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1	SEC. 2. ALIGNMENT OF TIMING OF UPDATES OF STRA
2	TEGIC PLAN WITH UPDATES TO NATIONAL
3	STRATEGY FOR ADVANCED MANUFAC
4	TURING.
5	(a) In General.—Paragraph (2) of section 34(i) of
6	the National Institute of Standards and Technology Act
7	(15 U.S.C. 278s(i)) is amended—
8	(1) in subparagraph (C), by striking "and up-
9	date not less frequently than once every 3 years
10	thereafter,'';
11	(2) by redesignating subparagraphs (D)
12	through (M) as subparagraphs (E) through (N), re-
13	spectively; and
14	(3) by inserting after subparagraph (C), the fol-
15	lowing:
16	"(D) to update the strategic plan devel-
17	oped under subparagraph (C) not less fre-
18	quently than once every 4 years such that the
19	planning cycle for the updates aligns with the
20	planning cycle for updates to the National
21	Strategy for Advanced Manufacturing required
22	under section $102(e)(4)$ of the America COM-
23	PETES Reauthorization Act of 2010 (42
24	U.S.C. $6622(e)(4)$) to better ensure the Pro-
25	gram reflects the priorities of the national
26	strategy;".

1	(b) Conforming Amendments.—Such section is
2	further amended—
3	(1) in paragraph (3), by striking "paragraph
4	(2)(C)" and inserting "subparagraphs (C) and (D)
5	of paragraph (2)"; and
6	(2) in paragraph (4), by striking "paragraph
7	(2)(C)" and inserting "subparagraph (C) of para-
8	graph (2) and any update to the plan required under
9	subparagraph (D) of such paragraph".