

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-

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At the end of subtitle A of title VIII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 8__ . CONTRACT GOAL FOR THE ABILITYONE PRO-**
2 **GRAM.**

3 (a) CONTRACT GOAL FOR THE ABILITYONE PRO-
4 GRAM.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 137 of title 10,
6 United States Code, is amended by inserting after
7 section 2323a the following new section:

8 **“§ 2323b. Contract goal for the AbilityOne program**

9 “(a) GOAL.—If the AbilityOne Inspector General
10 submits to the Secretary of Defense a notification de-
11 scribed under subsection (b), the Secretary of Defense
12 may establish a goal for each fiscal year for the procure-
13 ment of products and services from the procurement list
14 established pursuant to section 8503 of title 41 of an
15 amount equal to not less than 1.5 percent of the total
16 amount of funds obligated for contracts entered into with
17 the Department of Defense in such fiscal year for procure-
18 ment.

1 “(b) NOTIFICATION.—The notification described in
2 this subsection is a notification that states that the
3 AbilityOne Inspector General has determined that, with
4 respect to the recommendations described in the report ti-
5 tled ‘Panel on Department of Defense and AbilityOne
6 Contracting Oversight, Accountability, and Integrity:
7 2018 First Annual Report to Congress’ issued on June
8 29, 2018—

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

11 “(B) substantial progress has been made to-
12 wards full implementation of the majority of such
13 recommendations.

14 “(c) ANNUAL REPORT.—Before the last day of each
15 fiscal year beginning with fiscal year 2021, the Secretary
16 of Defense shall submit to the Committee for Purchase
17 From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (estab-
18 lished under section 8502 of title 41) a report on the goal
19 described under subsection (a) with respect to such fiscal
20 year. The report shall include—

21 “(1) if a goal was not established, a description
22 of the recommendations from subsection (b)(1) were
23 not fully implemented or for which substantial
24 progress was not made;

1 “(2) if a goal was set but not achieved, a plan
2 to achieve the goal in the next fiscal year; and

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

5 “(d) ABILITYONE INSPECTOR GENERAL DEFINED.—
6 In this section, the term ‘AbilityOne Inspector General’
7 means the Inspector General for the Committee for Pur-
8 chase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled”.

9 (2) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of sec-
10 tions at the beginning of such chapter is amended
11 by inserting after the item relating to section 2323a
12 the following new item:

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

13 (b) APPLICABILITY.—This section and the amend-
14 ments made by this section shall apply to contracts en-
15 tered into on or after the date of the enactment of this
16 Act.

