AMENDMENT TO
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At the end of subtitle E of title VI, insert the following:

SEC. 642. APPROVAL OF CERTAIN ACTIVITIES BY RETIRED
AND RESERVE MEMBERS OF THE UNIFORMED SERVICES.

(a) CLARIFICATION OF ACTIVITIES FOR WHICH APPROVAL REQUIRED.—Section 908 of title 37, United States Code, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)—

(A) in the matter preceding paragraph (1)—

(1)—

(i) by striking “subsection (b)” and inserting “subsections (b) and (c)”; and

(ii) by inserting “, accepting payment for speeches, travel, meals, lodging, or registration fees, or accepting a non-cash award,” after “that employment)”; and

(B) in paragraph (2), by striking “armed forces” and inserting “armed forces, except members serving on active duty under a call or
order to active duty for a period in excess of 30 days’;

(2) in the heading of subsection (b), by inserting “FOR EMPLOYMENT AND COMPENSATION” after “APPROVAL REQUIRED”;

(3) by redesignating subsections (c) and (d) as subsections (d) and (e), respectively; and

(4) by inserting after subsection (b) the following new subsection (c):

“(c) APPROVAL REQUIRED FOR CERTAIN PAYMENTS AND AWARDS.—A person described in subsection (a) may accept payment for speeches, travel, meals, lodging, or registration fees described in that subsection, or accept a non-cash award described in that subsection, only if the Secretary concerned approves the payment or award.”.

(b) ANNUAL REPORTS ON APPROVALS.—Subsection (d) of such section, as redesignated by subsection (a)(3) of this section, is amended—

(1) by inserting “(1)” before “Not later than”;

(2) in paragraph (1), as designated by paragraph (1) of this subsection, by inserting “, and each approval under subsection (c) for a payment or award described in subsection (a),” after “in subsection (a)”;

and
(3) by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

“(2) The report under paragraph (1) on an approval described in that paragraph with respect to an officer shall set forth the following:

“(A) The foreign government providing the employment or compensation or payment or award.

“(B) The duties, if any, to be performed in connection with the employment or compensation or payment or award.

“(C) The total amount of compensation, if any, or payment to be provided.”.

(c) CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.—

(1) SECTION HEADING.—The heading of such section is amended to read as follows:

“§ 908. Reserves and retired members: acceptance of employment, payments, and awards from foreign governments”.

(2) TABLE OF SECTIONS.—The table of sections at the beginning of chapter 17 of such title is amended by striking the item relating to section 908 and inserting the following new item:

“908. Reserves and retired members: acceptance of employment, payments, and awards from foreign governments.”.