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At the end of subtitle D of title XVI, insert the following:

SEC. 16. CLARIFICATION OF APPLICABILITY OF OTHER LAW WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN ACTIVITIES RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFT CONDUCTED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES FOR PROTECTION OF OVERSEAS FACILITIES AND ASSETS.

Chapter 3 of title 10, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the following new section:

“SEC. 130j. APPLICABILITY OF OTHER LAW WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN ACTIVITIES RELATING TO UNMANNED AIRCRAFT CONDUCTED OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES.

“Sections 32, 1030, and 1367 of title 18 and section 46502 of title 49 may not be construed to apply to activities of the Department of Defense or the Coast Guard that—

“(1) are conducted outside the United States; and

“(2) involve the use of unmanned aircraft systems solely for the purposes of national security or law enforcement;
“(2) are related to the mitigation of threats from unmanned aircraft systems or unmanned aircraft.”.