



AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: To require a report on the impact that the proposed Air Force divestiture in the United States Weather Research and Forecasting Model will have on civilian forecasts, and for other purposes.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—114th Cong., 1st Sess.**

**S. 1331**

To help enhance commerce through improved seasonal forecasts, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and ordered to be printed

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Ms. CANTWELL

Viz:

- 1 At the appropriate place, insert the following:
- 2 **SEC. \_\_\_\_ . DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE WEATHER FORE-**
- 3 **CASTING ACTIVITIES.**

4 Not later than 60 days after the date of enactment  
5 of this Act, the Administrator of the National Oceanic and  
6 Atmospheric Administration shall submit to the Com-  
7 mittee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation of the  
8 Senate and the Committee on Transportation and Infra-  
9 structure of the House of Representatives a report ana-  
10 lyzing the impacts of the proposed Air Force divestiture

1 in the United States Weather Research and Forecasting

2 Model, including—

3 (a) the impact on—

4 (1) the United States weather forecasting capa-  
5 bilities;

6 (2) the accuracy of civilian regional forecasts;

7 (3) the civilian readiness for traditional weather  
8 and extreme weather events in the United States;  
9 and

10 (4) the research necessary to develop the  
11 United States Weather Research and Forecasting  
12 Model; and

13 (b) such other analysis relating to the divestiture as  
14 the Administrator considers appropriate.