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

1 SEC. __ REPORT.
   (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
   date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State,
   in consultation with the Secretary of Defense and the rel-
   evant Chiefs of Mission, shall submit a report, which may
   include a classified annex, to the appropriate congressional
   committees assessing the viability of the Accra Initiative,
   ECOWAS, and other regional initiatives to address wors-
   ening instability in the Sahel region, particularly in
   Burkina Faso and coastal West Africa region.
   (b) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report re-
   quired by subsection (a) should describe—
   (1) the extent to which Accra Initiative,
   ECOWAS, and other regional initiatives are fit for
   purpose and have buy-in from relevant foreign gov-
   ernments and populations, and the efforts by partici-
   pant states to build their own capacities to address
   insecurity, establish the necessary mechanisms and
   infrastructure for cross-border collaboration, and
maintain appropriate vetting procedures to ensure respect for human rights; and

(2) any other matters the Secretary deems appropriate.

(c) DEFINITION.—In this section, the term “appropriate congressional committees” means—

(1) the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives; and

(2) the Committee on Foreign Relations and the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate.