AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-19
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At the end of subtitle A of title VIII, add the following new section:

SEC. 8. CONTRACT GOAL FOR THE ABILITYONE PROGRAM.

(a) Contract Goal for the AbilityOne Program.—

(1) In general.—Chapter 137 of title 10, United States Code, is amended by inserting after section 2323a the following new section:

§ 2323b. Contract goal for the AbilityOne program

“(a) Goal.—If the AbilityOne Inspector General submits to the Secretary of Defense a notification described under subsection (b), the Secretary of Defense may establish a goal for each fiscal year for the procurement of products and services from the procurement list established pursuant to section 8503 of title 41 of an amount equal to not less than 1.5 percent of the total amount of funds obligated for contracts entered into with the Department of Defense in such fiscal year for procurement.
“(b) Notification.—The notification described in this subsection is a notification that states that the AbilityOne Inspector General has determined that, with respect to the recommendations described in the report titled ‘Panel on Department of Defense and AbilityOne Contracting Oversight, Accountability, and Integrity: 2018 First Annual Report to Congress’ issued on June 29, 2018—

“(A) the majority of such recommendations have been fully implemented; or

“(B) substantial progress has been made towards full implementation of the majority of such recommendations.

“(c) Annual Report.—Before the last day of each fiscal year beginning with fiscal year 2021, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (established under section 8502 of title 41) a report on the goal described under subsection (a) with respect to such fiscal year. The report shall include—

“(1) if a goal was not established, a description of the recommendations from subsection (b)(1) were not fully implemented or for which substantial progress was not made;
“(2) if a goal was set but not achieved, a plan to achieve the goal in the next fiscal year; and

“(3) if the goal set and was achieved, a strategy to exceed the goal in the next fiscal year.

“(d) ABILITYONE INSPECTOR GENERAL DEFINED.—

In this section, the term ‘AbilityOne Inspector General’ means the Inspector General for the Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled’.

(2) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sections at the beginning of such chapter is amended by inserting after the item relating to section 2323a the following new item:

“2323b. Contract goal for the AbilityOne program.”.

(b) APPLICABILITY.—This section and the amendments made by this section shall apply to contracts entered into on or after the date of the enactment of this Act.