitarian assistance, disaster relief and urgent life-saving measures, and others.
431r1	Gallagher	Strengthens defense supply chains by including security as a primary purpose for Department of Defense acquisition.
373r1	Thornberry	Enforces acquisition reforms already enacted by Congress, enacts new policy on the recommendations of congressionally chartered panels, and lays the foundation for a continued culture of reform and excellence in acquisition.
357r1	Houlahan	Requires DOD to contract with a nonprofit or FFRDC to study the issue of women and countering violent extremism (CVE) and apply the lessons learned to DOD strategy documents and PME, as appropriate.
029r2	Speier	Provides authority for the head of contracting activity to require an offeror to provide cost and pricing data for sole source commercial items based on market research and requires DOD to identify which of these items need should-cost analysis before DOD procures them.
242r1	Conaway	Requires a comprehensive, multilateral assessment of the military requirements of Baltic countries to deter and resist aggression by the Russian Federation.
021r3	Turner	Sense of Congress in support of Turkey's acquisition of the Patriot missile defense system in order to address vulnerabilities in its defense.
341r1	Keating	Adds language to include gender perspectives and meaningful participation by women in capacity building efforts.
436r1	Gallagher	Modifies the annual DoD Report to Congress on Military and Security Developments Involving the People's Republic of China to require an assessment on developments related to the China Coast Guard, and an assessment of existing and potential projects along China's Digital Silk Road.
056	Vela	Expressing the Sense of Congress that Poland has been a valued member of the NATO alliance.
471	Gallego	Requires that DOD submit a report containing a list of the awards and disciplinary action taken by the Department as a result of the investigation into the Niger ambush in 2018.
140r2	Rogers	Requests a report from DOD on the steps it is taking to ensure that Huawei's JV partners and other affiliates are not security threats to U.S. facilities, especially in the Pacific.
022r1	Turner	Encourages NATO to raise awareness on its mission to Congress and the executive branch.

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Log #	Sponsor	Description
478	Brown	Inserts into the past performance system an evaluation of universities' award of subcontracts to HBCUs and MI's.

Log 483r1

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. GALLAGHER OF WISCONSIN

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

1 **SEC. 8 ____. PROHIBITION ON OPERATION OR PROCURE-**
2 **MENT OF FOREIGN-MADE UNMANNED AIR-**
3 **CRAFT SYSTEMS.**

4 (a) **PROHIBITION ON AGENCY OPERATION OR PRO-**
5 **CUREMENT.**—The Secretary of Defense may not operate
6 or enter into or renew a contract for the procurement of—

7 (1) a covered unmanned aircraft system that—

8 (A) is manufactured in a covered foreign
9 country or by an entity domiciled in a covered
10 foreign country;

11 (B) uses flight controllers, radios, data
12 transmission devices, cameras, or gimbals man-
13 ufactured in a covered foreign country or by an
14 entity domiciled in a covered foreign country;

15 (C) uses a ground control system or oper-
16 ating software developed in a covered foreign
17 country or by an entity domiciled in a covered
18 foreign country; or

1 (D) uses network connectivity or data stor-
2 age located in or administered by an entity
3 domiciled in a covered foreign country; or

4 (2) a system manufactured in a covered foreign
5 country or by an entity domiciled in a covered for-
6 eign country for the detection or identification of
7 covered unmanned aircraft systems.

8 (b) EXEMPTION.—The Secretary of Defense is ex-
9 empt from the restriction under subsection (a) if the oper-
10 ation or procurement is for the purposes of—

11 (1) Counter-UAS surrogate testing and train-
12 ing; or

13 (2) intelligence, electronic warfare, and infor-
14 mation warfare operations, testing, analysis, and
15 training.

16 (c) WAIVER.—The Secretary of Defense may waive
17 the restriction under subsection (a) on a case by case basis
18 by certifying in writing to the congressional defense com-
19 mittees that the operation or procurement is required in
20 the national interest of the United States.

21 (d) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

22 (1) COVERED FOREIGN COUNTRY.—The term
23 “covered foreign country” means a country labeled
24 as a strategic competitor in the “Summary of the
25 2018 National Defense Strategy of the United

1 States of America: Sharpening the American Mili-
2 tary's Competitive Edge" issued by the Department
3 of Defense pursuant to section 113 of title 10,
4 United States Code.

5 (2) COVERED UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM.—

6 The term "covered unmanned aircraft system"
7 means an unmanned aircraft system and any related
8 services and equipment.



Amendment to H.R. 2500
National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2020

Offered by Mr. Langevin

In the appropriate place in the report to accompany H.R. 2500, insert the following new Directive Report Language:

A Feasibility Study on Dedicated Security Contingency Support for Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)

The committee notes that development is a critical component to address the root causes of violent extremism and non-governmental organizations (NGOs) provide essential support to relevant agencies. The committee seeks to evaluate the challenges and benefits associated with Department support to U.S. development programs designed to prevent and address the underlying causes of violent extremism in fragile states that require personnel to operate in environments with poor security conditions.

Therefore, no later than March 31, 2020, the committee directs the Secretary of Defense to provide a briefing on the feasibility of providing dedicated security contingency support from the Department of Defense for NGOs meeting specified criteria in the case of a security incident in a fragile state, including medical evacuation, quick reaction force support, and personnel recovery . The report should include:

- 1. An assessment of the potential legal implications of providing such support;*
- 2. An assessment of implications to U.S. policy regarding providing such support, including locations where direct engagement with foreign forces is expected;*
- 3. Implementation steps required for such support;*
- 4. Identification of any potential limitations due to geographic location of such security incident;*
- 5. Identification of any potential limitations due to the security situation at such geographic location;*
- 6. An assessment of resources required to perform such support functions;*
- 7. An assessment of prioritization of such support in relation to other military missions;*
- 8. An assessment of risk to military operations;*
- 9. An assessment of operational risk to members of the military that may be involved*

in providing such support;

10. Authorities, capabilities, and resources currently available, including capacity and assets available to geographic COCOMs;

11. Whether such ground force commanders currently have the authority to provide such assistance;

12. Identification of potential criteria that would be necessary for a security incident to necessitate support;

13. Identification of potential criteria that may be required for NGOs to receive such support; and

14. Any other matters the Secretary determines appropriate

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. KELLY OF MISSISSIPPI

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

1 **SEC. 10___ . REPEAL OF SECRETARY OF DEFENSE REVIEW**
2 **OF CURRICULA AND PROGRAM STRUCTURES**
3 **OF NATIONAL GUARD COUNTERDRUG**
4 **SCHOOL.**

5 Section 901 of the Office of National Drug Control
6 Policy Reauthorization Act of 2006 (Public Law 109-469;
7 32 U.S.C. 112 note) is amended—

8 (1) by striking subsection (e); and

9 (2) by redesignating subsections (f) through (h)

10 as subsections (e) through (g), respectively.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. WALTZ OF FLORIDA

1 At the appropriate place in title VIII, insert the fol-
2 lowing:

3 **SEC. 8__ . PROHIBITION ON CONTRACTING WITH PERSONS**
4 **THAT HAVE BUSINESS OPERATIONS WITH**
5 **THE MADURO REGIME.**

6 (a) PROHIBITION.—Except as provided under sub-
7 sections (c), (d), and (e), the Department of Defense may
8 not enter into a contract for the procurement of goods
9 or services with any person that has business operations
10 with an authority of the Government of Venezuela that
11 is not recognized as the legitimate Government of Ven-
12 ezuela by the United States Government.

13 (b) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

14 (1) BUSINESS OPERATIONS.—The term “busi-
15 ness operations” means engaging in commerce in
16 any form, including acquiring, developing, maintain-
17 ing, owning, selling, possessing, leasing, or operating
18 equipment, facilities, personnel, products, services,
19 personal property, real property, or any other appa-
20 ratus of business or commerce.

1 (2) GOVERNMENT OF VENEZUELA.—(A) The
2 term “Government of Venezuela” includes the gov-
3 ernment of any political subdivision of Venezuela,
4 and any agency or instrumentality of the Govern-
5 ment of Venezuela.

6 (B) For purposes of subparagraph (A), the
7 term “agency or instrumentality of the Government
8 of Venezuela” means an agency or instrumentality
9 of a foreign state as defined in section 1603(b) of
10 title 28, United States Code, with each reference in
11 such section to “a foreign state” deemed to be a ref-
12 erence to “Venezuela”.

13 (3) PERSON.—The term “person” means—

14 (A) a natural person, corporation, com-
15 pany, business association, partnership, society,
16 trust, or any other nongovernmental entity, or-
17 ganization, or group;

18 (B) any governmental entity or instrumen-
19 tality of a government, including a multilateral
20 development institution (as defined in section
21 1701(c)(3) of the International Financial Insti-
22 tutions Act (22 U.S.C. 262r(c)(3))); and

23 (C) any successor, subunit, parent entity,
24 or subsidiary of, or any entity under common

1 ownership or control with, any entity described
2 in subparagraph (A) or (B).

3 (c) EXCEPTIONS.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—The prohibition under sub-
5 section (a) does not apply to a contract that the Sec-
6 retary of Defense and the Secretary of State jointly
7 determine—

8 (A) is necessary—

9 (i) for purposes of providing humani-
10 tarian assistance to the people of Ven-
11 ezuela,

12 (ii) for purposes of providing disaster
13 relief and other urgent life-saving meas-
14 ures; or

15 (iii) to carry out noncombatant evacu-
16 ations; or

17 (B) is vital to the national security inter-
18 ests of the United States.

19 (2) NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT.—The Sec-
20 retary of Defense shall notify the congressional de-
21 fense committees, the Committee on Foreign Affairs
22 of the House of Representatives, and the Committee
23 on Foreign Relations of the Senate of any contract
24 entered into on the basis of an exception provided
25 for under paragraph (1).

1 (d) OFFICE OF FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL LI-
2 CENSES.—The prohibition in subsection (a) shall not
3 apply to a person that has a valid license to operate in
4 Venezuela issued by the Office of Foreign Assets Control.

5 (e) AMERICAN DIPLOMATIC MISSION IN VEN-
6 EZUELA.—The prohibition in subsection (a) shall not
7 apply to contracts related to the operation and mainte-
8 nance of the United States Government's consular offices
9 and diplomatic posts in Venezuela.

10 (f) APPLICABILITY.—This section shall apply with re-
11 spect to any contract entered into on or after the date
12 of the enactment of this section.



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. GALLAGHER OF WISCONSIN

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

1 **SEC. 8 ____ . REVISED AUTHORITIES TO DEFEAT ADVERSARY**
2 **EFFORTS TO COMPROMISE UNITED STATES**
3 **DEFENSE CAPABILITIES.**

4 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—Congress finds that to
5 comprehensively address the supply chain vulnerabilities
6 of the Department of Defense, defense contractors must
7 be incentivized to prioritize security in a manner which
8 exceeds basic compliance with mitigation practices relating
9 to cybersecurity risk and supply chain security standards.
10 Defense contractors can no longer pass unknown risks on
11 to the Department of Defense but should be provided with
12 the tools to meet the needs of the Department with respect
13 to cybersecurity risk and supply chain security. Incentives
14 for defense contractors will help stimulate efforts within
15 the defense industrial base to minimize vulnerabilities in
16 hardware, software, and supply chain services. The De-
17 partment of Defense must develop policies and regulations
18 that move security from a cost that defense contractors
19 seek to minimize to a key consideration in the award of

1 contracts, equal in importance to cost, schedule, and per-
2 formance.

3 (b) INCLUSION OF SECURITY AS PRIMARY PURPOSE
4 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE ACQUISITION.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days
6 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Sec-
7 retary of Defense shall the revise the statement of
8 purpose in the Defense Federal Acquisition Regula-
9 tion Supplement added by section 801(3) of the Na-
10 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
11 2018 (Public Law 115–91; 131 Stat. 1449; U.S.C.
12 2302 note) to include the security of goods acquired
13 by the Department of Defense as one of the primary
14 objectives of Department of Defense acquisition. The
15 Secretary shall revise applicable Department of De-
16 fense Instructions, regulations, and directives to im-
17 plement the inclusion of security as a primary pur-
18 pose of Department of Defense acquisition.

19 (2) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION.—The Sec-
20 retary shall submit to the congressional defense com-
21 mittees—

22 (A) not later than 60 days before issuing
23 the revisions described in paragraph (1), the
24 proposed revisions; and

1 (B) not later than 180 days after the date
2 of the enactment of this Act, recommendations
3 for legislative action to implement the revisions
4 described in this subsection.

