AMENDMENT

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At the end of subtitle D of title XVI, add the following new section:

SEC. 16. REPORT ON INTEGRATION OF NUCLEAR AND NON-NUCLEAR MILITARY PLANNING AND OPERATIONS.

(a) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, and quarterly thereafter, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees a report containing the following with respect to the period covered by the report:

(1) An assessment on any organizational efforts undertaken to integrate nuclear and non-nuclear military planning and operations.

(2) A cost estimate and number of human hours devoted to plan and execute operations that integrate nuclear and non-nuclear forces.

(3) An assessment of any plans, training exercises, and operations conducted that integrate nuclear and non-nuclear forces.
(4) An evaluation on the coordination of integration activities with allies facing nuclear threats that has occurred and what opportunities for additional allied burden sharing in the nuclear deterrence mission have been discovered.

(5) Such other information or updates as the Secretary considers appropriate.

(b) FORM.—The report under subsection (a) shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include a classified annex.