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At the end of subtitle B of title XVII, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 17 ____ . MAPPING AND STRATEGY REQUIRED.**

2 (a) MAPPING.—The Secretary of Defense and the
3 Secretary of State shall jointly develop and maintain an
4 updated global mapping of strategic ports identified to be
5 of importance to the United States, because of a capability
6 to provide military, diplomatic, economic, or resource ex-
7 ploration superiority, and any efforts by the Government
8 of the People’s Republic of China (PRC) to build or buy
9 such ports.

10 (b) STRATEGY.—Not later than 180 days after the
11 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense
12 and the Secretary of State shall jointly submit to Congress
13 a strategy to counter the efforts by the PRC described
14 in subsection (a) and ensure that the strategic ports
15 mapped pursuant to such subsection are built, owned, con-
16 trolled, and managed by the United States or by govern-
17 ments friendly to the United States. Such strategy shall
18 also include the following—

1 (1) An identification of the commercial, mili-
2 tary, and dual-use capabilities of ports owned, con-
3 structed, or operated by Chinese entities.

4 (2) An identification of potential military capa-
5 bilities, including physical limitations and construc-
6 tion specifications such as berth, in number and
7 length, draft, deep-water level, availability of trans-
8 portation networks and fueling stations, and quay.

9 (3) An identification and analysis of ongoing
10 PRC port projects, suspended projects, and canceled
11 projects.

12 (4) An identification and analysis of non-PRC-
13 owned or -operated ports that use PRC-manufac-
14 tured, critical port infrastructure.

15 (5) An identification and analysis of non-PRC-
16 owned or -operated ports that have been the victims
17 of cyber attacks originating inside or by the direc-
18 tion of the PRC.

