AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7240
OFFERED BY MR. PERRY OF PENNSYLVANIA

At the end of the bill, add the following:

SEC. 3. REPORT.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report on the impact of lockdowns in response to COVID-19 on access to and quality of global basic education.

(b) CONTENTS.—The report required by subsection (a) shall include a description of the impact of global COVID-19-related lockdowns on—

(1) school attendance;
(2) school retention;
(3) school completion;
(4) learning loss and developmental delays; and
(5) literacy.

(c) PRIORITY.—The report required by subsection (a) shall prioritize the impact of lockdowns in response to COVID-19 on access to and quality of basic education in countries in which programs authorized by the Reinforcing Education Accountability in Development Act (division A
of Public Law 115–56; 22 U.S.C. 2151c note) have been implemented.

(d) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.—For the purposes of this section, the term “appropriate congressional committees” means: the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate.