

**ITAPS FY15 NDAA Amendments of Interest**  
**H.R. 4435**

Amendment Number	Sponsor(s)	Title	Description
<b>Procurement Amendments</b>			
<a href="#"><u>036</u></a>	Rep. Speier, Jackie (D-CA)	Judicial Review of Merit Systems Protection Board Decisions Relating to Whistleblowers	Extend the protections of the Whistleblower Protection Enhancement Act of 2012 from two years to five years.
<a href="#"><u>213</u></a>	Rep. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. (D-GU)	Prohibition on Conversion of Functions Performed by Civilian or Contractor Personnel to Performance by Military Personnel	Allow the Defense Department to continue conversions of contract positions to military positions if proven effective, and provide for processes if certain position conversions are shown to be not effective.
<a href="#"><u>155r1</u></a>	Rep. Hanabusa, Colleen (D-HI), and Rep. Bishop, Rob (R-UT)	Extension of Limitation on Aggregate Annual Amount Available for Contract Services	Extend a cap on civilian and contract workforce spending.
<a href="#"><u>64</u></a>	Rep. Shea-Porter, Carol (D-NH)	Assignment of Certain New Requirements Based on Determinations of Cost-Efficiency	Require the assignments of performance of a new requirement by the Defense Department to military personnel, civilians and contractors to be based upon a determination of cost-efficiencies.
<a href="#"><u>16</u></a>	Rep. Wilson, Joe (R-SC)	Amendment Relating to Authority of the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency to Carry Out Certain Prototype Projects	Amends the authority of Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency to use other transactions authority for contracting.
<a href="#"><u>59</u></a>	Rep. Cook, Paul (R-CA)	Geospatial Intelligence for Disadvantaged Users	Clarifies the subject matter of the required briefing by the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency regarding combat forces operating in disadvantaged environments to specify the impact of currently available software tools.

<a href="#">107</a>	Rep. Lamborn, Doug (R-CO)	Certification of Effectiveness for Air Force Information Technology Contracting	Directs the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to conduct a review of the Air Force Network Centric Solutions II contract to evaluate its ability to meet joint force IT needs.
<a href="#">219</a>	Rep. Carson, Andre (D-IN)	Revision of Requirement for Acquisition Programs to Maintain Defense Research Facility Records	Removes the requirement in 10 USC 2364 for the Secretary of Defense to make part of the record of an acquisition program any technological report issued by a Defense research facility related to that program.
<a href="#">42</a>	Rep. Loeb sack, David (D-IA)	Requirement for Policies and Standard Checklist in Procurement of Services	Directs the Defense Secretary to issue a standard checklist to be completed before the issuance of a solicitation for any new contract or exercising an option under an existing contract. The checklist should follow the current Army model used for the same reason.
<a href="#">048r1</a>	Rep. Bridenstine, Jim (R-OK)	Management of Defense Information Technology Systems	Make funds available for the Defense Department information technology system program. Require the Defense Secretary to develop enterprise architecture and delegate responsibility for information technology enterprise architecture. Require the Defense Secretary to submit a budget to Congress that supports information technology spending.
<a href="#">071</a>	Rep. Sanchez, Loretta (D-CA)	Prohibition of Funds for Contracts Violating Executive Order No 11246.	Mandate that none of the funds made available to the Defense Department be used to enter into any contract that would violate executive order number 11246 relating to non-retaliation for disclosure of compensation information.
<a href="#">128</a>	Rep. Lamborn, Doug (R-CO)	Report on Contractors with the Department of Defense That Have Conducted Significant Transactions with Iranian Persons or the Government of Iran	Requires the Secretary of Defense to provide a report on DOD contractors that have conducted significant transactions with Iranian persons or the government of Iran.
<a href="#">156r1</a>	Rep. Hanabusa, Colleen W. (D-HI)	Notification of Compliance with Section Relating to Procurement of Services	Requires the Secretary of Defense to ensure compliance with existing law regarding required data collection related to each purchase of services.
<a href="#">041r1</a>	Rep. Speier, Jackie (D-CA)	Compliance with Requirements for Senior Department of Defense Officials Seeking Employment with Defense Contractors	Requires the DOD to appoint someone to be responsible for insuring compliance with post-employment ethics training guidelines and documentation and report back to congressional defense committees in 180 days.

<a href="#">220</a>	Rep. Carson, Andre (D-IN)	Briefing on impact of Foreign Military Sales and Direct Commercial Sales on industrial base sustainment	Require the Defense Secretary to brief congressional defense committees on the levels of Foreign Military Sales (FMS) and Direct Commercial Sales (DCS) factored into sustainment plans for the private defense industrial base.
<a href="#">221r1</a>	Rep. Carson, Andre (D-IN)	Report on the Impact of the Budget Control Act on High Risk Sectors of the Defense Industrial Base	Directs the Secretary of Defense to include an analysis of the impact of the Budget Control Act on high risk sectors of the industrial baseline the annual report mandated by 10 USC 2505.
<a href="#">260</a>	Rep. Rigell, E. Scott (R-VA)	Acquisitions Involving Reverse Auctions	Order the Department of Defense to ensure procurement personnel understand the benefits, risks and appropriate applications of reverse auction procedures. On page 329 of the Full Committee Mark (Acquisitions Involving Reserve Auctions) to include language regarding Lowest Price Technically Acceptable contracting methodology.
<a href="#">49</a>	Rep. Bridenstine, Jim (R-OK)	Funding Table Amendment	Increase the funds available for National Guard state partnership program activities and decrease funds for defense media activity.
<b>Administrative Amendments</b>			
<a href="#">252</a>	Rep. McKeon, Howard P. "Buck" (R-CA)	Amendments Relating to Organization and Management of the Office of the Secretary of Defense	Incorporates a DOD legislative proposal to make several amendments to title 10, U.S. Code, relating to organization and management of the Office of the Secretary of Defense.
<a href="#">258</a>	Rep. Thornberry, Mac (R-TX)	Periodic Review of Department of Defense Management Headquarters	Order the Defense Secretary to develop a plan for implementing a periodic review and analysis of personnel requirements for management headquarters.
<a href="#">229</a>	Rep. Thornberry, Mac (R-TX)	Defense Audit Advisory Panel on Department of Defense Auditability	Require the Defense Department to establish an advisory panel on audit readiness and lay out duties.

<a href="#">256</a>	Rep. McKeon, Howard P. "Buck" (R-CA), and Rep. Smith, Adam (D-WA)	Reform of Quadrennial Defense Review	Require the Defense Secretary to submit a quadrennial national security threats report to congressional defense committees that outlines threats and trends that could affect security interests. Outline the offices and responsibilities of contributors to the report.
<b>Cybersecurity Amendments:</b>			
<a href="#">174</a>	Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi (D-HI)	Plan for Improving Cyber Situational Awareness	Direct the commander of the U.S. Cyber Command to provide a plan for improving cyber situational awareness tools to the Congressional defense committees by March 1, 2015.