AMENDMENT TO

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At the end of subtitle C of title XII, add the following new section:

1 SEC. 12____. REPORT ON EFFECTIVENESS OF CERTAIN [DE 2 FENSE PRODUCTS] USED DURING UKRAINE 3 RUSSIA CONFLICT.

4 (a) Report.—

5 (1) SUBMISSION.—Not later than May 1, 2024, the Secretary of Defense, acting through the Under 6 7 Secretary of Defense for Intelligence and Security. in coordination with the Director of the Defense In-8 9 telligence Agency, the Assistant Secretary of De-10 fense for International Security Affairs, and the 11 Commander of the United States European Com-12 mand, and in consultation with the Secretary of 13 State and the Director of National Intelligence, shall 14 submit to the appropriate congressional committees 15 a report on the use and effectiveness of covered in-16 formation authorized and provided by the United 17 States Government to the Government of Ukraine $\mathbf{2}$

1	and the governments of others countries in Europe
2	in connection with the Ukraine-Russia conflict.
3	(2) MATTERS.—The report under paragraph
4	(1) shall address, in particular, the use and effec-
5	tiveness of written and graphical covered informa-
6	tion authorized and provided by the United States
7	Government, in both classified and unclassified form,
8	to the foreign governments referred to in such para-
9	graph and shall include, at a minimum, the fol-
10	lowing:
11	(A) An assessment of the effects of the
12	covered information so provided since Sep-
13	tember 2021 on the defense objectives of the
14	United States with respect to the Ukraine-Rus-
15	sia conflict.
16	(B) An assessment of—
17	(i) whether the use by such foreign
18	governments of covered information so pro-
19	vided resulted in any improved inter-
20	national relations or new bilateral or multi-
21	lateral programs; and
22	(ii) the effects on the level of support
23	by the United States Government for the
24	decisionmaking of the Government of
25	Ukraine as a result of having provided cov-

ered information relevant to such decision making.

3 (C) An assessment of best practices, since 4 2021, regarding the dissemination of covered information by the United States Government 5 6 to foreign governments referred to in paragraph 7 (1) over the course of the Ukraine-Russia con-8 flict, and plans and recommendations by the 9 Secretary of Defense regarding the future pro-10 vision of covered information to the Government 11 of Ukraine in connection with the Ukraine-Rus-12 sia conflict, and how such best practices may be 13 applied to future crises.

14 (D) An assessment of the internal proc-15 esses and procedures of the Department of De-16 fense governing such dissemination, the specific 17 types of materials so disseminated, and how, if 18 at all, such processes, procedures, and types 19 changed over the course of the Ukraine-Russia 20 conflict to meet the foreign policy objectives of 21 the United States.

(E) An assessment of the applicability of such processes, procedures, and types of covered information to be used by combatant commands other than the United States European

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1 Command, and any recommendations by the 2 Secretary to support the development of a re-3 peatable, secure, and appropriately expeditious 4 process for similar dissemination efforts during 5 peacetime, in the lead-up to a conflict, and in 6 the immediate stages of a future conflict in Eu-7 rope or in the areas of responsibility of such 8 other combatant commands. 9 (3) FORM.—The form of the report under para-10 graph (1) may be in classified form. 11 (b) BRIEFINGS.— 12 (1) REQUIRED BRIEFING.—Not later than June 13 1, 2024, the Secretary of Defense shall provide to 14 the Committees on Armed Services of the House of 15 Representatives and the Senate a briefing on the 16 matters covered by the report. 17 (2) UPON REQUEST BRIEFINGS.—Upon the re-18 quest of any appropriate congressional committee 19 other than a committee specified in paragraph (1),

the Secretary of Defense shall provide to that committee a briefing on the matters covered by the report.

23 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

24 (1) The term "appropriate congressional com25 mittees" means—

1	(A) the Committee on Armed Services, the
2	Committee on Foreign Affairs, and the Perma-
3	nent Select Committee on Intelligence of the
4	House of Representatives; and
5	(B) the Committee on Armed Services, the
6	Committee on Foreign Relations, and the Select
7	Committee on Intelligence of the Senate.
8	(2) The term "covered information" means in-
9	telligence information or other information related to
10	supporting overall objectives of the United States in
11	Ukraine.

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