

**AMENDMENT TO**  
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At the end of subtitle G of title XII, add the following:

1 **SEC. 127. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING JAPAN AND**  
2 **SMA REPORT DRAFT.**

3 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the Sense of Con-  
4 gress that—

5 (1) the United States greatly values its alliance  
6 with the Government of Japan, based on shared val-  
7 ues of democracy, the rule of law, a rules-based  
8 international order, and respect for human rights;

9 (2) the United States-Japan alliance has been  
10 the cornerstone of peace, stability, and security in  
11 the Indo-Pacific for more than seven decades;

12 (3) the United States and Japan are indispen-  
13 sable partners in addressing global challenges, in-  
14 cluding combating the proliferation of weapons of  
15 mass destruction, preventing piracy, assisting the  
16 victims of conflict and disaster worldwide, safe-  
17 guarding maritime security, and ensuring freedom of

1 navigation, commerce, and overflight in the Indo-Pa-  
2 cific region;

3 (4) the Democratic People's Republic of Ko-  
4 rea's (DPRK) nuclear, chemical, and biological  
5 weapons programs and ballistic missile programs  
6 pose a critical threat to the stability of the Indo-Pa-  
7 cific region and to the security of Japan;

8 (5) the People's Republic of China's use of mili-  
9 tary forces to challenge territory under Japan's ad-  
10 ministrative control violate international norms and  
11 thereby threaten regional stability.

12 (6) the United States reaffirms its commitment  
13 to Article V of the Treaty of Mutual Cooperation  
14 and Security between the United States of America  
15 and Japan, which applies to the Japanese-adminis-  
16 tered Senkaku Islands;

17 (7) United States forces forward-deployed in  
18 Japan, consisting of 54,000 United States forces,  
19 United States Seventh Fleet, the only forward-de-  
20 ployed United States aircraft carrier, and the United  
21 States Marine Corps' III Marine Expeditionary  
22 Force, are essential to sustaining United States na-  
23 tional security and regional peace and stability;

1           (8) the United States and Japan should con-  
2           tinue to deepen defense cooperation to enhance col-  
3           lective defense and regional security;

4           (9) Japan makes significant contributions to re-  
5           gional and global security, including contributions to  
6           regional Ballistic Missile Defense, conducting bilat-  
7           eral presence operations and mutual asset protection  
8           missions with United States forces, serving as a ca-  
9           pacity building contributor to United Nations peace-  
10          keeping operations, and providing critical support to  
11          United Nations Security Council Resolution enforce-  
12          ment operations against the DPRK's illicit weapons  
13          programs;

14          (10) the United States recognizes the substan-  
15          tial financial commitments of Japan to the mainte-  
16          nance of United States forces in Japan, including  
17          contributions of approximately \$2,000,000,000 an-  
18          nually under the Special Measures Agreement,  
19          \$187,000,000 annually under the Japan Facilities  
20          Improvement Program, \$12,100,000,000 for the  
21          Futenma Replacement Facility, and \$4,800,000,000  
22          for Marine Corps Air Station Iwakuni, that directly  
23          support operational readiness of United States  
24          forces in Japan and make Japan among the most

1 significant burden-sharing partners of the United  
2 States; and

3 (11) it is in the national security interest of the  
4 United States that the United States and Japan  
5 conclude a new Special Measures Agreement, nego-  
6 tiated based on the principles of mutual respect, eq-  
7 uity, and our shared national security interests,  
8 prior to the expiration of the current agreement.

9 (b) REPORT.—

10 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than January 1,  
11 2021, the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with  
12 the Secretary of State, shall provide a report on the  
13 costs most directly associated with the stationing of  
14 United States forces in Japan to the congressional  
15 defense committees, the House Committee on For-  
16 eign Affairs, and the Senate Committee on Foreign  
17 Relations. At a minimum, the report shall include—

18 (A) a description of each category of costs,  
19 including labor, utilities, training relocation,  
20 and any other categories the Secretary deter-  
21 mines to be appropriate, that are most directly  
22 associated with the stationing of United States  
23 forces in Japan;

24 (B) a detailed description of which costs  
25 most directly associated with the stationing of

1 United States forces in Japan are incurred in  
2 Japan and which such costs are incurred out-  
3 side of Japan;

4 (C) a detailed summary of contributions  
5 made by the Government of Japan that allay  
6 the costs to United States of stationing United  
7 States forces in Japan;

8 (D) the benefits to United States national  
9 security and regional security derived from the  
10 forward presence of United States Armed  
11 Forces in Japan;

12 (E) the impact to the national security of  
13 the United States, the security of Japan, and  
14 peace and stability in the Indo-Pacific region if  
15 a new Special Measures Agreement is not  
16 reached before March 31, 2021; and

17 (F) any other matters the Secretary deems  
18 appropriate to include.

19 (2) FORM.—The report shall be unclassified  
20 without any designation relating to dissemination  
21 control, but may include a classified annex.

