

119TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 8535

To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to develop performance metrics relating to the detection, deterrence, and seizure of fentanyl.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 27, 2026

Mr. WALKINSHAW (for himself, Mr. McCAUL, Mr. CORREA, and Mr. GUEST) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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## A BILL

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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 “Measuring Illicit  
5 Fentanyl Trafficking Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. COMBATTING ILLICIT FENTANYL.**

7 Not later than one year after the date of the enact-  
8 ment of this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security  
9 shall—

1           (1) ensure that each component of the Depart-  
2           ment of Homeland Security engaged in the detec-  
3           tion, deterrence, and seizure of fentanyl—

4                   (A) collaborate and share relevant informa-  
5                   tion and data relating to the detection, deter-  
6                   rence, and seizure of fentanyl with other compo-  
7                   nents of the Department of Homeland Security  
8                   engaged in such detection, deterrence, and sei-  
9                   zure; and

10                   (B) identify any barriers to sharing rel-  
11                   evant information and data pursuant to para-  
12                   graph (1); and

13           (2) establish performance metrics relating to  
14           the detection, deterrence, and seizure of fentanyl for  
15           the Department of Homeland Security and each  
16           component of such Department.

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