5 (c) CERTIFICATION OF RISK.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—Before making a milestone
7 decision with respect to a major defense acquisition
8 program (as defined under section 2430 of title 10,
9 United States Code), a major automated information
10 system, or major system (as defined under section
11 2302d of title 10, United States Code), the vice
12 chief of the Armed Force concerned shall issue a
13 written assessment to the Vice Chief of the Joint
14 Chiefs of Staff and the head of the Defense Acquisi-
15 tion Board stating the determination made by the
16 vice chief of the armed force concerned of the risk
17 to the supply chain associated with the procurement.
18 Such assessment shall include—

19 (A) a description of actions taken to miti-
20 gate potential vulnerabilities associated with the
21 procurement; and

22 (B) a certification from the Secretary of
23 the military department concerned or the Vice
24 Chief of the Joint Chief of Staff (as appro-
25 priate) that the procurement will not interfere

1 with the operations of the military department
2 conducting the procurement.

3 (2) AVAILABILITY TO THE CONGRESSIONAL DE-
4 FENSE COMMITTEES.—Upon request, the vice chief
5 of the Armed Force concerned shall make available
6 to the congressional defense committees a certifi-
7 cation required under paragraph (1), along with the
8 data on which such certification is based, not later
9 than 15 days after the submission of a request.

10 (d) DISPUTES RELATING TO ACQUISITIONS DECI-
11 SIONS.—The Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence,
12 the Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the Vice
13 Chief of Staff of the Army, the Vice Chief of Naval Oper-
14 ations, the Vice Chief of Staff of the Air Force, and the
15 Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps shall each
16 have the authority to submit to the Secretary of Defense
17 a written statement of dispute relating to a decision made
18 by the Defense Acquisition Board with respect to an ac-
19 quisition. A dispute submitted under this subsection shall
20 include any reason why the decision fails to effectively ad-
21 dress concerns regarding the item to be acquired.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. THORNBERRY OF TEXAS

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

1 **SEC. 8 ____ . MODIFICATIONS TO THE DEFENSE ACQUISITION**
2 **SYSTEM.**

3 (a) GUIDANCE, REPORTS, AND LIMITATION ON THE
4 AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS RELATING TO COVERED DE-
5 FENSE BUSINESS SYSTEMS.—

6 (1) AMENDMENTS TO GUIDANCE FOR COVERED
7 DEFENSE BUSINESS SYSTEMS.—Section 2222(d) of
8 title 10, United States Code, is amended—

9 (A) in the matter preceding paragraph (1),
10 by striking “subsection (c)(1)” and inserting
11 “subsection (c)”; and

12 (B) by adding at the end the following new
13 paragraphs:

14 “(7) Policy to ensure a covered defense business
15 system is in compliance with the Department’s
16 auditability requirements.

17 “(8) Policy to ensure approvals required for the
18 development of a covered defense business system.”.

19 (2) REPORTS.—

1 (A) GUIDANCE.—The Secretary of Defense
2 shall submit to the congressional defense com-
3 mittees (as defined in section 101(a)(16) of title
4 10, United States Code) a report—

5 (i) not later than December 31, 2019,
6 that includes the guidance required under
7 paragraph (1) of section 2222(c) of title
8 10, United States Code; and

9 (ii) not later than March 31, 2020,
10 that includes the guidance required under
11 paragraph (2) of such section.

12 (B) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ENTER-
13 PRISE ARCHITECTURE.—Not later than Decem-
14 ber 31, 2019, the Chief Information Officer of
15 the Department of Defense shall submit to the
16 congressional defense committees the informa-
17 tion technology enterprise architecture devel-
18 oped under section 2222(e)(4)(B) of title 10,
19 United States Code, which shall include the
20 plan for improving the information technology
21 and computing infrastructure described in such
22 section and a schedule for implementing the
23 plan.

24 (C) DEFENSE BUSINESS ENTERPRISE AR-
25 CHITECTURE.—Not later than March 31, 2020,

1 the Chief Management Officer of the Depart-
2 ment of Defense and the Chief Information Of-
3 ficer of the Department of Defense shall jointly
4 submit to the congressional defense committees
5 a plan and schedule for integrating the defense
6 business enterprise architecture developed
7 under subsection (e) of section 2222 of title 10,
8 United States Code, into the information tech-
9 nology enterprise architecture, as required
10 under paragraph (4)(A) of such subsection.

11 (3) LIMITATION.—

12 (A) Of the funds authorized to be appro-
13 priated by this Act or otherwise made available
14 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
15 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obli-
16 gated or expended for the Office of the Sec-
17 retary of Defense after December 31, 2019,
18 until the date on which the Secretary of De-
19 fense submits the report required under sub-
20 section (b)(1)(A).

21 (B) Of the funds authorized to be appro-
22 priated by this Act or otherwise made available
23 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
24 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obli-
25 gated or expended for the Office of the Deputy

1 Chief Management Officer, the Office of the
2 Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
3 Sustainment, the Office of the Chief Informa-
4 tion Officer, and the Office of the Chief Man-
5 agement Officer after March 31, 2020, until the
6 date on which the Secretary of Defense submits
7 the report required under subsection (b)(1)(B).

8 (C) Of the funds authorized to be appro-
9 priated by this Act or otherwise made available
10 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
11 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obli-
12 gated or expended for the Office of the Chief
13 Information Officer after December 31, 2019,
14 until the date on which the Secretary of De-
15 fense submits the report required under sub-
16 section (b)(2).

17 (D) Of the funds authorized to be appro-
18 priated by this Act or otherwise made available
19 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
20 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obli-
21 gated or expended for the Office of the Chief
22 Management Officer and the Office of the Chief
23 Information Officer after March 31, 2020, until
24 the date on which the Secretary of Defense sub-

1 mits the report required under subsection
2 (b)(3).

3 (b) PILOT PROGRAM ON DATA RIGHTS AS AN EVAL-
4 UATION FACTOR.—

5 (1) PILOT PROGRAM.—Not later than February
6 1, 2020, the Secretary of Defense and the Secre-
7 taries of the military departments shall jointly carry
8 out a pilot program to assess mechanisms to evalu-
9 ate intellectual property to include technical data
10 deliverables, associated license rights, and commer-
11 cially available intellectual property valuation anal-
12 ysis and techniques in major defense acquisition pro-
13 grams (as defined in section 2430 of title 10, United
14 States Code) selected pursuant to subsection (b) to
15 ensure—

16 (A) the development of cost-effective intel-
17 lectual property strategies; and

18 (B) assessment and management of the
19 value and costs of intellectual property during
20 acquisition and sustainment activities through-
21 out the life cycle of a weapon system for each
22 selected major defense acquisition program.

23 (2) SELECTION OF MAJOR DEFENSE ACQUISSI-
24 TION PROGRAMS.—Each Secretary of a military de-
25 partment shall select one major defense acquisition

1 program for which such Secretary has responsibility
2 to include in the pilot program established under
3 subsection (a).

4 (3) CADRE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY EX-
5 PERTS.—At Milestone A and Milestone B for each
6 major defense acquisition program selected pursuant
7 to subsection (b), the cadre of intellectual property
8 experts established under section 2322(b) of title 10,
9 United States Code, shall identify, to the maximum
10 extent practicable, intellectual property evaluation
11 techniques to obtain quantitative and qualitative
12 analysis related to the value of intellectual property
13 rights during the procurement, production, deploy-
14 ment, operations, and support phases of the acquisi-
15 tion of each such major defense acquisition program.

16 (4) ACTIVITIES.—The pilot program established
17 under this section shall include the following:

18 (A) Assessment of commercial valuation
19 techniques for intellectual property rights for
20 use by the Department of Defense.

21 (B) Assessment of feasibility of oversight
22 by the Secretary of Defense to standardize
23 practices and procedures.

24 (C) Assessment of contracting mechanisms
25 to increase the speed of delivery of intellectual

1 property to the Armed Forces or to reduce
2 sustainment costs.

3 (D) Assessment of acquisition planning
4 necessary to ensure procurement of intellectual
5 property deliverables and intellectual property
6 rights necessary for Government-planned
7 sustainment activities.

8 (E) Engagement with private-sector enti-
9 ties to—

10 (i) support the development of strate-
11 gies and program requirements to aid in
12 acquisition and transition planning for in-
13 tellectual property;

14 (ii) support the development and im-
15 provement of intellectual property strate-
16 gies as part of life-cycle sustainment plans
17 and valuation techniques for the costs of
18 intellectual property rights as part of life-
19 cycle costs; and

20 (iii) propose and implement alter-
21 native and innovative methods of intellec-
22 tual property valuation, prioritization, and
23 evaluation techniques for intellectual prop-
24 erty.

1 (F) Recommendations to the program
2 manager for a major defense acquisition pro-
3 gram selected pursuant to subsection (b) such
4 evaluation techniques and contracting mecha-
5 nisms for implementation into the acquisition
6 and sustainment activities of that major defense
7 acquisition program.

8 (5) ASSESSMENT.—Not later than February 1,
9 2021, and annually thereafter until the termination
10 date of the pilot program, the Secretary of Defense
11 shall submit to the congressional defense committees
12 a report on the pilot program established under sub-
13 section (a). The report shall include—

14 (A) a description of the major defense ac-
15 quisition programs selected pursuant to sub-
16 section (b);

17 (B) a description of the specific activities
18 in subsection (d) that were performed with re-
19 spect to each major defense acquisition program
20 selected pursuant to subsection (b);

21 (C) an assessment of the effectiveness of
22 such activities;

23 (D) an assessment of improvements to ac-
24 quisition or sustainment activities related to the
25 pilot program; and

1 (E) an assessment of cost savings from the
2 activities related to the pilot program, including
3 any improvement to mission success during the
4 operations and support phase of a major de-
5 fense acquisition program selected pursuant to
6 subsection (b).

7 (6) TERMINATION.—The authority to carry out
8 the pilot program under this section shall expire on
9 September 30, 2026.

10 (c) REPORT AND LIMITATION ON AVAILABILITY OF
11 FUNDS RELATING TO MODULAR OPEN SYSTEM AP-
12 PROACH FOR MAJOR DEFENSE ACQUISITION PRO-
13 GRAMS.—

14 (1) STUDY GUIDANCE FOR ANALYSES OF AL-
15 TERNATIVES FOR MAJOR DEFENSE ACQUISITION
16 PROGRAMS.—

17 (A) REPORT.—Not later than December
18 31, 2019, the Secretary of Defense, acting
19 through the Director of Cost Assessment and
20 Performance Evaluation, shall submit to the
21 congressional defense committees a report that
22 includes the study guidance required under sec-
23 tion 2446b(b) of title 10, United States Code.

24 (B) LIMITATION.—Of the funds authorized
25 to be appropriated by this Act or otherwise

1 made available for fiscal year 2020 for the De-
2 partment of Defense, not more than 75 percent
3 may be obligated or expended for the Office of
4 the Director of Cost Assessment and Perform-
5 ance Evaluation after December 31, 2019, until
6 the date on which the Secretary of Defense sub-
7 mits the report required under paragraph (1).

8 (2) POLICY RELATING TO AVAILABILITY OF
9 MAJOR SYSTEM INTERFACES AND SUPPORT FOR
10 MODULAR OPEN SYSTEM APPROACH.—

11 (A) IN GENERAL.—Section 2446c of title
12 10, United States Code, is amended—

13 (i) in the matter preceding paragraph
14 (1), by striking “shall—” and inserting
15 “develop policy on the support for the ac-
16 quisition for modular open system ap-
17 proaches. This policy shall—”; and

18 (ii) in subsection (a)(1), as so des-
19 ignated, by striking “coordinate” and in-
20 serting “ensure coordination”.

21 (B) REPORT.—Not later than December
22 31, 2019, the Secretary of each military depart-
23 ment shall submit to the congressional defense
24 committees a report that includes the policy re-

1 required under section 2446c of title 10, United
2 States Code, as amended by paragraph (1).

3 (C) LIMITATION.—Beginning on January
4 1, 2020, if any report required under paragraph
5 (2) has not been submitted to the congressional
6 defense committees, not more than 75 percent
7 of the funds specified in paragraph (4) may be
8 obligated or expended until the date on which
9 all of the reports required under paragraph (2)
10 have been submitted.

11 (D) FUNDS SPECIFIED.—The funds speci-
12 fied in this paragraph are funds made available
13 for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
14 fense for any of the Offices of the Secretaries
15 of the military departments that remain unobli-
16 gated as of January 1, 2020.

17 (d) REPORT ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY POLICY
18 AND THE CADRE OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY EX-
19 PERTS.—

20 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 802 of the National
21 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018
22 (Public Law 115–91; 131 Stat. 1450) is amended by
23 adding at the end the following new subsection:

24 “(c) REPORT.—Not later than October 1, 2019, the
25 Secretary of Defense, acting through the Under Secretary

1 of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment, shall submit
2 to the congressional defense committees a report that in-
3 cludes—

4 “(1) the policy required in subsection (a) of sec-
5 tion 2322 of title 10, United States Code;

6 “(2) an identification of each member of the
7 cadre of intellectual property experts required in
8 subsection (b) of such section and the office to which
9 such member; and

10 “(3) a description of the leadership structure
11 and the office that will manage the cadre of intellec-
12 tual property experts.”.

