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Add at the end of subtitle A of title XVII of division A the following:

1 SECTION 1703. PROHIBITION.

- 2 (a) In General.—The Administrator of the Na-
- 3 tional Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration may not
- 4 reduce funding for Administration satellite systems and
- 5 hydrographic survey programs that support military and
- 6 maritime navigation, surveillance, and mission planning.
- 7 (b) Report.—The Administrator of the National
- 8 Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and the Sec-
- 9 retary of Defense shall jointly submit to Congress a report
- 10 on how staffing changes in any of the programs referred
- 11 to in subsection (a) may impair Navy or Coast Guard
- 12 readiness or operational safety.

