

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1540, AS REPORTED**  
**OFFERED BY MS. HANABUSA OF HAWAII**

Page 507, after line 2, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 1078. REPORT ON CERTAIN UNNECESSARY OR UN-**  
2 **WANTED DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PRO-**  
3 **GRAMS.**

4 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following find-  
5 ings:

6 (1) On March 31, 2011, Secretary of Defense  
7 Gates testified before the Armed Services Committee  
8 of the House of Representatives that the initial cost  
9 of United States operations in Libya was approxi-  
10 mately \$550,000,000 and was estimated to cost an  
11 additional \$40,000,000 a month after that.

12 (2) Secretary Gates testified that he was un-  
13 aware of what the total cost of United States assist-  
14 ance to Japan would be in the aftermath of the  
15 earthquake, tsunami, and Fukushima Daiichi inci-  
16 dent, but indicated it would be less than  
17 \$500,000,000.

18 (3) Secretary Gates testified that the Depart-  
19 ment of Defense would not need to ask for more  
20 money to cover these costs within the Overseas Con-

1           tingency Operations accounts because “There’s sev-  
2           eral billion dollars in there we can move  
3           around. . .that would cover these costs. . .things  
4           that we don’t need or want.”.

5           (b) DETERMINATION.—Not later than 30 days after  
6 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of  
7 Defense shall determine and make publically available the  
8 programs funded through the Overseas Contingency Oper-  
9 ations accounts during the five-year period preceding the  
10 date of the enactment of this Act that are unnecessary  
11 or unwanted.

12          (c) REPORT.—Not later than 120 days after the date  
13 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense  
14 shall submit to the Committees on Armed Services of the  
15 Senate and House of Representative a report that contains  
16 the results of the determination required by subsection  
17 (b). Such report shall include—

18               (1) a description of each program that the Sec-  
19               retary determines is unnecessary or unwanted;

20               (2) a description of the amount authorized to  
21               be appropriated and the amount authorized to be  
22               appropriated for each fiscal year for each program  
23               described under paragraph (1); and

1           (3) any other information the Secretary con-  
2           siders relevant.