13 (2) LIMITATION.—Of the funds authorized to
14 be appropriated by this Act or otherwise made avail-
15 able for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
16 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obligated or
17 expended for the Defense Acquisition Workforce De-
18 velopment Fund until the date on which the Sec-
19 retary of Defense submits the report required under
20 subsection (c) of section 802 of the National De-
21 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018 (Pub-
22 lic Law 115–91; 131 Stat. 1450), as added by this
23 section.

24 (e) LIMITATION ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS FOR
25 THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MANAGEMENT OFFICER OF

1 THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.—Of the funds author-
2 ized to be appropriated or otherwise made available for
3 fiscal year 2020 for the Department of Defense, not more
4 than 75 percent may be obligated or expended for the Of-
5 fice of the Chief Management Officer until the date on
6 which the Chief Management Officer submits to the con-
7 gressional defense committees—

8 (1) the certification of cost savings described in
9 subparagraph (A) of section 921(b)(5) of the Na-
10 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
11 2019 (Public Law 115–232; 10 U.S.C. 2222 note);
12 or

13 (2) the notice and justification described in sub-
14 paragraph (B) of such section.

15 (f) REPORT AND LIMITATION ON THE AVAILABILITY
16 OF FUNDS RELATING TO THE “MIDDLE TIER” OF ACQUI-
17 SITION PROGRAMS.—

18 (1) REPORT.—Not later than December 15,
19 2019, the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
20 tion and Sustainment shall submit to the congress-
21 sional defense committees a report that includes the
22 guidance required under section 804(a) of the Na-
23 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
24 2016 (Public Law 114–92; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note).
25 The Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and

1 Sustainment will ensure such guidance includes the
2 business case elements required by an acquisition
3 program established pursuant to such guidance and
4 the metrics required to assess the performance of
5 such a program.

6 (2) LIMITATION.—Of the funds authorized to
7 be appropriated by this Act or otherwise made avail-
8 able for fiscal year 2020 for the Department of De-
9 fense, not more than 75 percent may be obligated or
10 expended for an acquisition program established
11 pursuant to the guidance required under section
12 804(a) of the National Defense Authorization Act
13 for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law 114–92; 10
14 U.S.C. 2302 note) after December 15, 2019, and no
15 such acquisition program may be conducted under
16 the authority provided by such section after Decem-
17 ber 15, 2019, until the Under Secretary of Defense
18 for Acquisition and Sustainment submits the report
19 required under subsection (a).

20 (g) DEFENSE ACQUISITION WORKFORCE CERTIFI-
21 CATION AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS.—

22 (1) PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION REQUIRE-
23 MENT.—

24 (A) PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION RE-
25 QUIRED FOR ALL ACQUISITION WORKFORCE

1 PERSONNEL.—Section 1701a of title 10, United
2 States Code, is amended—

3 (i) by redesignating subsections (c)
4 and (d) as subsections (d) and (e), respec-
5 tively; and

6 (ii) by inserting after subsection (b)
7 the following new subsection (c):

8 “(c) PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION.—

9 “(1) The Secretary of Defense shall implement
10 a certification program to provide for a professional
11 certification requirement for all members of the ac-
12 quisition workforce. Except as provided in paragraph
13 (2), the certification requirement for any acquisition
14 workforce career field shall be based on standards
15 under a third-party accredited program based on na-
16 tionally or internationally recognized standards.

17 “(2) If the Secretary determines that, for a
18 particular acquisition workforce career field, a third-
19 party accredited program based on nationally or
20 internationally recognized standards does not exist,
21 the Secretary shall establish the certification require-
22 ment for that career field that conforms with the
23 practices of national or international accrediting
24 bodies. The certification requirement for any such
25 career field shall be implemented using the best ap-

1 proach determined by the Secretary for meeting the
2 certification requirement for that career field, in-
3 cluding implementation through entities outside the
4 Department of Defense and may be designed and
5 implemented without regard to section 1746 of this
6 title.”.

7 (B) PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT.—Sub-
8 section (b) of such section is amended—

9 (i) in paragraph (5), by striking “en-
10 courage” and inserting “direct”; and

11 (ii) in paragraph (6), by inserting
12 “and consequences” after “warnings”.

13 (C) PARTICIPATION IN PROFESSIONAL AS-
14 SOCIATIONS.—Subsection (b) of such section is
15 further amended—

16 (i) by redesignating paragraphs (6),
17 (7), (8), and (9) as paragraphs (7), (8),
18 (9), and (10), respectively; and

19 (ii) by inserting after paragraph (5)
20 the following new paragraph (6):

21 “(6) authorize members of the acquisition work-
22 force to participate in professional associations, con-
23 sistent with their individual performance plans,
24 linked to both professional development and opportu-
25 nities to gain leadership and management skills;”.

1 (D) GENERAL EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND
2 EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS.—Section 1723 of
3 such title is amended—

4 (i) in subsection (a)(3), by striking
5 the second sentence; and

6 (ii) in subsection (b)(1), by striking
7 “encourage” and inserting “require”.

8 (E) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The Secretary of
9 Defense shall implement procedures to institute
10 the program required by subsection (c) of sec-
11 tion 1701a of title 10, United States Code, as
12 added by paragraph (1), not later than 180
13 days after the date of the enactment of this
14 Act.

15 (2) ELIMINATION OF STATUTORY REQUIRE-
16 MENT FOR COMPLETION OF 24 SEMESTER CREDIT
17 HOURS.—

18 (A) QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR
19 CONTRACTING POSITIONS.—Section 1724 of
20 title 10, United States Code, is amended—

21 (i) in subsection (a)(3)—

22 (I) by striking “(A)” after “(3)”;
23 and

1 (II) by striking “, and (B)” and
2 all that follows through “and manage-
3 ment”; and

4 (ii) in subsection (b), by striking “re-
5 quirements” in the first sentences of para-
6 graphs (1) and (2) and inserting “require-
7 ment”;

8 (iii) in subsection (e)(2)—

9 (I) by striking “shall have—”
10 and all that follows through “been
11 awarded” and inserting “shall have
12 been awarded”;

13 (II) by striking “; or” and insert-
14 ing a period; and

15 (III) by striking subparagraph
16 (B); and

17 (iv) in subsection (f), by striking “,
18 including—” and all that follows and in-
19 serting a period.

20 (B) SELECTION CRITERIA AND PROCE-
21 DURES.—Section 1732 of such title is amend-
22 ed—

23 (i) in subsection (b)(1)—

24 (I) by striking “Such require-
25 ments,” and all the follows through

1 “the person—” and inserting “Such
2 requirements shall include a require-
3 ment that the person—”;

4 (II) by striking subparagraph
5 (B); and

6 (III) by redesignating clauses (i)
7 and (ii) as subparagraphs (A) and
8 (B), respectively, and realigning those
9 subparagraphs so as to be 4 ems from
10 the margin; and

11 (ii) in subsection (c), by striking “re-
12 quirements of subsections (b)(1)(A) and
13 (b)(1)(B)” in paragraphs (1) and (2) and
14 inserting “requirement of subsection
15 (b)(1)”.

16 (3) DEFENSE ACQUISITION UNIVERSITY.—Sec-
17 tion 1746 of title 10, United States Code, is amend-
18 ed—

19 (A) in subsection (b)(1), by adding at the
20 end the following new sentence: “At least 25
21 percent of such civilian instructors shall be vis-
22 iting professors from civilian colleges or univer-
23 sities.”; and

1 (B) in subsection (c), by inserting “, and
2 with commercial training providers,” after
3 “military departments”.

4 (h) ENHANCING DEFENSE ACQUISITION WORK-
5 FORCE CAREER FIELDS.—

6 (1) CAREER PATHS.—

7 (A) CAREER PATH REQUIRED FOR EACH
8 ACQUISITION WORKFORCE CAREER FIELD.—

9 Paragraph (4) of section 1701a(b) of title 10,
10 United States Code, is amended to read as fol-
11 lows:

12 “(4) develop and implement a career path, as
13 described in section 1722(a) of this title, for each
14 career field designated by the Secretary under sec-
15 tion 1721(a) of this title as an acquisition workforce
16 career field;”.

17 (B) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—Section
18 1722(a) of such title is amended—

19 (i) by striking “appropriate career
20 paths” and inserting “an appropriate ca-
21 reer path”; and

22 (ii) by striking “are identified” and
23 inserting “is identified for each acquisition
24 workforce career field”.

1 (C) DEADLINE FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF
2 CAREER PATHS.—The implementation of a ca-
3 reer path for each acquisition workforce career
4 field required by paragraph (4) of section
5 1701a(b) of title 10, United States Code (as
6 amended by paragraph (1)), shall be completed
7 by the Secretary of Defense not later than the
8 end of the two-year period beginning on the
9 date of the enactment of this Act.

10 (2) CAREER FIELDS.—

11 (A) DESIGNATION OF ACQUISITION WORK-
12 FORCE CAREER FIELDS.—Section 1721(a) of
13 such title is amended by adding at the end the
14 following new sentence: “The Secretary shall
15 also designate in regulations those career fields
16 in the Department of Defense that are acquisi-
17 tion workforce career fields for purposes of this
18 chapter.”.

19 (B) CLERICAL AMENDMENTS.—(i) The
20 heading of such section is amended to read as
21 follows:

22 **“§ 1721. Designation of acquisition positions and ac-**
23 **quisition workforce career fields”.**

24 (ii) The item relating to such section
25 in the table of sections at the beginning of

1 subchapter II of chapter 87 of such title is
2 amended to read as follows:

“1721. Designation of acquisition positions and acquisition workforce career fields.”.

3 (C)(i) The heading of subchapter II of
4 chapter 87 of such title is amended to read as
5 follows:

“SUBCHAPTER II—ACQUISITION POSITIONS AND ACQUISITION WORKFORCE CAREER FIELDS”.

6 (ii) The item relating to such subchapter
7 in the table of subchapters at the beginning of
8 such chapter is amended to read as follows:

“II. Acquisition Positions And Acquisition Workforce Career Fields 1721”.

9 (D) DEADLINE FOR DESIGNATION OF CA-
10 REER FIELDS.—The designation of acquisition
11 workforce career fields required by the second
12 sentence of section 1721(a) of title 10, United
13 States Code (as added by paragraph (1)), shall
14 be made by the Secretary of Defense not later
15 than the end of the six-month period beginning
16 on the date of the enactment of this Act.

17 (3) KEY WORK EXPERIENCES.—

18 (A) DEVELOPMENT OF KEY WORK EXPERI-
19 ENCES FOR EACH ACQUISITION WORKFORCE CA-
20 REER FIELD.—Section 1722b of such title is
21 amended by adding at the end the following
22 new subsection:

1 “(c) KEY WORK EXPERIENCES.—In carrying out
2 subsection (b)(2), the Secretary shall ensure that key work
3 experiences, in the form of multidiscipline training, are de-
4 veloped for each acquisition workforce career field.”.

5 (B) PLAN FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF KEY
6 WORK EXPERIENCES.—Not later than one year
7 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the
8 Secretary of Defense shall submit to the con-
9 gressional defense committees a plan identifying
10 the specific actions the Department of Defense
11 has taken, and is planning to take, to develop
12 and establish key work experiences for each ac-
13 quisition workforce career field as required by
14 subsection (c) of section 1722b of title 10,
15 United States Code, as added by paragraph (1).
16 The plan shall include specification of the per-
17 centage of the acquisition workforce, or funds
18 available for administration of the acquisition
19 workforce on an annual basis, that the Sec-
20 retary will dedicate towards developing such key
21 work experiences.

22 (4) APPLICABILITY OF CAREER PATH REQUIRE-
23 MENTS TO ALL MEMBERS OF ACQUISITION WORK-
24 FORCE.—Section 1723(b) of such title is amended
25 by striking “the critical acquisition-related”.

1 (5) COMPETENCY DEVELOPMENT.—

2 (A) IN GENERAL.—(i) Subchapter V of
3 chapter 87 of such title is amended by adding
4 at the end the following new section:

5 **“§ 1765. Competency development**

6 “(a) IN GENERAL.—For each acquisition workforce
7 career field, the Secretary of Defense shall establish, for
8 the civilian personnel in that career field, defined pro-
9 ficiency standards and technical and nontechnical com-
10 petencies which shall be used in personnel qualification as-
11 sessments.

12 “(b) NEGOTIATIONS.—Any action taken by the Sec-
13 retary under this section, or to implement this section,
14 shall not be subject to the requirements of chapter 71 of
15 title 5.”.

16 (ii) The table of sections at the begin-
17 ning of such subchapter II is amended by
18 adding at the end the following new item:

“1765. Competency development.”.

