

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 6395, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. PHILLIPS OF MINNESOTA**

At the appropriate place in title XII, insert the following:

1 SEC. 12 ____ . RESUMPTION OF PEACE CORPS OPERATIONS.

2 Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment
3 of this Act, the Director of the Peace Corps shall submit
4 to the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate and
5 the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Rep-
6 resentatives a report that describes the efforts of the
7 Peace Corps to—

8 (1) offer a return to service to each Peace
9 Corps volunteer and trainee whose service ended on
10 March 15, 2020 (or earlier, in the case of volunteers
11 who were serving China and Mongolia), due to the
12 COVID–19 public health emergency;

13 (2) obtain approval from countries, as is safe
14 and appropriate, to return volunteers and trainees to
15 countries of service, predicated on the ability for vol-
16 unteers and trainees to return safely and legally;

17 (3) provide adequate measures necessary for
18 the safety and health of volunteers and trainees and

1 develop contingency plans in the event overseas oper-
2 ations are disrupted by future COVID–19 outbreaks;
3 (4) develop and maintain a robust volunteer co-
4 hort; and
5 (5) identify the need for anticipated additional
6 appropriations or new statutory authorities and
7 changes in global conditions that would be necessary
8 to achieve the goal of safely enrolling 7,300 Peace
9 Corps volunteers during the one-year period begin-
10 ning on the date on which Peace Corps operations
11 resume.

