

119TH CONGRESS
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AN ACT

Making appropriations for national security, Department of State, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2027, 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,*

1 **DIVISION A—NATIONAL SECURITY, DE-**
2 **PARTMENT OF STATE, AND RELATED**
3 **PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS ACT,**
4 **2027**

5 That the following sums are appropriated, out of any
6 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for na-
7 tional security, Department of State, and related pro-
8 grams for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2027, and
9 for other purposes, namely:

10 **TITLE I**
11 **DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND RELATED**
12 **PROGRAMS**
13 **DEPARTMENT OF STATE**
14 **ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS**
15 **DIPLOMATIC PROGRAMS**

16 For necessary expenses of the Department of State
17 and the Foreign Service not otherwise provided for,
18 \$9,761,523,000, of which \$839,910,000 may remain avail-
19 able until September 30, 2028, and of which up to
20 \$4,162,123,000 may remain available until expended for
21 Worldwide Security Protection: *Provided*, That funds
22 made available under this heading shall be allocated in ac-
23 cordance with paragraphs (1) through (4), as follows:

24 (1) HUMAN RESOURCES.—For necessary ex-
25 penses for training, human resources management,

1 and salaries, including employment without regard
2 to civil service and classification laws of persons on
3 a temporary basis (not to exceed \$700,000), as au-
4 thorized by section 801 of the United States Infor-
5 mation and Educational Exchange Act of 1948 (62
6 Stat. 11; Chapter 36), \$4,001,579,000, of which up
7 to \$738,550,000 is for Worldwide Security Protec-
8 tion.

9 (2) OVERSEAS PROGRAMS.—For necessary ex-
10 penses for the regional bureaus of the Department
11 of State and overseas activities as authorized by law,
12 \$1,437,707,000.

13 (3) DIPLOMATIC POLICY AND SUPPORT.—For
14 necessary expenses for the functional bureaus of the
15 Department of State, including representation to
16 certain international organizations in which the
17 United States participates pursuant to treaties rati-
18 fied pursuant to the advice and consent of the Sen-
19 ate or specific Acts of Congress, general administra-
20 tion, and arms control, nonproliferation, and disar-
21 mament activities as authorized, \$871,645,000.

22 (4) SECURITY PROGRAMS.—For necessary ex-
23 penses for security activities, \$3,450,592,000, of
24 which up to \$3,423,573,000 is for Worldwide Secu-
25 rity Protection.

1 (5) REPROGRAMMING.—Notwithstanding any
2 other provision of this Act, funds may be repro-
3 grammed within and between paragraphs (1)
4 through (4) under this heading subject to section
5 7015 of this Act.

6 CONSULAR AND BORDER SECURITY PROGRAMS

7 Of the amounts deposited in the Consular and Border
8 Security Programs account in this or any prior fiscal year
9 pursuant to section 7069(e) of the Department of State,
10 Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropria-
11 tions Act, 2022 (division K of Public Law 117–103),
12 \$533,000,000 shall be available until expended for the
13 purposes of such account, including to reduce passport
14 backlogs and reduce visa wait times: *Provided*, That the
15 Secretary of State may by regulation authorize State offi-
16 cials or the United States Postal Service to collect and
17 retain the execution fee for each application for a passport
18 accepted by such officials or by that Service.

19 CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND

20 For necessary expenses of the Capital Investment
21 Fund, as authorized, \$413,615,000, to remain available
22 until expended.

23 EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

24 For necessary expenses of educational and cultural
25 exchange programs, as authorized, \$647,000,000, to re-

1 main available until expended, of which not less than
2 \$287,800,000 shall be for the Fulbright Program: *Pro-*
3 *vided*, That fees or other payments received from, or in
4 connection with, English teaching, educational advising
5 and counseling programs, and exchange visitor programs
6 as authorized may be credited to this account, to remain
7 available until expended: *Provided further*, That not later
8 than 30 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the
9 Secretary of State shall consult with the Committees on
10 Appropriations on the allocation of funds made available
11 under this heading by program, project, and activity: *Pro-*
12 *vided further*, That any substantive modifications from the
13 prior fiscal year to programs funded under this heading
14 in this Act, including program consolidation and closures,
15 changes to eligibility criteria and geographic scope, and
16 implementing partners, shall be subject to prior consulta-
17 tion with, and the regular notification procedures of, the
18 Committees on Appropriations.

19 REPRESENTATION EXPENSES

20 For representation expenses as authorized,
21 \$10,000,000: *Provided*, That 25 percent of the funds
22 made available under this heading shall not be available
23 for obligation or expenditure until the Secretary of State
24 appears before the Committees on Appropriations of both

1 Houses of Congress to testify on the Department's budget
2 request for fiscal year 2027.

3 PROTECTION OF FOREIGN MISSIONS AND OFFICIALS

4 For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided, to
5 enable the Secretary of State to provide for extraordinary
6 protective services, as authorized, \$30,890,000, to remain
7 available until September 30, 2028.

8 EMBASSY SECURITY, CONSTRUCTION, AND MAINTENANCE

9 For necessary expenses for carrying out the Foreign
10 Service Buildings Act of 1926 (22 U.S.C. 292 et seq.),
11 preserving, maintaining, repairing, and planning for real
12 property that are owned or leased by the Department of
13 State, and renovating, in addition to funds otherwise avail-
14 able, the Harry S Truman Building, \$865,616,000, to re-
15 main available until September 30, 2031, of which not to
16 exceed \$25,000 may be used for overseas representation
17 expenses as authorized: *Provided*, That none of the funds
18 appropriated in this paragraph shall be available for acqui-
19 sition of furniture, furnishings, or generators for other de-
20 partments and agencies of the United States Government.

21 In addition, for the costs of worldwide security up-
22 grades, acquisition, and construction as authorized,
23 \$1,123,640,000, to remain available until expended.

10 REPATRIATION LOANS PROGRAM ACCOUNT

18 PAYMENT TO THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE IN TAIWAN

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1 INTERNATIONAL CENTER, WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF
2 COLUMBIA

3 Not to exceed \$1,917,178 shall be derived from fees
4 collected from other executive agencies for lease or use of
5 facilities at the International Center in accordance with
6 section 4 of the International Center Act (Public Law 90–
7 553), and, in addition, as authorized by section 5 of such
8 Act, \$745,000, to be derived from the reserve authorized
9 by such section, to be used for the purposes set out in
10 that section.

