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At the end of subtitle C of title XII, add the following:

SEC. 12. REPORT ON STEPS AND PROTOCOLS RELATED
TO THE RESCUE, CARE, AND TREATMENT OF
CAPTIVES OF THE ISLAMIC STATE.

(a) Report Required.—Not later than 60 days
after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary
of Defense shall submit to the Congress a report con-
taining each of the following:

(1) A description of any steps the Department
of Defense is taking to ensure coordination between
the Armed Forces of the United States and local
forces in conducting military operations in regions
controlled by the Islamic State where religious or
minority groups are known or thought to be held
captive, in order to incorporate the rescue of such
captives as a secondary objective.

(2) A description of any protocols that will be
put in place by the Department of Defense, includ-
ing protocols developed in coordination with the Gov-
ernment of Iraq, for the care and treatment of reli-
gious or minority groups rescued from captivity under the Islamic State, including any protocol for relocating such groups of captives to safe locations.

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