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Strike section 1601 and insert the following new section:

SEC. 1601. REPORT ON ESTABLISHMENT OF SPACE CORPS.

(a) INTERIM REPORT.—Not later than March 1, 2018, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees an interim report on whether there is a strategic need to establish a Space Corps as part of the Air Force. Such report shall include—

(1) proposed organizational and management structures of such a Space Corps; and

(2) recommendations for proposed sharing of functions between the Air Force and such a Space Corps.

(b) FINAL REPORT.—Not later than August 1, 2018, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the congressional defense committees a final report on the potential establishment of a Space Corps that includes any updates to the interim report under subsection (a) the Secretary determines appropriate.