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Add at the end of subtitle A of title XII the following:

SEC. 12lll. REPORT ON COORDINATION IN THE STATE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM.

The Secretary of Defense shall submit to Congress a report on the feasibility of coordinating with private entities and State governments to provide resources and personnel to support technical exchanges under the Department of Defense State Partnership Program established under section 341 of title 10, United States Code. The report shall include—

(1) an analysis of the gaps in implementation of the State Partnership Program that could be addressed in coordination with private entities or State governments;

(2) the types of personnel and expertise that could be helpful to partner country participants in the State Partnership Program; and
(3) barriers to leveraging such expertise from private entities and State governments, as applicable, and

(4) recommendations for modifications to statute or regulation to address removing such barriers.