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AMENDMENT TO H.R. 6003, AS REPORTED OFFERED BY MR. LYNCH OF MASSACHUSETTS

In title II, add at the end the following new section (and amend the table of contents accordingly):

1	SEC. 225. AMTRAK INSPECTOR GENERAL SECURITY TRAIN-
2	ING REVIEW.
3	The Amtrak Inspector General shall conduct a review
4	regarding the current state of security training being pro-
5	vided to frontline Amtrak employees, including Amtrak se-
6	curity personnel, dispatchers, locomotive engineers, con-
. 7	ductors, trainmen, and any other employees that the Am-
8	trak Inspector General determines should be considered
9	as frontline Amtrak employees. The review conducted by
10	the Amtrak Inspector General shall specifically include an
11	examination of the extent to which frontline Amtrak em-
12	ployees are currently receiving training regarding the fol-
13	lowing:
14	(1) A determination of the seriousness of any
15	occurrence or threat.
16	(2) Crew and passenger communication and co-
17	ordination.
18	(3) Emergency evacuation procedures for Am-
19	trak passengers and employees.

1	(4) Hazardous material recognition, storage,
2	transport, and monitoring.
3	(5) Operation and maintenance of security
4	equipment and systems.
5	(6) Appropriate responses to defend or protect
6	oneself.
7	(7) The use of protective equipment.
8	(8) Terrorist psychology, behavior, and meth-
. 9	ods.
10	(9) Live situational exercises concerning various
11	emergency scenarios, including terrorist attacks, nat-
12	ural disasters, and hazardous material explosions.
13	(10) Unauthorized rail yard and locomotive cab
14	access.
15	(11) Any other area the Amtrak Inspector Gen-
16	eral considers appropriate.
17	Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment of this
18	Act, the Amtrak Inspector General shall transmit a report
19	containing the results of the review conducted under this
20	section to the Committees on Transportation and Infra-
21	structure and Homeland Security of the House of Rep-
22	resentatives and the Committees on Commerce, Science,
23	and Transportation and Homeland Security and Govern-
24	mental Affairs of the Senate. The report shall also include
25	any recommendations that the Amtrak Inspector General

- 1 may have regarding improvements to the security training
- 2 currently received by frontline Amtrak employees that
- 3 could be immediately implemented as Amtrak awaits the
- 4 issuance of the security training regulations for frontline
- 5 railroad employees by the Department of Homeland Secu-
- 6 rity mandated by section 1517(a) of the Implementing
- 7 Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act of 2007 (6
- 8 U.S.C. 1167(a)).