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Page 150, after line 5, insert the following new section:

SEC. 324. PROHIBITION ON PERFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES AND POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES IN MEALS READY-TO-EAT FOOD PACKAGING.

(a) Prohibition.—Not later than October 1, 2020, the Director of the Defense Logistics Agency shall ensure that any food contact substances that are used to assemble and package meals ready-to-eat (MREs) procured by the Defense Logistics Agency do not contain any perfluoroalkyl substances or polyfluoroalkyl substances.

(b) Definitions.—In this section:

(1) Perfluoroalkyl substance.—The term “perfluoroalkyl substance” means a man-made chemical of which all of the carbon atoms are fully fluorinated carbon atoms.

(2) Polyfluoroalkyl substance.—The term “polyfluoroalkyl substance” means a man-made chemical containing a mix of fully fluorinated carbon
atoms, partially fluorinated carbon atoms, and nonfluorinated carbon atoms.