19 (B) DEADLINE FOR IMPLEMENTATION.—

20 The establishment of defined proficiency stand-
21 ards and technical and nontechnical com-
22 petencies required by section 1765 of title 10,
23 United States Code (as added by paragraph
24 (1)), shall be made by the Secretary of Defense
25 not later than the end of the two-year period

1 beginning on the date of the enactment of this
2 Act.

3 (6) TERMINATION OF DEFENSE ACQUISITION
4 CORPS.—

5 (A) The Acquisition Corps for the Depart-
6 ment of Defense referred to in section 1731(a)
7 of title 10, United States Code, is terminated.

8 (B) Section 1733 of title 10, United States
9 Code, is amended—

10 (i) by striking subsection (a); and

11 (ii) by redesignating subsection (b) as
12 subsection (a).

13 (C) Subsection (b) of section 1731 of such
14 title is transferred to the end of section 1733
15 of such title, as amended by paragraph (2), and
16 amended—

17 (i) by striking “ACQUISITION CORPS”
18 in the heading and inserting “THE ACQUI-
19 SITION WORKFORCE”; and

20 (ii) by striking “selected for the Ac-
21 quisition Corps” and inserting “in the ac-
22 quisition workforce”.

23 (D) Subsection (e) of section 1732 of such
24 title is transferred to the end of section 1733
25 of such title, as amended by paragraphs (2) and

1 (3), redesignated as subsection (c), and amend-
2 ed—

3 (i) by striking “in the Acquisition
4 Corps” in paragraphs (1) and (2) and in-
5 serting “in critical acquisition positions”;
6 and

7 (ii) by striking “serving in the Corps”
8 in paragraph (2) and inserting “employ-
9 ment”.

10 (E) Sections 1731 and 1732 of such title
11 are repealed.

12 (F)(i) Section 1733 of such title, as
13 amended by paragraphs (2), (3), and (4), is re-
14 designated as section 1731.

15 (ii) The table of sections at the beginning
16 of subchapter III of chapter 87 of such title is
17 amended by striking the items relating to sec-
18 tions 1731, 1732, and 1733 and inserting the
19 following new item:

“1731. Critical acquisition positions.”.

20 (G)(i) The heading of subchapter III of
21 chapter 87 of such title is amended to read as
22 follows:

“SUBCHAPTER III—CRITICAL ACQUISITION POSITIONS”.

1 (ii) The item relating to such subchapter
2 in the table of subchapters at the beginning of
3 such chapter is amended to read as follows:

“III. Critical Acquisition Positions 1731”.

4 (H) Section 1723(a)(2) of such title is
5 amended by striking “section 1733 of this title”
6 and inserting “section 1731 of this title”.

7 (I) Section 1725 of such title is amend-
8 ed—

9 (i) in subsection (a)(1), by striking
10 “Defense Acquisition Corps” and inserting
11 “acquisition workforce”; and

12 (ii) in subsection (d)(2), by striking
13 “of the Defense Acquisition Corps” and in-
14 serting “in the acquisition workforce serv-
15 ing in critical acquisition positions”.

16 (J) Section 1734 of such title is amend-
17 ed—

18 (i) by striking “of the Acquisition
19 Corps” in subsections (e)(1) and (h) and
20 inserting “of the acquisition workforce”;
21 and

22 (ii) in subsection (g)—

23 (I) by striking “of the Acquisi-
24 tion Corps” in the first sentence and

1 inserting “of the acquisition work-
2 force”;

3 (II) by striking “of the Corps”
4 and inserting “of the acquisition
5 workforce”; and

6 (III) by striking “of the Acquisi-
7 tion Corps” in the second sentence
8 and inserting “of the acquisition
9 workforce in critical acquisition posi-
10 tions”.

11 (K) Section 1737 of such title is amend-
12 ed—

13 (i) in subsection (a)(1), by striking
14 “of the Acquisition Corps” and inserting
15 “of the acquisition workforce”; and

16 (ii) in subsection (b), by striking “of
17 the Corps” and inserting “of the acquisi-
18 tion workforce”.

19 (L) Section 1742(a)(1) of such title is
20 amended by striking “the Acquisition Corps”
21 and inserting “acquisition positions in the De-
22 partment of Defense”.

23 (M) Section 2228(a)(4) of such title is
24 amended by striking “under section

1 1733(b)(1)(C) of this title” and inserting
2 “under section 1731 of this title”.

3 (N) Section 7016(b)(5)(B) of such title is
4 amended by striking “under section 1733 of
5 this title” and inserting “under section 1731 of
6 this title”.

7 (O) Section 8016(b)(4)(B) of such title is
8 amended by striking “under section 1733 of
9 this title” and inserting “under section 1731 of
10 this title”.

11 (P) Section 9016(b)(4)(B) of such title is
12 amended by striking “under section 1733 of
13 this title” and inserting “under section 1731 of
14 this title”.

15 (Q) Paragraph (1) of section 317 of title
16 37, United States Code, is amended to read as
17 follows:

18 “(1) is a member of the acquisition workforce
19 selected to serve in, or serving in, a critical acquisi-
20 tion position designated under section 1731 of title
21 10.”.

22 (i) ESTABLISHMENT OF DEFENSE CIVILIAN ACQUISI-
23 TION TRAINING CORPS.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—Part III of subtitle A of title
2 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting
3 after chapter 112 the following new chapter:

4 **“CHAPTER 113—DEFENSE CIVILIAN**
5 **ACQUISITION TRAINING CORPS**

“2200n. Establishment.

“2200o. Program elements.

“2200p. Model authorities.

“2200q. Definitions.

6 **“§ 2200n. Establishment**

7 “For the purposes of preparing selected students for
8 public service in Department of Defense occupations relat-
9 ing to acquisition, science, and engineering, the Secretary
10 of Defense shall establish and maintain a Defense Civilian
11 Acquisition Training Corps program, organized into one
12 or more units, at civilian institutions of higher education
13 offering a program leading to a baccalaureate degree.

14 **“§ 2200o. Program elements**

15 “In establishing the program, the Secretary of De-
16 fense shall determine the following:

17 “(1) Criteria for an institution of higher edu-
18 cation to participate in the program.

19 “(2) The eligibility of a student to join the pro-
20 gram.

21 “(3) Criteria required for a member of the pro-
22 gram to receive financial assistance.

1 “(4) The term of service required for a member
2 of the program to receive financial assistance.

3 “(5) Criteria required for a member of the pro-
4 gram to be released from a term of service.

5 “(6) The method by which a successful grad-
6 uate of the program may gain immediate employ-
7 ment in the Department of Defense.

8 “(7) Resources required for implementation of
9 the program.

10 “(8) A methodology to identify and target crit-
11 ical skills gaps in Department of Defense occupa-
12 tions relating to acquisition, science, and engineer-
13 ing.

14 “(9) A mechanism to track the success of the
15 program in eliminating the identified critical skills
16 gap.

17 **“§ 2200p. Model authorities**

18 “‘In making determinations under section 2200o of
19 this title, the Secretary of Defense shall use the authori-
20 ties under chapters 103 and 111 of this title as guides.

21 **“§ 2200q. Definitions**

22 “‘In this chapter:

23 “(1) The term ‘program’ means the Defense Ci-
24 vilian Acquisition Training Corps of the Department
25 of Defense.

1 “(2) The term ‘member of the program’ means
2 a student at an institution of higher learning who is
3 enrolled in the program.

4 “(3) The term ‘institution of higher education’
5 has the meaning given that term in section 101 of
6 the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C.
7 1001).”.

8 (2) IMPLEMENTATION TIMELINE.—

9 (A) INITIAL IMPLEMENTATION.—Not later
10 than December 31, 2019, the Secretary of De-
11 fense shall submit to the congressional defense
12 committees a plan and schedule that imple-
13 ments the program at one institution of higher
14 learning not later than August 1, 2020. The
15 plan shall include recommendations regarding
16 any legislative changes required for effective im-
17 plementation of the program.

18 (B) EXPANSION.—Not later than Decem-
19 ber 31, 2020, the Secretary of Defense shall
20 submit to the congressional defense committees
21 an expansion plan and schedule to expand the
22 program to five locations not later than by Au-
23 gust 1, 2021.

24 (C) FULL IMPLEMENTATION.—Not later
25 than December 31, 2021, the Secretary of De-

1 fense shall submit to the congressional defense
2 committees a full implementation plan and
3 schedule to expand the program to at least 20
4 locations with not fewer than 400 members in
5 the program not later than August 1, 2022.

6 (j) CLARIFYING THE ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES
7 OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE FOR ACQUISI-
8 TION AND SUSTAINMENT AND THE UNDER SECRETARY
9 OF DEFENSE FOR RESEARCH AND ENGINEERING.—The
10 laws of the United States are amended as follows:

11 (1) Section 129a(c)(3) of title 10, United
12 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
13 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
14 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
15 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

16 (2) Section 133a(b)(2) of title 10, United
17 States Code, is amended by striking “, including the
18 allocation of resources for defense research and engi-
19 neering,”.

20 (3) Section 134(e) of title 10, United States
21 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
22 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics,”
23 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
24 quisition and Sustainment, the Under Secretary of
25 Defense for Research and Engineering,”.

1 (4) Section 139(b) of title 10, United States
2 Code, is amended in the matter preceding paragraph
3 (1) by striking “and the Under Secretary of Defense
4 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
5 serting “, the Under Secretary of Defense for Acqui-
6 sition and Sustainment, and the Under Secretary of
7 Defense for Research and Engineering”.

8 (5) Section 139(b)(2) of title 10, United States
9 Code, is amended by striking “and the Under Sec-
10 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
11 Logistics” and inserting “, the Under Secretary of
12 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment, and the
13 Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engi-
14 neering,”.

15 (6) Section 139 of title 10, United States Code,
16 is amended in subsections (c) through (h) by strik-
17 ing “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
18 Technology, and Logistics” each place it appears
19 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
20 quisition and Sustainment”.

21 (7) Section 139a(d)(6) of title 10, United
22 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
23 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
24 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
25 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment, the Under

1 Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineer-
2 ing,”.

3 (8) Section 171(a) of title 10, United States
4 Code, is amended—

5 (A) in paragraph (3), by striking “Under
6 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
7 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
8 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
9 Sustainment”;

10 (B) by inserting after paragraph (3) the
11 following new paragraph:

12 “(4) the Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
13 search and Engineering;”; and

14 (C) by redesignating paragraphs (4)
15 through (13) as paragraphs (5) through (14),
16 respectively.

17 (9) Section 171a of title 10, United States
18 Code, is amended—

19 (A) in subsection (b)(2), by striking
20 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
21 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
22 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
23 and Sustainment”;

24 (B) by inserting after subsection (b)(2) the
25 following new paragraph:

1 “(3) the Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
2 search and Engineering.”;

3 (C) in subsection (b), by redesignating
4 paragraphs (3) through (7) as paragraphs (4)
5 through (8), respectively; and

6 (D) in subsection (c), by striking “Under
7 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
8 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
9 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
10 Sustainment”.

11 (10) Subsection (d)(1) of section 181 of title
12 10, United States Code, is amended—

13 (A) in subparagraph (C), by striking
14 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
15 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
16 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
17 and Sustainment”;

18 (B) by inserting after subparagraph (C)
19 the following new subparagraph:

20 “(D) the Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
21 search and Engineering.”; and

22 (C) by redesignating paragraphs (D)
23 through (G) as paragraphs (E) through (H),
24 respectively.

1 (11) Subsection (b)(2) of section 393 of title
2 10, United States Code, is amended—

3 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
5 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
7 and Sustainment”;

8 (B) by inserting after subparagraph (B)
9 the following new subparagraph:

10 “(C) the Under Secretary of Defense for
11 Research and Engineering.”; and

12 (C) by redesignating subparagraphs (C)
13 through (E) as subparagraphs (D) through (F).

14 (12) Section 1111 of the National Defense Au-
15 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public law
16 114–92; 129 Stat. 1032; 10 U.S.C. 1701 note) is
17 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
18 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
19 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
20 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

21 (13) Section 231(a) of the National Defense
22 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 (Public law
23 110–181; 122 Stat. 45; 10 U.S.C. 1701 note) is
24 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
25 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-

1 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
2 and Sustainment”.

3 (14) Section 1702 of title 10, United States
4 Code, is amended—

5 (A) in the heading, by striking “**Under**
6 **Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,**
7 **Technology, and Logistics**” and inserting
8 “**Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-**
9 **quisition and Sustainment**”;

10 (B) in the section text, by striking “Under
11 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
12 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
13 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
14 Sustainment”.

15 (15) Section 807(a) of the Bob Stump National
16 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003
17 (Public Law 107–314; 116 Stat. 2608; 10 U.S.C.
18 1702 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
19 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
20 tics” and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for
21 Acquisition and Sustainment”.