11 INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS ACTIVITIES

12 For necessary expenses to carry out international
13 communications activities, including grants for radio,
14 internet, and television broadcasting and other inter-
15 national communications activities, \$540,000,000, of
16 which \$81,000,000 may remain available until September
17 30, 2028: *Provided*, That in addition to amounts otherwise
18 available for such purposes, up to \$72,720,000 of the
19 amount appropriated under this paragraph may remain
20 available until expended for satellite transmissions, global
21 network distribution, and internet freedom programs: *Pro-*
22 *vided further*, That of the funds appropriated under this
23 paragraph and made available for international commu-
24 nications activities, not less than \$5,000,000 shall be
25 made available for programming produced about Cuba by

1 the Office of Cuba Broadcasting (OCB), which are in ad-
2 dition to funds otherwise made available for OCB: *Pro-*
3 *vided further*, That funds appropriated under this para-
4 graph may be made available for broadcasting capital im-
5 provements, which may include the purchase, rent, con-
6 struction, repair, preservation, and improvement of facili-
7 ties for radio, television, and digital transmission and re-
8 ception; the purchase, rent, and installation of necessary
9 equipment for radio, television, and digital transmission
10 and reception, including to Cuba, as authorized; and phys-
11 ical security worldwide: *Provided further*, That amounts
12 made available pursuant to the previous proviso may re-
13 main available until expended and shall be subject to the
14 regular notification procedures of the Committees on Ap-
15 propriations: *Provided further*, That significant modifica-
16 tions to broadcast hours previously justified to Congress,
17 including changes to transmission platforms (shortwave,
18 medium wave, satellite, internet, and television), for activi-
19 ties funded under this paragraph shall be subject to the
20 regular notification procedures of the Committees on Ap-
21 propriations.

22 In addition, for necessary expenses for the Director
23 of the Office of Cuba Broadcasting to carry out inter-
24 national communications activities for Cuba, including
25 grants for radio, internet, and television broadcasting and

1 other international communications activities, as author-
2 ized, \$35,000,000, of which \$5,250,000 may remain avail-
3 able until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That funds made
4 available under this paragraph shall be apportioned to the
5 Director of the Office of Cuba Broadcasting: *Provided fur-*
6 *ther*, That funds made available under this paragraph
7 shall be made available for medium- and short-wave broad-
8 casting at not less than the fiscal year 2024 level and in
9 a manner able to reach all provinces in Cuba with daily
10 programming: *Provided further*, That the Office of Cuba
11 Broadcasting shall retain all real property belonging to it
12 as of January 19, 2021: *Provided further*, That significant
13 modifications to broadcast hours previously justified to
14 Congress, including changes to transmission platforms
15 (shortwave, medium wave, satellite, internet, and tele-
16 vision), for activities funded under this paragraph shall
17 be subject to the regular notification procedures of the
18 Committees on Appropriations.

19 PAYMENT TO THE FOREIGN SERVICE RETIREMENT AND
20 DISABILITY FUND

21 For payment to the Foreign Service Retirement and
22 Disability Fund, as authorized, \$47,500,000.

1 INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2 CONTRIBUTIONS TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

3 For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for,
4 to meet annual obligations of membership in international
5 multilateral organizations, pursuant to treaties ratified
6 pursuant to the advice and consent of the Senate, conven-
7 tions, or specific Acts of Congress, \$310,200,000: *Pro-*
8 *vided*, That the Secretary of State shall, at the time of
9 the submission of the President's budget to Congress
10 under section 1105(a) of title 31, United States Code,
11 transmit to the Committees on Appropriations the most
12 recent biennial budget prepared by the United Nations for
13 the operations of the United Nations: *Provided further*,
14 That the Secretary of State shall notify the Committees
15 on Appropriations at least 15 days in advance (or in an
16 emergency, as far in advance as is practicable) of any
17 United Nations action to increase funding for any United
18 Nations program without identifying an offsetting de-
19 crease elsewhere in the United Nations budget: *Provided*
20 *further*, That any payment of arrearages under this head-
21 ing shall be directed to activities that are mutually agreed
22 upon by the United States and the respective international
23 organization and shall be subject to the regular notifica-
24 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropriations: *Pro-*
25 *vided further*, That none of the funds appropriated under

For necessary expenses to pay assessed and other ex-
penses of international peacekeeping activities directed to
the maintenance or restoration of international peace and
security, \$489,519,000, of which \$280,000,000 may re-
main available until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That
none of the funds made available by this Act shall be obli-
gated or expended for any new or expanded United Na-
tions peacekeeping mission unless, at least 15 days in ad-
vance of voting for such mission in the United Nations
Security Council (or in an emergency as far in advance
as is practicable), the Committees on Appropriations are
notified of: (1) the estimated cost and duration of the mis-
sion, the objectives of the mission, the national interest
that will be served, and the exit strategy; and (2) the
sources of funds, including any reprogrammings or trans-
fers, that will be used to pay the cost of the new or ex-
panded mission, and the estimated cost in future fiscal

1 years: *Provided further*, That none of the funds appro-
2 priated under this heading may be made available for obli-
3 gation unless the Secretary of State certifies and reports
4 to the Committees on Appropriations on a peacekeeping
5 mission-by-mission basis that the United Nations is imple-
6 menting effective policies and procedures to prevent
7 United Nations employees, contractor personnel, and
8 peacekeeping troops serving in such mission from traf-
9 ficking in persons, exploiting victims of trafficking, or
10 committing acts of sexual exploitation and abuse or other
11 violations of human rights, and to hold accountable indi-
12 viduals who engage in such acts while participating in
13 such mission, including prosecution in their home coun-
14 tries and making information about such prosecutions
15 publicly available on the website of the United Nations:
16 *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State shall work
17 with the United Nations and foreign governments contrib-
18 uting peacekeeping troops to implement effective vetting
19 procedures to ensure that such troops have not violated
20 human rights: *Provided further*, That funds shall be avail-
21 able for peacekeeping expenses unless the Secretary of
22 State determines that United States manufacturers and
23 suppliers are not being given opportunities to provide
24 equipment, services, and material for United Nations
25 peacekeeping activities equal to those being given to for-

1 eign manufacturers and suppliers: *Provided further*, That
2 none of the funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
3 able under this heading may be used for any United Na-
4 tions peacekeeping mission that will involve United States
5 Armed Forces under the command or operational control
6 of a foreign national, unless the President's military advi-
7 sors have submitted to the President a recommendation
8 that such involvement is in the national interest of the
9 United States and the President has submitted to Con-
10 gress such a recommendation: *Provided further*, That any
11 payment of arrearages with funds appropriated by this Act
12 shall be subject to the regular notification procedures of
13 the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That
14 the Secretary of State shall work with the United Nations
15 and members of the United Nations Security Council to
16 evaluate and prioritize peacekeeping missions, and to con-
17 sider a draw down when mission goals have been substan-
18 tially achieved.

