

Mr Hayter

The Byrd amendment requires specific mention. I think you should work in something like this towards the end (regarding the senate amendments).

"The Byrd amendment, ~~is~~ viz. the insertion of the last sentence of Section 3(a)(2), was allowed to pass without proper consideration by the administration leaders in the Senate, and came nearer to upsetting the Gov't's plans than any other amendment. It had been intended that all defence articles procured should form one pool, out of which the President would, at his <sup>sole</sup> discretion, make allocations to the U.S. or to the U.K. or other countries. The amendment however limits the allocations, under the Act, to those procured out of funds appropriated under the Act, and thus ~~the Act~~ limits the President's discretion."

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 of articles procured out of new appropriations

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See insertion in para. 6

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