22 (16) Section 1705 of title 10, United States
23 Code, is amended—

24 (A) in subsection (c), by striking “Under
25 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-

1 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
2 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
3 Sustainment”;

4 (B) in subsection (e)(3), by striking
5 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
6 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
7 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
8 and Sustainment”; and

9 (C) in subsection (g)(2)(B), by striking
10 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
11 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
12 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
13 and Sustainment”.

14 (17) Section 803(c) of the National Defense
15 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (Public Law
16 112–239; 126 Stat. 1825; 10 U.S.C. 1705 note) is
17 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
18 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
19 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
20 and Sustainment”.

21 (18) Section 1722 of title 10, United States
22 Code, is amended—

23 (A) in subsection (a), by striking “Under
24 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
25 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under

1 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
2 Sustainment”; and

3 (B) in subsection (b)(2)(B), by striking
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
5 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
7 and Sustainment”.

8 (19) Section 1722a of title 10, United States
9 Code, is amended—

10 (A) in subsection (a), by striking “Under
11 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
12 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
13 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
14 Sustainment”; and

15 (B) in subsection (e), by striking “Under
16 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
17 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
18 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
19 Sustainment”.

20 (20) Section 1722b(a) of title 10, United States
21 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
22 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
23 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
24 quisition and Sustainment”.

1 (21) Section 1723 of title 10, United States
2 Code, is amended—

3 (A) in subsection (a)(3), by striking
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
5 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
7 and Sustainment”; and

8 (B) in subsection (b), by striking “Under
9 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
10 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
11 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
12 Sustainment”.

13 (22) Section 1725(e)(2) of title 10, United
14 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
15 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
16 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
17 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

18 (23) Section 1735(e)(1) of title 10, United
19 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
20 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
21 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
22 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

23 (24) Section 1737(c) of title 10, United States
24 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
25 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”

1 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
2 quisition and Sustainment”.

3 (25) Section 1741(b) of title 10, United States
4 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
5 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
6 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
7 quisition and Sustainment”.

8 (26) Section 1746(a) of title 10, United States
9 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
10 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
11 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
12 quisition and Sustainment”.

13 (27) Section 1748 of title 10, United States
14 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
15 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
16 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
17 quisition and Sustainment”.

18 (28) Section 2222 of title 10, United States
19 Code, is amended—

20 (A) in subsection (c)(2), by striking
21 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
22 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
23 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
24 and Sustainment”; and

1 (B) in subsection (f)(2)(B)(i), by striking
2 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
3 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
5 and Sustainment”.

6 (29) Section 217(a) of the National Defense
7 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
8 114–92; 129 Stat. 770; 10 U.S.C. 2222 note) is
9 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
10 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
11 sserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
12 and Sustainment”.

13 (30) Section 882(b) of the Ike Skelton National
14 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011
15 (Public Law 111–383; 128 Stat. 4308; 10 U.S.C.
16 2222 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
17 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
18 tics” and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for
19 Acquisition and Sustainment”.

20 (31) Section 2272 of title 10, United States
21 Code, is amended by striking “Assistant Secretary of
22 Defense for Research and Engineering” and insert-
23 ing “Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
24 Engineering”.

1 (32) Section 2275(a) of title 10, United States
2 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
3 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
4 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
5 search and Engineering”.

6 (33) Section 2279(d) of title 10, United States
7 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
8 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
9 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
10 quisition and Sustainment”.

11 (34) Section 2279b of title 10, United States
12 Code, is amended—

13 (A) in subsection (b)—

14 (i) in paragraph (2), by striking
15 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
16 tion, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
17 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for
18 Acquisition and Sustainment”;

19 (ii) by redesignating paragraphs (3)
20 through (10) as paragraphs (4) through
21 (11), respectively; and

22 (iii) by inserting after paragraph (2)
23 the following new paragraph:

24 “(3) the Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
25 search and Engineering.”; and

1 (B) in subsection (c), by striking “Under
2 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
3 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
4 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
5 Sustainment”.

6 (35) Section 898(a)(2) of the National Defense
7 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
8 114–328; 130 Stat. 2000; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note) is
9 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
10 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
11 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
12 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

13 (36) Section 804 of the National Defense Au-
14 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
15 114–92; 129 Stat. 726; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note) is
16 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
17 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
18 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
19 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

20 (37) Section 852 of the Carl Levin and Howard
21 P. “Buck” McKeon National Defense Authorization
22 Act for Fiscal Year 2015 (Public Law 113–291; 130
23 Stat. 3458; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note) is amended by
24 striking “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
25 tion, Technology, and Logistics” and inserting

1 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
2 Sustainment”.

3 (38) Section 806 of the National Defense Au-
4 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 (Public Law
5 112–81; 125 Stat. 1487; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note) is
6 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
7 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
8 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
9 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

10 (39) Section 843 of the National Defense Au-
11 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 (Public Law
12 112–81; 125 Stat. 1487; 10 U.S.C. 2302 note) is
13 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
14 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
15 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
16 and Sustainment”.

17 (40) Section 254(b) of the Duncan Hunter Na-
18 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
19 2009 (Public Law 110–417; 122 Stat. 4402; 10
20 U.S.C. 2302 note) is amended by striking “Under
21 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
22 and Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of
23 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

24 (41) Section 802(d) of the Ronald W. Reagan
25 National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year

1 2005 (Public Law 108–375; 118 Stat. 2004; 10
2 U.S.C. 2302 note) is amended by striking “Under
3 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
4 and Logistics” each place such term appears and in-
5 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
6 and Sustainment”.

7 (42) Section 244 of the Bob Stump National
8 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003
9 (Public Law 107–314; 116 Stat. 2498; 10 U.S.C.
10 2302 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
11 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
12 tics” each place such term appears and inserting
13 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
14 Sustainment”.

15 (43) Section 804(e) of the Bob Stump National
16 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003
17 (Public Law 107–314; 116 Stat. 2605; 10 U.S.C.
18 2302 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
19 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
20 tics” each place such term appears and inserting
21 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
22 Sustainment”.

23 (44) Section 2304 of title 10, United States
24 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
25 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”

1 each place such term appears and inserting “Under
2 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
3 Sustainment”.

4 (45) Section 895 of the National Defense Au-
5 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
6 114–92; 129 Stat. 954; 10 U.S.C. 2304 note) is
7 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
8 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
9 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
10 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

11 (46) Section 806(b) of the Ike Skelton National
12 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011
13 (Public Law 111–383; 124 Stat. 4260; 10 U.S.C.
14 2304 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
15 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
16 tics” each place such term appears and inserting
17 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
18 Sustainment”.

19 (47) Section 821(a) of the National Defense
20 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 (Public Law
21 110–181; 122 Stat. 226; 10 U.S.C. 2304 note) is
22 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
23 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
24 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
25 and Sustainment”.

1 (48) Section 801(b)(2)(B) of the National De-
2 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2008 (Pub-
3 lic Law 110–181; 122 Stat. 204; 10 U.S.C. 2304
4 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
5 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
6 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
7 quisition and Sustainment”.

8 (49) Section 817(e) of the John Warner Na-
9 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
10 2007 (Public Law 109–364; 120 Stat. 2326; 10
11 U.S.C. 2304 note) is amended by striking “Under
12 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
13 and Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of
14 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

15 (50) Section 811(e)(1) of the National Defense
16 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006 (Public Law
17 109–163; 120 Stat. 2326; 10 U.S.C. 2304 note) is
18 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
19 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
20 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
21 and Sustainment”.

22 (51) Section 875 of the National Defense Au-
23 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
24 114–328; 130 Stat. 2310; 10 U.S.C. 2305 note) is
25 amended—

1 (A) in subsection (b)(2), by striking
2 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
3 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
5 and Sustainment”;

6 (B) in subsection (c), by striking “Under
7 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
8 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
9 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
10 Sustainment”;

11 (C) in subsection (d), by striking “The
12 Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology,
13 and Logistics” and inserting “The Under Sec-
14 retary of Defense for Research and Engineer-
15 ing”;

16 (D) in subsection (e) through (f), by strik-
17 ing “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
18 tion, Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
19 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
20 and Sustainment”.

21 (52) Section 888(b)(1) of the National Defense
22 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
23 114–328; 130 Stat. 2322; 10 U.S.C. 2305 note) is
24 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
25 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-

1 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
2 and Sustainment”.

3 (53) Section 829(b)(1) of the National Defense
4 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
5 114–328; 130 Stat. 2281; 10 U.S.C. 2306 note) is
6 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
7 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
8 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
9 and Sustainment”.

10 (54) Section 2306b(i)(7) of title 10, United
11 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
12 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
13 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
14 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

15 (55) Section 2311(c) of title 10, United States
16 Code, is amended—

17 (A) in paragraph (1), by striking “Under
18 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
19 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
20 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
21 Sustainment”; and

22 (B) in paragraph (2)(B), by striking
23 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
24 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting

1 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
2 and Sustainment”.

3 (56) Section 824(a) of the Ike Skelton National
4 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011
5 (Public Law 111–383; 124 Stat. 4269; 10 U.S.C.
6 2320 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
7 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
8 tics” and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for
9 Acquisition and Sustainment”.

10 (57) Section 2326(g) of title 10, United States
11 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
12 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
13 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
14 quisition and Sustainment”.

15 (58) Section 2330 of title 10, United States
16 Code, is amended—

17 (A) in subsection (a)(1), by striking
18 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
19 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
20 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
21 and Sustainment”;

22 (B) in subsection (a)(3), by striking
23 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
24 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting

1 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
2 and Sustainment”;

3 (C) in subsection (b)(2), by striking
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
5 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
7 and Sustainment”; and

8 (D) in subsection (b)(3)(A), by striking
9 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
10 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
11 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
12 and Sustainment”.

13 (59) Section 882 of the National Defense Au-
14 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
15 114–92; 129 Stat. 942; 10 U.S.C. 2330 note) is
16 amended in the matter preceding paragraph (1) by
17 striking “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
18 tion, Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
19 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
20 Sustainment”.

21 (60) Section 801(b)(2)(B) of the National De-
22 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002 (Pub-
23 lic Law 107–107; 115 Stat. 1176; 10 U.S.C. 2330
24 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
25 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”

1 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
2 quisition and Sustainment”.

3 (61) Section 2334 of title 10, United States
4 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
5 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
6 each place such term appears and inserting “Under
7 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
8 Sustainment”.

9 (62) Section 2350a(b)(2) of title 10, United
10 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
11 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
12 Logistics, and the Assistant Secretary of Defense for
13 Research and Engineering” and inserting “Under
14 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
15 Sustainment, and the Under Secretary of Defense
16 for Research and Engineering”.

17 (63) Section 2359(b)(1) of title 10, United
18 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
19 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
20 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
21 fense for Research and Engineering”.

22 (64) Section 2359b of title 10, United States
23 Code, is amended—

24 (A) in subsection (a)(1), by striking
25 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,

1 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
2 “Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
3 Engineering”; and

4 (B) in subsection (l)(1), by striking
5 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
6 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
7 “Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
8 Engineering”.

9 (65) Section 2365 of title 10, United States
10 Code, is amended—

11 (A) by striking “Assistant Secretary” each
12 place it appears and inserting “Under Sec-
13 retary”; and

14 (B) in subsection (d), by striking para-
15 graph (3).

16 (66) Section 2375 of title 10, United States
17 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
18 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
19 each place such term appears and inserting “Under
20 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
21 Sustainment”.

22 (67) Section 874(b)(1) of the National Defense
23 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
24 114–328; 130 Stat. 2310; 10 U.S.C. 2375 note) is
25 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense

1 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
2 sserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
3 and Sustainment”.

4 (68) Section 876 of the National Defense Au-
5 thORIZATION Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law
6 114–328; 130 Stat. 2311; 10 U.S.C. 2377 note) is
7 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
8 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
9 sserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
10 and Sustainment”.

11 (69) Section 855 of the National Defense Au-
12 thORIZATION Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
13 114–92; 129 Stat. 919; 10 U.S.C. 2377 note) is
14 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
15 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
16 place such term appears and inserting “Under Sec-
17 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

18 (70) Section 856(a)(2)(B) of the National De-
19 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Pub-
20 lic Law 114–92; 129 Stat. 920; 10 U.S.C. 2377
21 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
22 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
23 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
24 quisition and Sustainment”.

1 (71) Section 2399(b)(3) of title 10, United
2 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
3 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
4 Logistics,” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
5 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment, the Under
6 Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineer-
7 ing,”.

8 (72) Section 2419(a)(1) of title 10, United
9 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
10 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
11 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
12 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

13 (73) Section 825(c)(2) of the National Defense
14 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
15 114–92; 129 Stat. 908; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
16 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
17 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
18 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
19 and Sustainment”.

20 (74) Section 826(e) of the National Defense
21 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
22 114–92; 129 Stat. 908; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
23 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
24 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-

1 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
2 and Sustainment”.

3 (75) Section 827(e) of the National Defense
4 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
5 114–92; 129 Stat. 909; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
6 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
7 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
8 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
9 and Sustainment”.

10 (76) Section 811(b) of the National Defense
11 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (Public Law
12 112–239; 126 Stat. 1828; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
13 amended—

14 (A) in paragraph (1), by striking “if the
15 Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
16 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting “if
17 the service acquisition executive, in the case of
18 a major defense acquisition program of the
19 military department, or the Under Secretary of
20 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment, in
21 the case of a Defense-wide or Defense Agency
22 major defense acquisition program,”; and

23 (B) in paragraph (2), by inserting “the
24 service acquisition executive or” before “the

1 Under Secretary” each place such term ap-
2 pears.

3 (77) Section 812(a) of the National Defense
4 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (Public Law
5 112–239; 126 Stat. 1829; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
6 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
7 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
8 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
9 and Sustainment”.

10 (78) Section 814 of the Duncan Hunter Na-
11 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
12 2009 (Public Law 115–91; 131 Stat. 1467; 10
13 U.S.C. 2430 note) is amended—

14 (A) in subsection (b), by striking para-
15 graph (2) and inserting the following new para-
16 graphs:

17 “(2) REQUIRED MEMBERS.—Each Configura-
18 tion Steering Board under this section shall include
19 a representative of the following:

20 “(A) The Chief of Staff of the Armed
21 Force concerned.

22 “(B) The Comptroller of the military de-
23 partment concerned.

24 “(C) The military deputy to the service ac-
25 quisition executive concerned.

1 “(D) The program executive officer for the
2 major defense acquisition program concerned.

3 “(3) ADDITIONAL MEMBERS.—In addition to
4 the members required in paragraph (2), when the
5 milestone decision authority for a major defense ac-
6 quisition program is the Under Secretary of Defense
7 for Acquisition and Sustainment, each Configuration
8 Steering Board under this section shall also include
9 a representative of the following:

10 “(A) The Office of the Under Secretary of
11 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment.

12 “(B) Other armed forces, as appropriate.

13 “(C) The Joint Staff.

14 “(D) Other senior representatives of the
15 Office of the Secretary of Defense and the mili-
16 tary department concerned, as appropriate.”;
17 and

18 (B) in subsection (e)(5)(B), by striking
19 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
20 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting “serv-
21 ice acquisition executive”.

22 (79) Section 801(a)(1) of the John Warner Na-
23 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year
24 2007 (Public Law 109–364; 120 Stat. 2312; 10
25 U.S.C. 2430 note) is amended by striking “Under

1 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
2 and Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of
3 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

4 (80) Section 924 of the National Defense Au-
5 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2004 (Public Law
6 108–136; 117 Stat. 1576; 10 U.S.C. 2430 note) is
7 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
8 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” each
9 place it appears and inserting “Under Secretary of
10 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

11 (81) Section 1675(a) of the National Defense
12 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
13 114–92; 192 Stat. 1131; 10 U.S.C. 2431 note) is
14 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
15 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
16 serting “the Under Secretary of Defense for Re-
17 search and Engineering”.

18 (82) Section 2431a(b) of title 10, United States
19 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
20 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
21 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
22 quisition and Sustainment”.

23 (83) Section 2435 of title 10, United States
24 Code, is amended by striking—

1 (A) in subsection (b), by striking “Under
2 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
3 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “service
4 acquisition executive, in the case of a major de-
5 fense acquisition program of a military depart-
6 ment, or the Under Secretary of Defense for
7 Acquisition and Sustainment, in the case of a
8 Defense-wide or Defense Agency major defense
9 acquisition program”; and

10 (B) in subsection (e)(2), by striking
11 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
12 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
13 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
14 and Sustainment”.

15 (84) Section 2438(b) of title 10, United States
16 Code, is amended—

17 (A) in paragraph (1), by striking “Under
18 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
19 nology and Logistics” and inserting “Under
20 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
21 Sustainment”; and

22 (B) in paragraph (2), by striking “Under
23 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
24 nology and Logistics” and inserting “Under

1 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
2 Sustainment”.

3 (85) Section 2448b(a) of title 10, United States
4 Code, is amended in the matter preceding paragraph
5 (1) by inserting “by an independent organization se-
6 lected by the service acquisition executive” after
7 “conducted”.

8 (86) Section 2503(b) of title 10, United States
9 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
10 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
11 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
12 quisition and Sustainment”.

13 (87) Section 2508(b) of title 10, United States
14 Code, is amended by striking “Under Secretary of
15 Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics”
16 and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
17 quisition and Sustainment”.

18 (88) Section 2521 of title 10, United States
19 Code, is amended—

20 (A) in subsection (a), by striking “The
21 Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
22 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting “The
23 Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
24 Engineering”;

1 (B) in subsection (e)(4)(D), by striking
2 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
3 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
5 Engineering”; and

6 (C) in subsection (e)(5), by striking
7 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
8 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
9 “Under Secretary of Defense for Research and
10 Engineering”.

11 (89) Section 2533b(k)(2)(A) of title 10, United
12 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
13 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
14 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
15 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

16 (90) Section 2546 of title 10, United States
17 Code, is amended—

18 (A) in the heading of subsection (a), by
19 striking “UNDER SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
20 FOR ACQUISITION, TECHNOLOGY, AND LOGIS-
21 TICS” and inserting “UNDER SECRETARY OF
22 DEFENSE FOR ACQUISITION AND
23 SUSTAINMENT”;

24 (B) in subsection (a), by striking “Under
25 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-

1 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
2 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
3 Sustainment”; and

4 (C) in subsection (b), by striking “Under
5 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
6 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
7 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
8 Sustainment”.

9 (91) Section 2548 of title 10, United States
10 Code, is amended—

11 (A) in subsection (a), by striking “Under
12 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Tech-
13 nology, and Logistics” and inserting “Under
14 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and
15 Sustainment”; and

16 (B) in subsection (c)(8), by striking
17 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
18 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
19 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
20 and Sustainment”.

21 (92) Section 2902(b) of title 10, United States
22 Code, is amended—

23 (A) in paragraph (1), by striking “Office
24 of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Re-
25 search and Engineering” and inserting “Office

1 of the Secretary of Defense for Research and
2 Engineering”; and

3 (B) in paragraph (3), by striking “Office
4 of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisi-
5 tion, Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for
7 Acquisition and Sustainment”.

8 (93) Section 2824(d) of the National Defense
9 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2013 (Public law
10 112–239; 126 Stat. 2154; 10 U.S.C. 2911 note) is
11 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
12 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics and the
13 Assistant Secretary of Defense for Energy, Installa-
14 tions, and Environment” and inserting “Under Sec-
15 retary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

16 (94) Section 315(d) of the National Defense
17 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 (Public law
18 112–81; 125 Stat. 1357; 10 U.S.C. 2911 note) is
19 amended by striking “Under Secretary of Defense
20 for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics” and in-
21 serting “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
22 and Sustainment”.

23 (95) Section 2926(e)(5)(D) of title 10, United
24 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
25 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and

1 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary for De-
2 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

3 (96) Section 836(a)(2) of the National Defense
4 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 (Public Law
5 112–81; 125 Stat. 1508; 22 U.S.C. 2767 note) is
6 amended by striking “the Under Secretary of De-
7 fense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics, the
8 Assistant Secretary of Defense for Research,” and
9 inserting “the Under Secretary of Defense for Ac-
10 quisition and Sustainment, the Under Secretary of
11 Defense for Research and Engineering,”.

12 (97) Section 7103(d)(7)(M)(v) of title 22,
13 United States Code, is amended by striking “Under
14 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
15 and Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of
16 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

17 (98) Section 1126(a)(3) of title 31, United
18 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
19 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
20 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
21 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

22 (99) Section 11319(d)(4) of title 40, United
23 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
24 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and

1 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
2 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

3 (100) Section 1302(b)(2)(A)(i) of title 41,
4 United States Code, is amended by striking “Under
5 Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology,
6 and Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of
7 Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

8 (101) Section 809 of the National Defense Au-
9 thorization Act for Fiscal Years 1992 and 1993
10 (Public Law 102–190; 105 Stat. 1423; 41 U.S.C.
11 1302 note) is amended by striking “Under Secretary
12 of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logis-
13 tics” and inserting “Under Secretary of Defense for
14 Acquisition and Sustainment”.

15 (102) Section 1311(b)(3) of title 41, United
16 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
17 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
18 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
19 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

20 (103) Section 98f(a)(3) of title 50, United
21 States Code, is amended by striking “Under Sec-
22 retary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and
23 Logistics” and inserting “Under Secretary of De-
24 fense for Acquisition and Sustainment”.

1 (104) Section 1521 of title 50, United States
2 Code, is amended—

3 (A) in subsection (f)(1), by striking
4 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
5 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
6 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
7 and Sustainment”; and

8 (B) in subsection (g)(2), by striking
9 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition,
10 Technology, and Logistics” and inserting
11 “Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
12 and Sustainment.”.

13 (k) REQUIREMENTS FOR THE NATIONAL SECURITY
14 STRATEGY FOR NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY AND INDUS-
15 TRIAL BASE.—

16 (1) NATIONAL SECURITY STRATEGY FOR NA-
17 TIONAL TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRIAL BASE.—Sec-
18 tion 2501(a) of title 10, United States Code, is
19 amended by inserting after the first sentence the fol-
20 lowing new sentence: “The Secretary shall submit
21 such strategy to Congress not later than 180 days
22 after the date of submission of the national security
23 strategy report required under section 108 of the
24 National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 3043).”.

1 (2) ANNUAL REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Section
2 2504(3) of title 10, United States Code, is amend-
3 ed—

4 (A) in the matter preceding subparagraph
5 (A), by inserting “executive order or” after
6 “pursuant to”;

7 (B) by amending subparagraph (A) to read
8 as follows:

9 “(A) prioritized list of gaps or
10 vulnerabilities in the national technology and
11 industrial base, including—

12 “(i) a description of mitigation strate-
13 gies necessary to address such gaps or
14 vulnerabilities;

15 “(ii) the identification of the indi-
16 vidual responsible for addressing such gaps
17 or vulnerabilities; and

18 “(iii) a proposed timeline for action to
19 address gaps or vulnerabilities.”.

20 (1) ESTABLISHMENT OF CENTER FOR ACQUISITION
21 INNOVATION.—

22 (1) ESTABLISHMENT OF CENTER FOR ACQUISITION
23 INNOVATION.—

1 (A) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 97 of title 10,
2 United States Code, is amended by inserting
3 after section 1746 the following new section:

4 **“§ 1746a. Center for Acquisition Innovation**

5 “(a) ESTABLISHMENT.—The Secretary of Defense,
6 acting through the Under Secretary of Defense for Acqui-
7 sition and Sustainment, shall establish and maintain a
8 Center for Acquisition Innovation (hereinafter referred to
9 as the ‘Center’) at the Naval Postgraduate School. The
10 Center shall operate as an academic entity specializing in
11 innovation relating to the defense acquisition system.

12 “(b) MISSION.—(1) The mission of the Center is to
13 provide to policymakers in the Department of Defense,
14 Congress, and throughout the Government, academic anal-
15 yses and policy alternatives for innovation in the defense
16 acquisition system. The Center shall accomplish that mis-
17 sion by a variety of means intended to widely disseminate
18 the research findings of the Center.

19 “(2) In carrying out the mission under paragraph
20 (1), the Center shall, on an ongoing basis, review the stat-
21 utes and regulations applicable to the defense acquisition
22 system. The objective of such review is to provide policy
23 alternatives for streamlining and improving the efficiency
24 and effectiveness of the defense acquisition process in

1 order to ensure a defense technology advantage for the
2 United States over potential adversaries.

3 “(c) IMPLEMENTATION REVIEW OF SECTION 809
4 PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS AND CENTER POLICY ALTER-
5 NATIVES.—(1) The Center shall, on an ongoing basis, re-
6 view implementation of the recommendations of the Sec-
7 tion 809 Panel and policy alternatives provided by the
8 Center. As part of such review, the Center shall—

9 “(A) for recommendations or policy alternatives
10 for the enactment of legislation, identify whether (or
11 to what extent) the recommendations or policy alter-
12 natives have been adopted by being enacted into law
13 by Congress;

14 “(B) for recommendations or policy alternatives
15 for the issuance of regulations, identify whether (or
16 to what extent) the recommendations or policy alter-
17 natives have been adopted through issuance of new
18 agency or Government-wide regulations; and

19 “(C) for recommendations or policy alternatives
20 for revisions to policies and procedures in the execu-
21 tive branch, identify whether (or to what extent) the
22 recommendations or policy alternatives have been
23 adopted through issuance of an appropriate imple-
24 menting directive or other form of guidance.