19 INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONS

20 For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided for,
21 to meet obligations of the United States arising under
22 treaties, or specific Acts of Congress, as follows:

1 INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY AND WATER COMMISSION,
2 UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

3 For necessary expenses for the United States Section
4 of the International Boundary and Water Commission,
5 United States and Mexico, and to comply with laws appli-
6 cable to the United States Section, including not to exceed
7 \$6,000 for representation expenses, as follows:

8 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

9 For salaries and expenses, not otherwise provided for,
10 \$82,900,000, of which \$12,585,000 may remain available
11 until September 30, 2028.

12 In addition, for expenses necessary to carry out para-
13 graph (4)(A)(i) of section 5602(b) of the National Defense
14 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (Public Law 118–
15 31), \$1,000,000, to remain available until expended.

16 CONSTRUCTION

17 For detailed plan preparation and construction of au-
18 thorized projects, \$301,300,000, to remain available until
19 expended, as authorized: *Provided*, That the operating
20 plan required by section 7062(a) of this Act shall include,
21 for each construction project, the expected scope, timeline,
22 and total cost, including out-year cost estimates for con-
23 struction and operations and maintenance requirements:
24 *Provided further*, That of the funds appropriated under
25 this paragraph in this Act and prior Acts making appro-

1 priations for national security, Department of State, and
2 related programs for the United States Section, up to
3 \$5,000,000 may be transferred to, and merged with, funds
4 appropriated under the heading “Salaries and Expenses”
5 to carry out the purposes of the United States Section,
6 which shall be subject to prior consultation with, and the
7 regular notification procedures of, the Committees on Ap-
8 propriations: *Provided further*, That such transfer author-
9 ity is in addition to any other transfer authority provided
10 in this Act.

11 In addition, for expenses necessary to carry out para-
12 graph (4)(A)(i) of section 5602(b) of the National Defense
13 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2024 (Public Law 118–
14 31), \$8,000,000, to remain available until expended.

15 AMERICAN SECTIONS, INTERNATIONAL COMMISSIONS

16 For necessary expenses, not otherwise provided, for
17 the International Joint Commission and the International
18 Boundary Commission, United States and Canada, as au-
19 thorized by treaties between the United States and Can-
20 ada or Great Britain, and for grant programs of the North
21 American Development Bank, including technical assist-
22 ance grants and the Community Assistance Program,
23 \$22,323,000: *Provided*, That of the amount provided
24 under this heading for the International Joint Commis-
25 sion, up to \$1,500,000 may remain available until Sep-

1 tember 30, 2028, and up to \$9,000 may be made available
 2 for representation expenses: *Provided further*, That of the
 3 amount provided under this heading for the International
 4 Boundary Commission, up to \$1,000 may be made avail-
 5 able for representation expenses.

6 INTERNATIONAL FISHERIES COMMISSIONS

7 For necessary expenses for international fisheries
 8 commissions, not otherwise provided for, as authorized by
 9 law, \$75,390,000: *Provided*, That the United States share
 10 of such expenses may be advanced to the respective com-
 11 missions pursuant to section 3324 of title 31, United
 12 States Code.

13 RELATED PROGRAMS

14 THE ASIA FOUNDATION

15 For a grant to The Asia Foundation, as authorized
 16 by The Asia Foundation Act (22 U.S.C. 4402),
 17 \$17,000,000, to remain available until expended.

18 CENTER FOR MIDDLE EASTERN-WESTERN DIALOGUE

19 TRUST FUND

20 For necessary expenses of the Center for Middle
 21 Eastern-Western Dialogue Trust Fund, as authorized by
 22 section 633 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and
 23 State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations
 24 Act, 2004 (22 U.S.C. 2078), the total amount of the inter-

1 est and earnings accruing to such Fund on or before Sep-
2 tember 30, 2027, to remain available until expended.

3 EISENHOWER EXCHANGE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

4 For necessary expenses of Eisenhower Exchange Fel-
5 lowships, Incorporated, as authorized by sections 4 and
6 5 of the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowship Act of 1990 (20
7 U.S.C. 5204–5205), all interest and earnings accruing to
8 the Eisenhower Exchange Fellowship Program Trust
9 Fund on or before September 30, 2027, to remain avail-
10 able until expended: *Provided*, That none of the funds ap-
11 propriated herein shall be used to pay any salary or other
12 compensation, or to enter into any contract providing for
13 the payment thereof, in excess of the rate authorized by
14 section 5376 of title 5, United States Code; or for pur-
15 poses which are not in accordance with section 200 of title
16 2 of the Code of Federal Regulations, including the re-
17 strictions on compensation for personal services.

18 ISRAELI ARAB SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

19 For necessary expenses of the Israeli Arab Scholar-
20 ship Program, as authorized by section 214 of the Foreign
21 Relations Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1992 and 1993
22 (22 U.S.C. 2452 note), all interest and earnings accruing
23 to the Israeli Arab Scholarship Fund on or before Sep-
24 tember 30, 2027, to remain available until expended.

EAST-WEST CENTER

To enable the Secretary of State to provide for carrying out the provisions of the Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange Between East and West Act of 1960, by grant to the Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange Between East and West in the State of Hawaii, \$16,700,000.

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR DEMOCRACY

For grants made by the Department of State to the National Endowment for Democracy, as authorized by the National Endowment for Democracy Act (22 U.S.C. 4412), \$296,100,000, to remain available until expended, of which \$197,697,000 shall be allocated in the traditional and customary manner, including for the core institutes, and \$98,403,000 shall be for democracy programs: *Provided*, That the requirements of section 7062(a) of this Act shall not apply to funds made available under this heading: *Provided further*, That the President of the Endowment shall submit a report to the Committees on Appropriations, not later than 45 days after the date of enactment of this Act, on the proposed uses of funds provided under this heading on a regional and country basis, which shall include a description of the programmatic goals for each such region and country and how funds made available under this heading advance such goals:

1 *Provided further*, That none of the funds appropriated
 2 under this heading may be made available to an organiza-
 3 tion involved in attempting to influence elections in North
 4 Atlantic Treaty Organization member countries.

