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A BILL

To amend title 10, United States Code, to strengthen the
position of Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, to provide
for more efficient and effective operation of the Armed
Forces, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the "Joint Chiefs of Staff Re-
5 organization Act of 1985".

6 **SEC. 2. CHAIRMAN OF JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF TO BE PRINCIPAL**
7 **MILITARY ADVISER.**

8 (a) **ROLE OF CHAIRMAN AS HEAD OF JCS AND PRIN-**
9 **CIPAL MILITARY ADVISER.**—(1) Subsections (a) and (b) of
10 section 141 of title 10, United States Code, are amended to
11 read as follows:

12 "(a) There are in the Department of Defense the Joint
13 Chiefs of Staff, headed by the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs
14 of Staff. In addition to the Chairman, the Joint Chiefs of
15 Staff consist of the following: