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At the end of subtitle C of title VII, add the following new section:

SEC. 7. SURVEY ON EFFECTS OF COVID–19 MANDATE ON MATTERS RELATING TO RECRUITMENT AND REENLISTMENT.

(a) SURVEY.—Not later than 30 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense shall conduct an anonymous survey to determine the effects that the COVID–19 vaccine mandate issued by the Secretary on August 24, 2021, has had on recruitment to and reenlistment in the Armed Forces.

(b) MATTERS.—The survey under subsection (a) shall include an assessment of the following:

(1) Whether the announcement of the COVID–19 vaccine mandate encouraged the reenlistment, discouraged the reenlistment, or had any effect on the reenlistment, of members of the Armed Forces.

(2) Whether the announcement of the COVID–19 vaccine mandate encouraged individuals to join the Armed Forces, discouraged individuals to join
the Armed Forces, or had any other effect on recruitment efforts for the Armed Forces.

(c) PUBLICATION AND SUBMISSION TO CONGRESS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 240 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit to Congress the results of the survey under subsection (a) and publish such results on an internet website of the Department of Defense.

(2) PRIVACY CONSIDERATIONS.—In submitting and publishing the results of the survey under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall ensure that such results do not include any personally identifiable information of Armed Forces recruits, members of the Armed Forces, or any other individual surveyed under this section.