5 OTHER COMMISSIONS

6 COMMISSION FOR THE PRESERVATION OF AMERICA'S

7 HERITAGE ABROAD

8 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

9 For necessary expenses for the Commission for the
 10 Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad, as authorized
 11 by chapter 3123 of title 54, United States Code,
 12 \$770,000, of which \$115,500 may remain available until
 13 September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That the Commission may
 14 procure temporary, intermittent, and other services not-
 15 withstanding paragraph (3) of section 312304(b) of such
 16 chapter: *Provided further*, That such authority shall termi-
 17 nate on October 1, 2027: *Provided further*, That the Com-
 18 mission shall notify the Committees on Appropriations
 19 prior to exercising such authority.

20 UNITED STATES COMMISSION ON INTERNATIONAL

21 RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

22 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

23 For necessary expenses for the United States Com-
 24 mission on International Religious Freedom, as authorized
 25 by title II of the International Religious Freedom Act of

1 1998 (22 U.S.C. 6431 et seq.), \$4,850,000 (reduced by
2 \$1,000,000) (increased by \$1,000,000), to remain avail-
3 able until September 30, 2028, including not more than
4 \$4,000 for representation expenses.

5 COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN
6 EUROPE

7 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

8 For necessary expenses of the Commission on Secu-
9 rity and Cooperation in Europe, as authorized by Public
10 Law 94–304 (22 U.S.C. 3001 et seq.), \$7,059,000, includ-
11 ing not more than \$6,000 for representation expenses, to
12 remain available until September 30, 2028.

13 CONGRESSIONAL-EXECUTIVE COMMISSION ON THE
14 PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

15 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

16 For necessary expenses of the Congressional-Execu-
17 tive Commission on the People’s Republic of China, as au-
18 thorized by title III of the U.S.-China Relations Act of
19 2000 (22 U.S.C. 6911 et seq.), \$2,300,000, including not
20 more than \$3,000 for representation expenses, to remain
21 available until September 30, 2028.

1 UNITED STATES-CHINA ECONOMIC AND SECURITY
2 REVIEW COMMISSION
3 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

4 For necessary expenses of the United States-China
5 Economic and Security Review Commission, as authorized
6 by section 1238 of the Floyd D. Spence National Defense
7 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2001 (22 U.S.C. 7002),
8 \$4,300,000, including not more than \$4,000 for represen-
9 tation expenses, to remain available until September 30,
10 2028: *Provided*, That the authorities, requirements, limi-
11 tations, and conditions contained in the second through
12 fifth provisos under this heading in the Department of
13 State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appro-
14 priations Act, 2010 (division F of Public Law 111–117)
15 shall continue in effect during fiscal year 2027 and shall
16 apply to funds appropriated under this heading.

17 HOUSE DEMOCRACY PARTNERSHIP
18 SALARIES AND EXPENSES

19 For necessary expenses of the House Democracy
20 Partnership established pursuant to House Resolution 24,
21 One Hundred Tenth Congress, as carried forward by
22 House Resolution 5, One Hundred Nineteenth Congress,
23 \$2,300,000, to remain available until September 30, 2028.

1 TITLE II
2 OVERSIGHT OF DIPLOMATIC ENGAGEMENT
3 AND FOREIGN ASSISTANCE
4 OFFICES OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

5 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector
6 General of the Department of State, as established by sec-
7 tion 402(a)(1) of title 5, United States Code,
8 \$123,550,000 (reduced by \$2,000,000) (increased by
9 \$2,000,000), of which \$18,533,000 may remain available
10 until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That funds appro-
11 priated under this paragraph are made available notwith-
12 standing section 209(a)(1) of the Foreign Service Act of
13 1980 (22 U.S.C. 3929(a)(1)), as it relates to post inspec-
14 tions.

15 In addition, for the necessary expenses of the Office
16 of Inspector General with continued oversight jurisdiction
17 for foreign assistance programs administered by the agen-
18 cy primarily responsible for administering part I of the
19 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2151 et seq.)
20 and whose oversight activities were funded under title II
21 of prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
22 Department of State, and related programs, \$62,500,000,
23 of which \$9,375,000 may remain available until Sep-
24 tember 30, 2028, in accordance with section 409 of title
25 5, United States Code, section 614(f) of the Millennium

1 Challenge Act of 2003 (22 U.S.C. 7713(f)) and section
2 8A(a) of the Inspector General Act of 1978 (as enacted
3 into law by section 1000(a) of Public Law 106–113), as
4 well as section 401 of the Inter-American Foundation Act
5 (22 U.S.C. 290f), and section 505 of the African Develop-
6 ment Foundation Act (22 U.S.C. 290h).

7 TITLE III

8 BILATERAL ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

9 FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT

10 For necessary expenses to enable the President to
11 carry out the provisions of the Foreign Assistance Act of
12 1961, and for other purposes, as follows:

13 GLOBAL HEALTH PROGRAMS

14 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
15 of chapters 1 and 10 of part I of the Foreign Assistance
16 Act of 1961, for global health activities, in addition to
17 funds otherwise available for such purposes,
18 \$3,350,000,000, to remain available until September 30,
19 2029, and which shall be apportioned directly to the De-
20 partment of State: *Provided*, That this amount shall be
21 made available for training, equipment, and technical as-
22 sistance to build the capacity of public health institutions
23 and organizations in developing countries, and for such
24 activities as: (1) child survival and maternal health pro-
25 grams; (2) immunization and oral rehydration programs;

1 (3) other health, nutrition, water and sanitation programs
2 which directly address the needs of mothers and children,
3 and related education programs; (4) assistance for chil-
4 dren displaced or orphaned by causes other than AIDS;
5 (5) programs for the prevention, treatment, control of, and
6 research on HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, polio, malaria, and
7 other infectious diseases including neglected tropical dis-
8 eases, and for assistance to communities severely affected
9 by HIV/AIDS, including children infected or affected by
10 AIDS; (6) disaster preparedness training for health crises;
11 (7) programs to prevent, prepare for, and respond to un-
12 anticipated and emerging global health threats; and (8)
13 family planning/reproductive health: *Provided further,*
14 That funds appropriated under this paragraph may be
15 made available for United States contributions to The
16 GAVI Alliance, which may remain available until Sep-
17 tember 30, 2027: *Provided further,* That none of the funds
18 made available in this Act nor any unobligated balances
19 from prior appropriations Acts may be made available to
20 any organization or program which, as determined by the
21 President of the United States, supports or participates
22 in the management of a program of coercive abortion or
23 involuntary sterilization: *Provided further,* That any deter-
24 mination made under the previous proviso must be made
25 not later than 6 months after the date of enactment of

