

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2, AS REPORTED  
OFFERED BY MR. WENSTRUP OF OHIO**

At the end of subtitle F of title XI, insert the following:

**1 SEC. 11613. REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH MEMORANDUM.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the  
3 date of enactment of this section, the Secretary of Agri-  
4 culture shall submit a report to Congress on the Secretary  
5 of Agriculture’s compliance with the Office of Manage-  
6 ment and Budget memorandum entitled “Comprehensive  
7 Plan for Reforming the Federal Government and Reduc-  
8 ing the Federal Civilian Workforce” and dated April 12,  
9 2017.

10 (b) CONTENTS.—The report described in subsection  
11 (a) shall include—

12 (1) a description of actions taken by the Sec-  
13 retary of Agriculture prior to the date of enactment  
14 of this section, to comply with the provisions of the  
15 memorandum relating to civil service reform; and

16 (2) any recommendations of additional author-  
17 ity that would allow the Secretary of Agriculture to  
18 increase compliance with the memorandum, includ-  
19 ing an analysis of whether authority similar to the

1 authority granted to the Secretary of Veterans Af-  
2 fairs under section 714 of title 38, United States  
3 Code, would allow the Secretary of Agriculture to in-  
4 crease compliance.