1 “(2) In this subsection, the term ‘Section 809 Panel’
2 means the panel established by the Secretary of Defense
3 pursuant to section 809 of the National Defense Author-
4 ization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law 114–92),
5 as amended by section 863(d) of the National Defense Au-
6 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law 114–
7 328) and sections 803(c) and 883 of the National Defense
8 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018 (Public Law 115–
9 91).

10 “(d) FUNDING.—There shall be available for the Cen-
11 ter for any fiscal year from the Defense Acquisition Work-
12 force and Development Fund not less than the amount
13 of \$3,000,000 (in fiscal year 2019 constant dollars), in
14 addition to any other amount available for that fiscal year
15 for the Naval Postgraduate School.

16 “(e) ANNUAL REPORT.—(1) Not later than Sep-
17 tember 30 each year, the Center shall submit to the Sec-
18 retary of Defense, who shall forward to the Committees
19 on Armed Services of the Senate and House of Represent-
20 atives, a report describing the activities of the Center dur-
21 ing the previous year and providing the findings, analysis,
22 and policy alternatives of the Center relating to the de-
23 fense acquisition system.

1 “(2) Each such report shall be submitted in accord-
2 ance with paragraph (1) without further review within the
3 executive branch.

4 “(3) Each report under paragraph (1) shall include
5 the following:

6 “(A) Results of academic research and analysis.

7 “(B) Results of the implementation reviews
8 conducted pursuant to subsection (d).

9 “(C) Policy alternatives for such legislative and
10 executive branch action as the Center considers war-
11 ranted.

12 “(D) Specific implementation language for any
13 statutory changes recommended.

14 “(f) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term ‘defense
15 acquisition system’ has the meaning given that term in
16 section 2545(2) of this title.”.

17 (B) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of
18 sections at the beginning of such chapter is
19 amended by inserting after the item relating to
20 section 2165 the following new item:

 “1746a. Center for Acquisition Innovation.”.

21 (2) DEADLINE FOR IMPLEMENTATION.—The
22 Secretary of Defense shall establish the Center for
23 Acquisition Innovation under section 1746a of title
24 10, United States Code, as added by subsection (a),
25 not later than March 1, 2020. The first Director of

1 the Center shall be appointed not later than June 1,
2 2020, and the Center should be fully operational not
3 later than June 1, 2021.

4 (3) IMPLEMENTATION REPORT.—

5 (A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than January
6 1, 2021, the head of the Center of Acquisition
7 Innovation shall submit to the Secretary of De-
8 fense a report setting forth the organizational
9 plan for the Center for Acquisition Innovation,
10 the proposed budget for the Center, and the
11 timetable for initial and full operations of the
12 Center.

13 (B) TRANSMITTAL.—The Secretary of De-
14 fense shall transmit the report under paragraph
15 (1), together with whatever comments the Sec-
16 retary considers appropriate, to the Committee
17 on Armed Services of the Senate and the Com-
18 mittee on Armed Services of the House of Rep-
19 resentatives not later than February 1, 2021.

20 (4) RECORDS OF THE SECTION 809 PANEL.—

21 (A) TRANSFER AND MAINTENANCE OF
22 RECORDS.—Following termination of the Sec-
23 tion 809 Panel, the records of the panel shall
24 be transferred to, and shall be maintained by,
25 the Defense Technical Information Center.

1 Such transfer shall be accomplished not later
2 than August 1, 2019.

3 (B) STATUS OF RECORDS.—Working pa-
4 pers, records of interview, and any other draft
5 work products generated for any purpose by the
6 Section 809 Panel during its research are cov-
7 ered by the deliberative process privilege exemp-
8 tion under paragraph (5) of section 552(b) of
9 title 5, United States Code.

10 (C) DEFINITION.—In this section, the
11 term “Section 809 Panel” means the panel es-
12 tablished by the Secretary of Defense pursuant
13 to section 809 of the National Defense Author-
14 ization Act for Fiscal Year 2016 (Public Law
15 114–92), as amended by section 863(d) of the
16 National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal
17 Year 2017 (Public Law 114–328) and sections
18 803(c) and 883 of the National Defense Au-
19 thorization Act for Fiscal Year 2018 (Public
20 Law 115–91).



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MS. HOULAHAN OF PENNSYLVANIA

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

1 **SEC. 10** ____. **INDEPENDENT ASSESSMENT ON GENDER AND**
2 **COUNTERING VIOLENT EXTREMISM.**

3 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary of Defense shall
4 seek to enter into a contract with a nonprofit entity or
5 a federally funded research and development center inde-
6 pendent of the Department of Defense to conduct research
7 and analysis on the intersection of gender and violent ex-
8 tremism and terrorism.

9 (b) **ELEMENTS.**—The research and analysis con-
10 ducted under subsection (a) shall include research and
11 analysis of the following:

12 (1) The root and proximate causes of women's
13 participation in terrorist and violent extremist orga-
14 nizations.

15 (2) Ways for the Department of Defense to en-
16 gage women and girls who are vulnerable to extrem-
17 ist and terrorist behavior.

1 (3) Ways women and girls can assist the Armed
2 Forces and partner military organizations in identi-
3 fying individuals of concern.

4 (4) The intersection of violent extremism and
5 terrorism and the following:

6 (A) Gender-based violence.

7 (B) Women's empowerment at the house-
8 hold level, such as property and inheritance
9 rights, bride-price and dowry, and the level of
10 societal sanction for the killing or harming of
11 women.

12 (C) Adolescent girls' empowerment, such
13 as the level of early, child, and forced marriage,
14 and of girls' access to secondary education.

15 (5) Best practices for the Armed Forces to sup-
16 port women preventing and countering violent extre-
17 mism and terrorism.

18 (6) Any other matters the Secretary of Defense
19 determines to be appropriate.

20 (c) UTILIZATION.—The Secretary of Defense shall
21 utilize the results of the research conducted under sub-
22 section (a) to inform each geographic combatant com-
23 mand's strategy report and individual country strategy re-
24 ports, where appropriate.

25 (d) REPORTS.—

1 (1) REPORT TO SECRETARY.—Not later than
2 one year after the date of the enactment of this Act,
3 the nonprofit entity or federally funded research and
4 development center with which the Secretary of De-
5 fense enters into contract under subsection (a) shall
6 submit to the Secretary of Defense a report that
7 contains the assessment required by subsection (a).

8 (2) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than two
9 years after the date of the enactment of this Act, the
10 Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congres-
11 sional defense committees a report on the results of
12 research conducted under subsection (a).



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY Ms. SPEIER OF CALIFORNIA

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

1 **SEC. 8 . MODIFICATIONS TO COST OR PRICING DATA**
2 **FOR CERTAIN PROCUREMENTS.**

3 (a) **COST OR PRICING DATA FOR CERTAIN COMMER-**
4 **CIAL PRODUCTS.—**

5 (1) **IN GENERAL.—**Section 2306a(b)(4) of title
6 10, United States Code, is amended by adding at
7 the end the following new subparagraph:

8 “(D) If the head of contracting activity deter-
9 mines, based on market research, that a commercial
10 item will be solely procured by the Department of
11 Defense, the offeror of such commercial product
12 shall provide cost or pricing data to the contracting
13 officer pursuant to subsection (a).”.

14 (2) **CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—**Effective Jan-
15 uary 1, 2020, subparagraph (D) of section
16 2306a(b)(4) of title 10, United States Code, as
17 added by paragraph (1), is amended by striking
18 “commercial item” and inserting “commercial prod-
19 uct”.

1 (b) DATA OTHER THAN CERTIFIED COST OR PRIC-
2 ING DATA FOR SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT AWARDS.—

3 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 60 days after
4 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
5 of Defense shall revise the Defense Supplement to
6 the Federal Acquisition Regulation to require an of-
7 feror for a sole source contract, subcontract, or
8 modification of a sole source contract or subcontract,
9 to submit to the contracting officer data other than
10 certified cost or pricing data under section 2306a(d)
11 of title 10, United States Code, for purposes of de-
12 termining the reasonableness of the price of the con-
13 tract, subcontract, or modification of the contract or
14 subcontract.

15 (2) PENALTY.—With respect to an offeror that
16 fails to comply with the requirements established
17 under paragraph (1), the Secretary of Defense
18 may—

19 (A) suspend or debar such offeror; or

20 (B) include a notation on such offeror in
21 the system used by the Federal Government to
22 monitor or record contractor past performance.

23 (c) SHOULD-COST ANALYSIS FOR COMMERCIAL
24 PRODUCT PROCUREMENTS.—The Director of the Defense
25 Contract Management Agency shall identify which com-

1 commercial products (as defined in section 103 of title 41,
2 United States Code, as in effect on January 1, 2020)
3 should be analyzed under the should-cost review process
4 before the Secretary of Defense enters into a contract to
5 procure such a commercial product.

6 (d) GUIDELINES AND RESOURCES ON THE ACQUISSI-
7 TION OR LICENSING OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY.—Sec-
8 tion 2322 of title 10, United States Code, is amended by
9 adding at the end the following new subsection:

10 “(c) GUIDELINES AND RESOURCES.—

11 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Defense,
12 acting through the Under Secretary of Defense for
13 Acquisition and Sustainment, shall develop guide-
14 lines and resources on the acquisition or licensing of
15 intellectual property, including—

16 “(A) model forms for specially negotiated
17 licenses described under section 2320(f) (as ap-
18 propriate); and

19 “(B) an identification of definitions, key
20 terms, examples, and case studies that resolve
21 ambiguities in the differences between—

22 “(i) detailed manufacturing and proc-
23 ess data;

24 “(ii) form, fit, and function data; and

1 “(iii) data required for operations,
2 maintenance, installation, and training.

3 “(2) CONSULTATION.—In developing the guide-
4 lines and resources described in paragraph (1), the
5 Secretary shall regularly consult with appropriate
6 stakeholders, including large and small businesses,
7 traditional and non-traditional contractors (including
8 subcontractors), and maintenance repair organiza-
9 tions.”.



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500

OFFERED BY MR. CONAWAY OF TEXAS

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

1 **Subtitle _____ —Baltic Reassurance**
2 **Act**

3 **SEC. 12 1. FINDINGS.**

4 Congress finds the following:

5 (1) Russia seeks to diminish the North Atlantic
6 Treaty Organization (NATO) and recreate its sphere
7 of influence in Europe using coercion, intimidation,
8 and outright aggression.

9 (2) Deterring Russia from such aggression is
10 vital for transatlantic security.

11 (3) The illegal occupation of Crimea by Russia
12 and its continued engagement of destabilizing and
13 subversive activities against independent and free
14 states is of increasing concern.

15 (4) Russia also continues to disregard treaties,
16 international laws and rights to freedom of naviga-
17 tion, territorial integrity, and sovereign international
18 borders.

1 (5) Russia's continued occupation of Georgian
2 and Ukrainian territories and the sustained military
3 buildup in Russia's Western Military District and
4 Kaliningrad has threatened continental peace and
5 stability.

6 (6) The Baltic countries of Estonia, Latvia, and
7 Lithuania are particularly vulnerable to an increas-
8 ingly aggressive and subversive Russia.

9 (7) In a declaration to celebrate 100 years of
10 independence of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania
11 issued on April 3, 2018, the Trump Administration
12 reaffirmed United States commitments to these Bal-
13 tic countries to "improve military readiness and ca-
14 pabilities through sustained security assistance" and
15 "explore new ideas and opportunities, including air
16 defense, bilaterally and in NATO, to enhance deter-
17 rence across the region".

18 (8) These highly valued NATO allies of the
19 United States have repeatedly demonstrated their
20 commitment to advancing mutual interests as well
21 as those of the NATO alliance.

22 (9) The Baltic countries also continue to par-
23 ticipate in United States-led exercises to further pro-
24 mote coordination, cooperation, and interoperability
25 among allies and partner countries, and continue to

1 demonstrate their reliability and commitment to pro-
2 vide for their own defense.

3 (10) Lithuania, Latvia, and Estonia each hosts
4 a respected NATO Center of Excellence that pro-
5 vides expertise to educate and promote NATO allies
6 and partners in areas of vital interest to the alliance.

7 (11) United States support and commitment to
8 allies across Europe has been a lynchpin for peace
9 and security on the continent for over 70 years.

10 **SEC. 12 2. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

11 It is the sense of Congress as follows:

12 (1) The United States is committed to the secu-
13 rity of the Baltic countries and should strengthen
14 cooperation and support capacity-building initiatives
15 aimed at improving the defense and security of such
16 countries.

17 (2) The United States should lead a multilat-
18 eral effort to develop a strategy to deepen joint ca-
19 pabilities with Lithuania, Latvia, Estonia, NATO al-
20 lies, and other regional partners, to deter against ag-
21 gression from Russia in the Baltic region, specifi-
22 cally in areas that would strengthen interoperability,
23 joint capabilities, and military readiness necessary
24 for Baltic countries to strengthen their national re-
25 silience.