1 this Act, and must be accompanied by the evidence and
2 criteria utilized to make the determination: *Provided fur-*
3 *ther*, That none of the funds made available under this
4 Act may be used to pay for the performance of abortion
5 as a method of family planning or to motivate or coerce
6 any person to practice abortions: *Provided further*, That
7 nothing in this paragraph shall be construed to alter any
8 existing statutory prohibitions against abortion under sec-
9 tion 104 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961: *Provided*
10 *further*, That none of the funds made available under this
11 Act may be used to lobby for or against abortion: *Provided*
12 *further*, That in order to reduce reliance on abortion in
13 developing nations, funds shall be available only to vol-
14 untary family planning projects which offer, either directly
15 or through referral to, or information about access to, a
16 broad range of family planning methods and services, and
17 that any such voluntary family planning project shall meet
18 the following requirements: (1) service providers or refer-
19 ral agents in the project shall not implement or be subject
20 to quotas, or other numerical targets, of total number of
21 births, number of family planning acceptors, or acceptors
22 of a particular method of family planning (this provision
23 shall not be construed to include the use of quantitative
24 estimates or indicators for budgeting and planning pur-
25 poses); (2) the project shall not include payment of incen-

1 tives, bribes, gratuities, or financial reward to: (A) an indi-
2 vidual in exchange for becoming a family planning accep-
3 tor; or (B) program personnel for achieving a numerical
4 target or quota of total number of births, number of fam-
5 ily planning acceptors, or acceptors of a particular method
6 of family planning; (3) the project shall not deny any right
7 or benefit, including the right of access to participate in
8 any program of general welfare or the right of access to
9 health care, as a consequence of any individual's decision
10 not to accept family planning services; (4) the project shall
11 provide family planning acceptors comprehensible infor-
12 mation on the health benefits and risks of the method cho-
13 sen, including those conditions that might render the use
14 of the method inadvisable and those adverse side effects
15 known to be consequent to the use of the method; and
16 (5) the project shall ensure that experimental contracep-
17 tive drugs and devices and medical procedures are pro-
18 vided only in the context of a scientific study in which
19 participants are advised of potential risks and benefits;
20 and, not less than 60 days after the date on which the
21 Secretary of State determines that there has been a viola-
22 tion of the requirements contained in paragraph (1), (2),
23 (3), or (5) of this proviso, or a pattern or practice of viola-
24 tions of the requirements contained in paragraph (4) of
25 this proviso, the Secretary shall submit to the Committees

1 on Appropriations a report containing a description of
2 such violation and the corrective action taken by the De-
3 partment: *Provided further*, That in awarding grants for
4 natural family planning under section 104 of the Foreign
5 Assistance Act of 1961 no applicant shall be discriminated
6 against because of such applicant's religious or conscien-
7 tious commitment to offer only natural family planning;
8 and, additionally, all such applicants shall comply with the
9 requirements of the previous proviso: *Provided further*,
10 That for purposes of this Act or any other Act authorizing
11 or appropriating funds for national security, Department
12 of State, and related programs, the term "motivate", as
13 it relates to family planning assistance, shall not be con-
14 strued to prohibit the provision, consistent with local law,
15 of information or counseling about all pregnancy options:
16 *Provided further*, That information provided about the use
17 of condoms as part of projects or activities that are funded
18 from amounts appropriated by this Act shall be medically
19 accurate and shall include the public health benefits and
20 failure rates of such use.

21 In addition, for necessary expenses to carry out the
22 provisions of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for the
23 prevention, treatment, and control of, and research on,
24 HIV/AIDS, \$5,533,800,000, to remain available until
25 September 30, 2029, which shall be apportioned directly

1 to the Department of State: *Provided*, That funds appro-
 2 priated under this paragraph may be made available, not-
 3 withstanding any other provision of law, except for the
 4 United States Leadership Against HIV/AIDS, Tuber-
 5 culosis, and Malaria Act of 2003 (Public Law 108–25),
 6 for a United States contribution to the Global Fund to
 7 Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (Global Fund):
 8 *Provided further*, That the amount of such contribution
 9 shall be \$1,250,000,000: *Provided further*, That of the
 10 funds appropriated under this heading, up to \$35,000,000
 11 may be made available, in addition to amounts otherwise
 12 available for such purposes, for administrative expenses.

13 INTERNATIONAL HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

14 For necessary expenses to enable the Secretary of
 15 State to carry out the provisions of section 491 of the For-
 16 eign Assistance Act of 1961 for international disaster re-
 17 lief, rehabilitation, and reconstruction assistance; section
 18 2(a) and (b) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act
 19 of 1962 (22 U.S.C. 2601), and other activities to meet
 20 refugee and migration needs; salaries and expenses of per-
 21 sonnel and dependents as authorized by the Foreign Serv-
 22 ice Act of 1980 (22 U.S.C. 3901 et seq.); allowances as
 23 authorized by sections 5921 through 5925 of title 5,
 24 United States Code; purchase and hire of passenger motor
 25 vehicles; and services as authorized by section 3109 of title

1 5, United States Code, \$5,000,000,000, to remain avail-
2 able until expended, of which not less than \$6,500,000
3 shall be made available for refugees resettling in Israel:
4 *Provided*, That consistent with section 491(d) of the For-
5 eign Assistance Act of 1961, funds made available under
6 this heading shall be prioritized to reach those most in
7 need of relief and rehabilitation because of natural and
8 manmade disasters: *Provided further*, That of the funds
9 appropriated under this heading in this Act, not less than
10 \$2,750,000,000 shall be made available to carry out the
11 provisions of section 491 of the Foreign Assistance Act
12 of 1961: *Provided further*, That funds appropriated under
13 this heading shall be apportioned to the Secretary of
14 State.

15 UNITED STATES EMERGENCY REFUGEE AND MIGRATION
16 ASSISTANCE FUND

17 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
18 of section 2(c) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance
19 Act of 1962 (22 U.S.C. 2601(c)), \$100,000,000, to re-
20 main available until expended, notwithstanding the excep-
21 tion in the second sentence in section 2(c)(2) of such Act:
22 *Provided*, That amounts made available by this Act that
23 are in excess of the limitation contained in paragraph (2)
24 of such section may be transferred to, and merged with,
25 funds made available by this Act under the heading

1 “International Humanitarian Assistance”: *Provided fur-*
 2 *ther*, That such transfer authority is in addition to any
 3 other transfer authority provided in this Act or any other
 4 Act.

