

AMENDMENT TO
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At the end of subtitle D of title III, add the following new section:

1 **SEC. 3** ____. **REPORT ON CERTAIN WATER AND WASTEWATER**
2 **INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS AT MILITARY IN-**
3 **STALLATIONS.**

4 (a) **REPORT.**—Not later than 180 days after the date
5 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense
6 shall submit to the congressional defense committees a re-
7 port identifying any water and wastewater infrastructure
8 system—

9 (1) that is located at a military installation;

10 (2) the age of which exceeds 60 years;

11 (3) that the Secretary determines requires sub-
12 stantial deferred maintenance, or replacement, to
13 maintain compliance with applicable environmental
14 or public health requirements; and

15 (4) the failure of which the Secretary deter-
16 mines—

1 (A) presents a significant risk to installa-
2 tion readiness, force health protection, con-
3 tinuity of operations, or mission execution; and

4 (B) would result in significant contingency
5 operating costs.

6 (b) MATTERS.—The report under subsection (a) shall
7 include the following:

8 (1) For each system identified pursuant to such
9 report, the following information:

10 (A) The age and condition of the system.

11 (B) The estimated cost to maintain, re-
12 store, modernize, or replace the system.

13 (C) The estimated contingency operating
14 costs associated with the failure of the system.

15 (D) An assessment of the effect such fail-
16 ure would have with respect to installation
17 readiness, force health protection, continuity of
18 operations, and mission execution.

19 (E) An assessment of the effect such fail-
20 ure would have with respect to members of the
21 Armed Forces, military families, and quality of
22 life at the military installation, including such
23 effects on access to safe drinking water, sanita-
24 tion, housing, healthcare, and other essential
25 services.

1 (2) A prioritized ranking across the systems so
2 identified, based on an assessment of the lifecycle
3 condition of such systems, the operational risks, and
4 effects on installation readiness, that would result
5 from the failure of such systems, and the compliance
6 requirements specified in subsection (a)(3) applica-
7 ble to such systems.

8 (3) Recommendations for addressing, through
9 maintenance, restoration, modernization, or replace-
10 ment activities, the systems ranked as the highest
11 priority pursuant to paragraph (2).

