

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3746
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Add after division D the following:

1 **DIVISION E—RESUMPTION OF**
2 **BORDER WALL CONSTRUCTION**

3 **SEC. 501. RESUMPTION OF BORDER WALL CONSTRUCTION.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—

5 (1) IMMEDIATE RESUMPTION OF BORDER WALL
6 CONSTRUCTION.—Not later than seven days after
7 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
8 shall resume all activities related to the construction
9 of the border wall along the border between the
10 United States and Mexico that were underway or
11 being planned for prior to January 20, 2021.

12 (2) USE OF FUNDS.—To carry out this section,
13 the Secretary shall expend all unexpired funds ap-
14 propriated or explicitly obligated for the construction
15 of the border wall that were appropriated or obli-
16 gated, as the case may be, for use beginning on Oc-
17 tober 1, 2019.

18 (3) USE OF MATERIALS.—Any unused materials
19 purchased before the date of the enactment of this
20 Act for construction of the border wall may be used

1 for activities related to the construction of the bor-
2 der wall in accordance with paragraph (1).

3 (b) PLAN TO COMPLETE TACTICAL INFRASTRUC-
4 TURE AND TECHNOLOGY.—Not later than 90 days after
5 the date of the enactment of this Act and annually there-
6 after until construction of the border wall has been com-
7 pleted, the Secretary shall submit to the appropriate con-
8 gressional committees an implementation plan, including
9 annual benchmarks for the construction of 200 miles of
10 such wall and associated cost estimates for satisfying all
11 requirements of the construction of the border wall, in-
12 cluding installation and deployment of tactical infrastruc-
13 ture, technology, and other elements as identified by the
14 Department prior to January 20, 2021, through the ex-
15 penditure of funds appropriated or explicitly obligated, as
16 the case may be, for use, as well as any future funds ap-
17 propriated or otherwise made available by Congress.

18 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

19 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-
20 TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional com-
21 mittees” means the Committee on Homeland Secu-
22 rity and the Committee on Appropriations of the
23 House of Representatives and the Committee on
24 Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs and
25 the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate.

1 (2) TACTICAL INFRASTRUCTURE.—The term
2 “tactical infrastructure” includes boat ramps, access
3 gates, checkpoints, lighting, and roads associated
4 with a border wall.

5 (3) TECHNOLOGY.—The term “technology” in-
6 cludes border surveillance and detection technology,
7 including linear ground detection systems, associated
8 with a border wall.