5 NATIONAL SECURITY INVESTMENT PROGRAMS

6 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
 7 of sections 103, 105, 106, 214, and sections 251 through
 8 255, and chapter 10 of part I and chapter 4 of part II
 9 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the FREEDOM
 10 Support Act (Public Law 102–511), and the Support for
 11 East European Democracy (SEED) Act of 1989 (Public
 12 Law 101–179), \$6,890,170,000 (reduced by \$1,000,000)
 13 (increased by \$1,000,000), of which not less than fifteen
 14 percent of amounts made available under this heading
 15 shall be made available for programs in Africa, to remain
 16 available until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That funds
 17 appropriated under this heading shall be apportioned to
 18 the Secretary of State.

19 DEMOCRACY FUND

20 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
 21 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for the promotion
 22 of democracy globally, including to carry out the purposes
 23 of section 502(b)(3) and (5) of Public Law 98–164 (22
 24 U.S.C. 4411), \$205,200,000 (reduced by \$5,000,000) (in-
 25 creased by \$5,000,000), to remain available until Sep-

tember 30, 2028, which shall be made available for the Human Rights and Democracy Fund of the Bureau of Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Department of State: *Provided*, That funds appropriated under this heading that are made available to the National Endowment for Democracy and its core institutes are in addition to amounts otherwise made available by this Act for such purposes: *Provided further*, That the Assistant Secretary for Democracy, Human Rights, and Labor, Department of State, shall consult with the Committees on Appropriations prior to the initial obligation of funds appropriated under this paragraph.

INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

PEACE CORPS

(INCLUDING TRANSFER OF FUNDS)

For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions of the Peace Corps Act (22 U.S.C. 2501 et seq.), including the purchase of not to exceed five passenger motor vehicles for administrative purposes for use outside of the United States, \$410,500,000, of which \$7,800,000 is for the Office of Inspector General, to remain available until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That the Director of the Peace Corps may transfer to the Foreign Currency Fluctuations Account, as authorized by section 16 of the Peace Corps Act (22 U.S.C. 2515), an amount not to exceed

1 \$5,000,000: *Provided further*, That funds transferred pur-
 2 suant to the previous proviso may not be derived from
 3 amounts made available for Peace Corps overseas oper-
 4 ations: *Provided further*, That of the funds appropriated
 5 under this heading, not to exceed \$104,000 may be avail-
 6 able for representation expenses, of which not to exceed
 7 \$4,000 may be made available for entertainment expenses:
 8 *Provided further*, That in addition to the requirements
 9 under section 7015(a) of this Act, the Peace Corps shall
 10 consult with the Committees on Appropriations prior to
 11 any decision to open, close, or suspend a domestic or over-
 12 seas office or a country program unless there is a substan-
 13 tial risk to volunteers or other Peace Corps personnel: *Pro-*
 14 *vided further*, That none of the funds appropriated under
 15 this heading shall be used to pay for abortions: *Provided*
 16 *further*, That notwithstanding the previous proviso, section
 17 614 of division E of Public Law 113–76 shall apply to
 18 funds appropriated under this heading.

19 MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION

20 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
 21 of the Millennium Challenge Act of 2003 (22 U.S.C. 7701
 22 et seq.) (MCA), \$830,000,000, to remain available until
 23 expended: *Provided*, That section 605(e) of the MCA (22
 24 U.S.C. 7704(e)) shall apply to funds appropriated under
 25 this heading: *Provided further*, That funds appropriated

1 under this heading may be made available for a Millen-
 2 nium Challenge Compact entered into pursuant to section
 3 609 of the MCA (22 U.S.C. 7708) only if such Compact
 4 obligates, or contains a commitment to obligate subject to
 5 the availability of funds and the mutual agreement of the
 6 parties to the Compact to proceed, the entire amount of
 7 the United States Government funding anticipated for the
 8 duration of the Compact: *Provided further*, That of the
 9 funds appropriated under this heading, not to exceed
 10 \$100,000 may be available for representation and enter-
 11 tainment expenses, of which not to exceed \$5,000 may be
 12 available for entertainment expenses.

13 UNITED STATES FOUNDATION FOR NATURAL SECURITY
 14 AND COUNTERTERRORISM

15 For necessary expenses to carry out the purposes of
 16 section 5102 of the National Defense Authorization Act
 17 for Fiscal Year 2025 (22 U.S.C. 10602), \$100,000,000,
 18 to remain available until expended.

19 DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

20 INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

21 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
 22 of section 129 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961,
 23 \$30,000,000, to remain available until expended: *Pro-*
 24 *vided*, That amounts made available under this heading
 25 may be made available to contract for services as described

1 in section 129(d)(3)(A) of the Foreign Assistance Act of
2 1961, without regard to the location in which such services
3 are performed.

4 TITLE IV

5 INTERNATIONAL SECURITY ASSISTANCE

6 DEPARTMENT OF STATE

7 INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL AND LAW

8 ENFORCEMENT

9 For necessary expenses to carry out section 481 of
10 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, \$1,664,204,000 (re-
11 duced by \$1,000,000) (increased by \$1,000,000), to re-
12 main available until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That
13 the Department of State may use the authority of section
14 608 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, without regard
15 to its restrictions, to receive excess property from an agen-
16 cy of the United States Government for the purpose of
17 providing such property to a foreign country or inter-
18 national organization under chapter 8 of part I of such
19 Act, subject to the regular notification procedures of the
20 Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That sec-
21 tion 482(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 shall
22 not apply to funds appropriated under this heading, except
23 that any funds made available notwithstanding such sec-
24 tion shall be subject to the regular notification procedures
25 of the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further*,

1 That funds appropriated under this heading shall be made
 2 available to support training and technical assistance for
 3 foreign law enforcement, corrections, judges, and other ju-
 4 dicial authorities, utilizing regional partners: *Provided fur-*
 5 *ther*, That funds made available under this heading for
 6 Program Development and Support may be made available
 7 notwithstanding pre-obligation requirements contained in
 8 this Act, except for the notification requirements of sec-
 9 tion 7015.

