

1    **AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY MS. SHAHEEN**

2       At the appropriate place in section 7083, insert the following:

3       ( ) Office of Policy Planning.— None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available  
4    by this Act may be used to increase the number of personnel in the Office of Policy Planning,  
5    Department of State, above the number of personnel in such office on September 30, 2017, until  
6    the hiring freeze imposed on the Department of State has been lifted.