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At the end of subtitle B of title XVIII, insert the following:

SEC. 18. DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS REPORT
ON COORDINATION, GOVERNANCE, AND DEPENDENCIES OF ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD SYSTEMS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Veterans Affairs shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report on the governance, dependencies, and activities of the Department of Defense that affect the electronic health record systems and related systems of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

(b) ELEMENTS.—The report required under subsection (a) shall include each of the following:

(1) A description of any current support, collaboration, and coordination activity between the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense pertaining to the electronic health record

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systems and related systems of the Department of Veterans Affairs and the Department of Defense.

(2) A description of any governance body, policy, or activity of the Department of Defense for electronic health record systems and other information technology systems, services, networks, and infrastructure with which the Department of Veterans Affairs has an operational dependency or that otherwise affects the Department of Veterans Affairs.

(3) An analysis of the information technology systems, services, networks, and infrastructure of the Department of Defense that the Secretary of Veterans Affairs believes need modernization, enhancement, replacement, or cybersecurity improvement so as to improve service delivery or operations of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

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

(1) the Committee on Armed Services and the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs of the Senate; and

(2) the Committee on Armed Services and the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs of the House of Representatives.