10 NONPROLIFERATION, ANTI-TERRORISM, DEMINING AND
 11 RELATED PROGRAMS

12 For necessary expenses for nonproliferation, anti-ter-
 13 rorism, demining and related programs and activities,
 14 \$870,000,000, to remain available until September 30,
 15 2028, to carry out the provisions of chapter 8 of part II
 16 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for anti-terrorism
 17 assistance, chapter 9 of part II of the Foreign Assistance
 18 Act of 1961, section 504 of the FREEDOM Support Act
 19 (22 U.S.C. 5854), section 23 of the Arms Export Control
 20 Act (22 U.S.C. 2763), or the Foreign Assistance Act of
 21 1961 for demining activities, the clearance of unexploded
 22 ordnance, the destruction of small arms, and related ac-
 23 tivities, notwithstanding any other provision of law, includ-
 24 ing activities implemented through nongovernmental and
 25 international organizations, and section 301 of the For-

1 eign Assistance Act of 1961 for a United States contribu-
2 tion to the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty Pre-
3 paratory Commission, and for a voluntary contribution to
4 the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA): *Pro-*
5 *vided*, That funds made available under this heading for
6 the Nonproliferation and Disarmament Fund shall be
7 made available, notwithstanding any other provision of law
8 and subject to prior consultation with, and the regular no-
9 tification procedures of, the Committees on Appropria-
10 tions, to promote bilateral and multilateral activities relat-
11 ing to nonproliferation, disarmament, and weapons de-
12 struction, and shall remain available until expended: *Pro-*
13 *vided further*, That such funds may also be used for such
14 countries other than the Independent States of the former
15 Soviet Union and international organizations when it is
16 in the national security interest of the United States to
17 do so: *Provided further*, That funds appropriated under
18 this heading may be made available for the IAEA unless
19 the Secretary of State determines that Israel is being de-
20 nied its right to participate in the activities of that Agen-
21 cy: *Provided further*, That funds made available for con-
22 ventional weapons destruction programs, including
23 demining and related activities, in addition to funds other-
24 wise available for such purposes, may be used for adminis-
25 trative expenses related to the operation and management

1 of such programs and activities, subject to the regular no-
2 tification procedures of the Committees on Appropria-
3 tions.

4 SECURITY SECTOR PROGRAMS

5 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
6 of section 551 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961,
7 \$235,000,000, to remain available until September 30,
8 2028: *Provided*, That funds appropriated under this head-
9 ing may be used, notwithstanding section 660 of the For-
10 eign Assistance Act of 1961, to provide assistance to en-
11 hance the capacity of foreign civilian security forces, in-
12 cluding gendarmes, to participate in peacekeeping oper-
13 ations: *Provided further*, That of the funds appropriated
14 under this heading, not less than \$30,000,000 shall be
15 made available for a United States contribution to the
16 Multinational Force and Observers mission in the Sinai.

17 FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT

18 INTERNATIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING

19 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
20 of section 541 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961,
21 \$119,152,000, to remain available until September 30,
22 2028: *Provided*, That the civilian personnel for whom mili-
23 tary education and training may be provided under this
24 heading may include civilians who are not members of a
25 government whose participation would contribute to im-

1 proved civil-military relations, civilian control of the mili-
 2 tary, or respect for human rights: *Provided further*, That
 3 of the funds appropriated under this heading, \$3,500,000
 4 shall remain available until expended to increase the par-
 5 ticipation of women in programs and activities funded
 6 under this heading, following consultation with the Com-
 7 mittees on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That of the
 8 funds appropriated under this heading, not to exceed
 9 \$50,000 may be available for entertainment expenses.

10 FOREIGN MILITARY FINANCING PROGRAM

11 For necessary expenses for grants to enable the
 12 President to carry out the provisions of section 23 of the
 13 Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2763),
 14 \$6,752,500,000: *Provided*, That to expedite the provision
 15 of assistance to foreign countries and international organi-
 16 zations, the Secretary of State, following consultation with
 17 the Committees on Appropriations and subject to the reg-
 18 ular notification procedures of such Committees, may use
 19 the funds appropriated under this heading to procure de-
 20 fense articles and services to enhance the capacity of for-
 21 eign security forces: *Provided further*, That funds appro-
 22 priated or otherwise made available under this heading
 23 shall be nonrepayable notwithstanding any requirement in
 24 section 23 of the Arms Export Control Act: *Provided fur-*
 25 *ther*, That funds made available under this heading shall

1 be obligated upon apportionment in accordance with para-
2 graph (5)(C) of section 1501(a) of title 31, United States
3 Code.

4 None of the funds made available under this heading
5 shall be available to finance the procurement of defense
6 articles, defense services, or design and construction serv-
7 ices that are not sold by the United States Government
8 under the Arms Export Control Act unless the foreign
9 country proposing to make such procurement has first
10 signed an agreement with the United States Government
11 specifying the conditions under which such procurement
12 may be financed with such funds: *Provided*, That all coun-
13 try and funding level increases in allocations shall be sub-
14 mitted through the regular notification procedures of sec-
15 tion 7015 of this Act: *Provided further*, That funds made
16 available under this heading may be used, notwithstanding
17 any other provision of law, for demining, the clearance of
18 unexploded ordnance, and related activities, and may in-
19 clude activities implemented through nongovernmental
20 and international organizations: *Provided further*, That a
21 country that is a member of the North Atlantic Treaty
22 Organization (NATO) or is a major non-NATO ally des-
23 igned by section 517(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act
24 of 1961 may utilize funds made available under this head-
25 ing for procurement of defense articles, defense services,

1 or design and construction services that are not sold by
2 the United States Government under the Arms Export
3 Control Act: *Provided further*, That funds appropriated
4 under this heading shall be expended at the minimum rate
5 necessary to make timely payment for defense articles and
6 services: *Provided further*, That not more than
7 \$32,000,000 of the funds appropriated under this heading
8 may be obligated for necessary expenses, including the
9 purchase of passenger motor vehicles for replacement only
10 for use outside of the United States, for the general costs
11 of administering military assistance and sales, except that
12 this limitation may be exceeded only through the regular
13 notification procedures of the Committees on Appropria-
14 tions: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State may
15 use funds made available under this heading pursuant to
16 the previous proviso for the administrative and other oper-
17 ational costs of the Department of State related to mili-
18 tary assistance and sales, assistance under section 551 of
19 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and Department of
20 Defense security assistance programs, in addition to funds
21 otherwise available for such purposes: *Provided further*,
22 That up to \$2,000,000 of the funds made available pursu-
23 ant to the previous proviso may be used for direct hire
24 personnel, except that this limitation may be exceeded by
25 the Secretary of State following consultation with the