1 (3) The United States should explore the feasi-
2 bility of providing additional air and missile defense
3 systems in the Baltic region, including through
4 leveraging cost-sharing mechanisms and multilateral
5 deployment with NATO allies to reduce financial
6 burdens on host countries.

7 **SEC. 12_3. DEFENSE ASSESSMENT.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the
9 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense
10 and the Secretary of State shall jointly conduct a com-
11 prehensive, multilateral assessment of the military re-
12 quirements of such countries to deter and resist aggres-
13 sion by Russia that—

14 (1) provides an assessment of past and current
15 initiatives to improve the efficiency, effectiveness,
16 readiness and interoperability of Lithuania, Latvia,
17 and Estonia's national defense capabilities; and

18 (2) assesses the manner in which to meet those
19 objectives, including future resource requirements
20 and recommendations, by undertaking activities in
21 the following areas:

22 (A) Activities to increase the rotational
23 and forward presence, improve the capabilities,
24 and enhance the posture and response readiness

1 of the United States or forces of NATO in the
2 Baltic region.

3 (B) Activities to improve air defense sys-
4 tems, including modern air-surveillance capabili-
5 ties.

6 (C) Activities to improve counter-un-
7 manned aerial system capabilities.

8 (D) Activities to improve command and
9 control capabilities through increasing commu-
10 nications, technology, and intelligence capacity
11 and coordination, including secure and hard-
12 ened communications.

13 (E) Activities to improve intelligence, sur-
14 veillance, and reconnaissance capabilities.

15 (F) Activities to enhance maritime domain
16 awareness.

17 (G) Activities to improve military and de-
18 fense infrastructure, logistics, and access, par-
19 ticularly transport of military supplies and
20 equipment.

21 (H) Investments to ammunition stocks and
22 storage.

23 (I) Activities and training to enhance cyber
24 security and electronic warfare capabilities.

1 (J) Bilateral and multilateral training and
2 exercises.

3 (K) New and existing cost-sharing mecha-
4 nisms with United States and NATO allies to
5 reduce financial burden.

6 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 1 year after the date
7 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense and
8 the Secretary of State jointly shall submit to the appro-
9 priate congressional committees a report, which shall be
10 submitted in unclassified form but may include a classified
11 annex, that includes each of the following:

12 (1) A report on the findings of the assessment
13 conducted pursuant to subsection (a).

14 (2) A list of any recommendations resulting
15 from such assessment.

16 (3) An assessment of the resource requirements
17 to achieve the objectives described in subsection
18 (a)(1) with respect to the national defense capability
19 of Baltic countries, including potential investments
20 by host countries.

21 (4) A plan for the United States to use appro-
22 priate security cooperation authorities or other au-
23 thorities to—

24 (A) facilitate relevant recommendations in-
25 cluded in the list described in paragraph (2);

1 (B) expand joint training between the
2 Armed Forces and the military of Lithuania,
3 Latvia, or Estonia, including with the participa-
4 tion of other NATO allies; and

5 (C) support United States foreign military
6 sales and other equipment transfers to Baltic
7 countries especially for the activities described
8 in subparagraphs (A) through (I) of subsection
9 (a)(2).

10 **SEC. 12_4. APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES**

11 **DEFINED.**

12 In this subtitle, the term “appropriate congressional
13 committees” means—

14 (1) the Committee on Armed Services, the
15 Committee on Foreign Affairs, the Permanent Select
16 Committee on Intelligence, and the Committee on
17 Appropriations of the House of Representatives; and

18 (2) the Committee on Armed Services, the
19 Committee on Foreign Relations, the Select Com-
20 mittee on Intelligence, and the Committee on Appro-
21 priations of the Senate.



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500

OFFERED BY MR. TURNER OF OHIO

At the end of subtitle G of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12. SENSE OF CONGRESS ON ACQUISITION BY TUR-**
2 **KEY OF PATRIOT SYSTEM.**

3 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

4 (1) The Government of Turkey has indicated in
5 a communication to Congress that there remains an
6 opportunity to meet Turkey’s requirement for an air
7 and missile defense capability through the acqui-
8 sition of the Patriot system from the United States.

9 (2) The acquisition of the Patriot system could
10 remove the need to acquire the S-400 air and missile
11 defense system from Russia, which is incompatible
12 with the integrated air and missile defense system of
13 the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
14 and should preclude Turkey’s participation in the F-
15 35 Joint Strike Fighter (JSF) consortium program
16 with the United States.

17 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—Congress—

18 (1) supports the efforts of the United States
19 Government to achieve a satisfactory arrangement

1 with Turkey by which Turkey acquires the Patriot
2 system to defend its airspace, which would preserve
3 Turkey as a production partner in the F-35 JSF
4 consortium program;

5 (2) encourages the Department of Defense to
6 secure the deployment of a Patriot system to Tur-
7 key, under United States or NATO operational con-
8 trol, for the purpose of providing Turkey with an in-
9 terim capability to address urgent vulnerabilities in
10 Turkey's air and missile defense during the period
11 in which an agreement is reached for Turkey's ac-
12 quisition of the Patriot system; and

13 (3) notes that any such deployment of the Pa-
14 triot or a NATO interoperable system in the interim
15 is contingent on Turkey's commitment to cancel the
16 S-400 air and missile defense system acquisition.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500

OFFERED BY MR. KEATING OF MASSACHUSETTS

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

1 **SEC. 12 . INTEGRATION OF GENDER PERSPECTIVES AND**
2 **MEANINGFUL PARTICIPATION BY WOMEN IN**
3 **SECURITY COOPERATION AUTHORITIES.**

4 Section 333(c)(3) of title 10, United States Code, is
5 amended—

6 (1) in the heading, by inserting “THE INTEGRA-
7 TION OF GENDER PERSPECTIVES AND MEANINGFUL
8 PARTICIPATION BY WOMEN,” after “FUNDAMENTAL
9 FREEDOMS,”; and

10 (2) in the text, by inserting “the integration of
11 gender perspectives and meaningful participation by
12 women,” after “fundamental freedoms.”



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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. GALLAGHER OF WISCONSIN

At the end of subtitle E of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12. MODIFICATION OF ANNUAL REPORT ON MILI-**
2 **TARY AND SECURITY DEVELOPMENTS IN-**
3 **VOLVING THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF**
4 **CHINA.**

5 (a) ANNUAL REPORT.—Subsection (a) of section
6 1202 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal
7 Year 2000 (10 U.S.C. 113 note) is amended by inserting
8 “, in consultation with the heads of other Federal depart-
9 ments and agencies as appropriate,” after “the Secretary
10 of Defense”.

11 (b) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—Subsection (b) of
12 such section is amended by adding at the end the fol-
13 lowing:

14 “(29) Developments relating to the China Coast
15 Guard (in this paragraph referred to as the ‘CCG’),
16 including an assessment of—

17 “(A) how the change in the CCG’s com-
18 mand structure to report to China’s Central

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1 Military Commission affects the CCG's status
2 as a law enforcement entity;

3 “(B) the implications of the CCG's com-
4 mand structure with respect to the use of the
5 CCG as a coercive tool in ‘gray zone’ activity in
6 the East China Sea and the South China Sea;
7 and

8 “(C) how the change in the CCG's com-
9 mand structure may affect interactions between
10 the CCG and the United States Navy.”.

11 (c) SPECIFIED CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.—Sub-
12 section (c) of such section is amended—

13 (1) in paragraph (1), by striking “and the Com-
14 mittee on Foreign Relations” and inserting “, the
15 Committee on Foreign Relations, and the Select
16 Committee on Intelligence”; and

17 (2) in paragraph (2), by striking “and the Com-
18 mittee on International Relations” and inserting “,
19 the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and the Perma-
20 nent Select Committee on Intelligence”.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. VELA OF TEXAS

At the end of subtitle F of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 12 . SENSE OF CONGRESS ON SUPPORT FOR POLAND.**

2 (a) **FINDINGS.**—Congress makes the following find-
3 ings:

4 (1) Poland has been a valued member of the
5 North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) since
6 1999 and an important ally of the United States,
7 contributing to the collective defense of NATO allies
8 and deterrence in Europe.

9 (2) Poland has made significant contributions
10 of forces to United States and NATO-led military
11 operations in Afghanistan, Iraq, Kosovo, and coun-
12 tering the Islamic State in Iraq and Syria.

13 (3) Poland contributed at least 2 percent of its
14 gross domestic product to defense spending in 2018,
15 meeting its commitment under the Wales Declara-
16 tion.

17 (4) Poland currently hosts on a rotational basis
18 United States forces from the Armored Combat Bri-
19 gade Team, a Combat Aviation Brigade, a NATO

1 enhanced Forward Presence Battalion, and a U.S.
2 Aegis Ashore missile defense site.

3 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
4 gress that—

5 (1) the United States reaffirms its support for
6 the principle of collective defense in Article 5 of the
7 North Atlantic Treaty for its NATO allies, including
8 Poland;

9 (2) the United States appreciates the important
10 role that Poland plays in NATO efforts to sustain
11 credible deterrence in Europe;

12 (3) the United States supports continued de-
13 fense cooperation and continued exploration of op-
14 portunities for joint military cooperation, infrastruc-
15 ture enhancement, and defense investment with Po-
16 land; and

17 (4) the current and planned projects in Poland
18 funded by the European Deterrence Initiative should
19 be fully implemented in order to support existing
20 and future United States military activity.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. GALLEGO OF ARIZONA

In section 1263 (relating to limitation on availability of certain funds until report on Department of Defense missions, operations, and activities in Niger is submitted to Congress), strike “submits the report” and all that follows and insert “submits to the congressional defense committees a report that contains a description of each award and disciplinary action issued, by rank, as a result of the AR 15-6 investigation findings relating to the incident in Niger in 2017. The report shall be submitted in a format that protects personally identifiable information and is consistent with national security.”.

In the heading of section 1263, strike “**MISSIONS, OPERATIONS, AND ACTIVITIES IN NIGER**” and insert “**AWARDS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION AS A RESULT OF THE 2017 INCIDENT IN NIGER**”.



**Amendment to H.R. 2500
National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2020**

Offered by: Mr. Rogers of Alabama

In the appropriate place in the report to accompany H.R. 2500, insert the following new Directive Report Language:

DRL on Pacific Telecommunications Security

The committee notes the strong interest in securing U.S. telecommunications from foreign interference, especially in Asia and the Pacific. Therefore, the committee directs the Secretary of Defense to submit a report to the committee not later than December 31, 2019 on the Department's efforts to—

- (1) Identify any joint ventures, technology-sharing agreements, interconnection agreements, and other agreements with Huawei and subsidiaries, ZTE and subsidiaries, and other Chinese-owned companies and subsidiaries operating on U.S. territories in the Pacific; and
- (2) ensure that telecommunications services and telecommunications infrastructure contracts do not compromise operational security of U.S. military operations or telecommunications security on military installations.

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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500
OFFERED BY MR. TURNER OF OHIO

At the end of section 1254, add the following:

- 1 (7) Encouraging increased communication by
- 2 NATO officials, to raise awareness of the Alliance's
- 3 mission, efforts, and concerns achieved by actively
- 4 engaging with Congress and the executive branch.



AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2500

OFFERED BY MR. BROWN OF MARYLAND

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

1 **SEC. 8 __ . CONSIDERATION OF SUBCONTRACTING TO MI-**
2 **NORITY INSTITUTIONS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 141 of title 10, United
4 States Code, is amended by adding at the end the fol-
5 lowing new section:

6 **“§ 2410t. Consideration of subcontracting to minority**
7 **institutions**

8 “(a) CONSIDERATION OF SUBCONTRACTING TO MI-
9 NORITY INSTITUTIONS.—The Secretary of Defense shall
10 revise the Department of Defense Supplement to the Fed-
11 eral Acquisition Regulation to require that the system
12 used by the Federal Government to monitor or record con-
13 tractor past performance for a grant or contract awarded
14 to an institution of higher education includes incentives
15 for the award of a sub-grant or subcontract to minority
16 institutions.

17 “(b) MINORITY INSTITUTION DEFINED.—In this sec-
18 tion, the term ‘minority institution’ means—

1 “(1) a part B institution (as that term is de-
2 fined in section 322(2) of the Higher Education Act
3 of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1061(2)); or

4 “(2) any other institution of higher education
5 (as that term is defined in section 101 of such Act
6 (20 U.S.C. 1001)) at which not less than 50 percent
7 of the total student enrollment consists of students
8 from ethnic groups that are underrepresented in the
9 fields of science and engineering.”.

10 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections
11 at the beginning of such chapter is amended by adding
12 at the end the following new item:

“2410t. Consideration of subcontracting to minority institutions.”.

