

1 Joint Chiefs of Staff and with the commanders of the unified
2 and specified commands) shall—”;

3 (B) by striking out “and” at the end of paragraph
4 (7);

5 (C) by redesignating paragraph (8) as paragraph
6 (9); and

7 (D) by inserting after paragraph (7) the following
8 new paragraph (8):

9 “(8) submit program recommendations and budget
10 proposals to the Secretary during each budget cycle
11 based on—

12 “(A) guidance provided by the Secretary;

13 “(B) program and budget proposals submit-
14 ted by the commanders of the unified and speci-
15 fied combatant commands; and

16 “(C) recommendations (as appropriate) sub-
17 mitted by the military departments and other
18 components of the Department of Defense; and”.

19 (b) CHAIRMAN TO FORWARD JCS ADVICE.—Section
20 142(b)(3) of such title is amended by striking out “of those
21 issues upon which the Joint Chiefs of Staff have not agreed”
22 and inserting in lieu thereof “of the military advice of the
23 Joint Chiefs of Staff as a body on those matters with respect
24 to which such advice is requested by the President or the
25 Secretary of Defense (including advice on those matters on