1 Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That of
2 the funds made available under this heading for general
3 costs of administering military assistance and sales, not
4 to exceed \$4,000 may be available for entertainment ex-
5 penses and not to exceed \$130,000 may be available for
6 representation expenses: *Provided further*, That not more
7 than \$1,807,998,823 of funds realized pursuant to section
8 21(e)(1)(A) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C.
9 2761(e)(1)(A)) may be obligated for expenses incurred
10 during fiscal year 2027 pursuant to section 43(b) of the
11 Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2792(b)), of which
12 not more than \$30,000,000 may be obligated by the De-
13 partment of State, including for direct hire of personnel,
14 and not more than \$1,777,998,823 may be obligated by
15 the Department of Defense, except that this limitation
16 may be exceeded only through the regular notification pro-
17 cedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

18 TITLE V

19 MULTILATERAL ASSISTANCE

20 INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

21 GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT FACILITY

22 For payment to the International Bank for Recon-
23 struction and Development as trustee for the Global Envi-
24 ronment Facility by the Secretary of the Treasury,
25 \$139,575,000, to remain available until expended.

1 CONTRIBUTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
2 ASSOCIATION

3 For payment to the International Development Asso-
4 ciation by the Secretary of the Treasury, \$503,973,000,
5 to remain available until expended.

6 CONTRIBUTION TO THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT FUND

7 For payment to the Asian Development Bank's Asian
8 Development Fund by the Secretary of the Treasury,
9 \$43,610,000, to remain available until expended.

10 CONTRIBUTION TO THE AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK

11 For payment to the African Development Bank by
12 the Secretary of the Treasury for the United States share
13 of the paid-in portion of the increases in capital stock,
14 \$32,417,000, to remain available until expended.

15 LIMITATION ON CALLABLE CAPITAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

16 The United States Governor of the African Develop-
17 ment Bank may subscribe without fiscal year limitation
18 to the callable capital portion of the United States share
19 of increases in capital stock in an amount not to exceed
20 \$856,174,624.

21 CONTRIBUTION TO THE EUROPEAN BANK FOR
22 RECONSTRUCTION AND DEVELOPMENT

23 For payment to the European Bank for Reconstruc-
24 tion and Development by the Secretary of the Treasury
25 for the United States share of the paid-in portion of the

1 increases in capital stock, \$67,500,000, to remain avail-
2 able until expended.

3 CONTRIBUTION TO THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT
4 BANK

5 For payment to the Inter-American Investment Cor-
6 poration by the Secretary of the Treasury, \$30,000,000,
7 to remain available until expended: *Provided*, That such
8 amounts may be made available for the United States
9 share of an increase in the capital stock of the Inter-Amer-
10 ican Investment Corporation.

11 CONTRIBUTION TO THE INTERNATIONAL FUND FOR
12 AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT

13 For payment to the International Fund for Agricul-
14 tural Development by the Secretary of the Treasury,
15 \$30,000,000, to remain available until expended.

16 TREASURY INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

17 For contributions by the Secretary of the Treasury
18 to international financial institutions and trust funds ad-
19 ministered by such institutions, in addition to amounts
20 otherwise available for such purposes, \$50,000,000, to re-
21 main available until expended: *Provided*, That of the
22 amount made available under this heading, up to
23 \$50,000,000 may be available for the costs, as defined in
24 section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, of
25 loan guarantees to the international financial institutions:

1 *Provided further*, That funds made available under this
 2 heading may be transferred to, and merged with, funds
 3 appropriated under the headings in this title and under
 4 the headings “International Affairs Technical Assistance”,
 5 “Debt Restructuring”, and “Tropical Forest and Coral
 6 Reef Conservation” in title III of this Act and prior Acts
 7 making appropriations for national security, Department
 8 of State, and related programs: *Provided further*, That
 9 such transfer authority is in addition to any other transfer
 10 authority provided in this Act or any other Act: *Provided*
 11 *further*, That funds made available under this heading, in-
 12 cluding funds transferred pursuant to the second proviso,
 13 shall be subject to prior consultation with, and the regular
 14 notification procedures of, the Committees on Appropria-
 15 tions.

16 TITLE VI

17 EXPORT AND INVESTMENT ASSISTANCE

18 EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

19 INSPECTOR GENERAL

20 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector
 21 General in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector
 22 General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.), \$8,860,000, of
 23 which up to \$1,329,000 may remain available until Sep-
 24 tember 30, 2028.

1 PROGRAM ACCOUNT

2 The Export-Import Bank of the United States is au-
3 thorized to make such expenditures within the limits of
4 funds and borrowing authority available to such corpora-
5 tion, and in accordance with law, and to make such con-
6 tracts and commitments without regard to fiscal year limi-
7 tations, as provided by section 9104 of title 31, United
8 States Code, as may be necessary in carrying out the pro-
9 gram for the current fiscal year for such corporation: *Pro-*
10 *vided*, That none of the funds available during the current
11 fiscal year may be used to make expenditures, contracts,
12 or commitments for the export of nuclear equipment, fuel,
13 or technology to any country, other than a nuclear-weapon
14 state as defined in Article IX of the Treaty on the Non-
15 Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons eligible to receive eco-
16 nomic or military assistance under this Act, that has deto-
17 nated a nuclear explosive after the date of enactment of
18 this Act.

19 ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

20 For administrative expenses to carry out the direct
21 and guaranteed loan and insurance programs, including
22 hire of passenger motor vehicles and services as authorized
23 by section 3109 of title 5, United States Code, and not
24 to exceed \$30,000 for official reception and representation
25 expenses for members of the Board of Directors, not to

1 exceed \$125,000,000, of which up to \$18,750,000 may re-
2 main available until September 30, 2028: *Provided*, That
3 the Export-Import Bank (the Bank) may accept, and use,
4 payment or services provided by transaction participants
5 for legal, financial, or technical services in connection with
6 any transaction for which an application for a loan, guar-
7 antee or insurance commitment has been made: *Provided*
8 *further*, That notwithstanding subsection (b) of section
9 117 of the Export Enhancement Act of 1992, subsection
10 (a) of such section shall remain in effect until September
11 30, 2027: *Provided further*, That the Bank shall charge
12 fees for necessary expenses (including special services per-
13 formed on a contract or fee basis, but not including other
14 personal services) in connection with the collection of mon-
15 eys owed the Bank, repossession or sale of pledged collat-
16 eral or other assets acquired by the Bank in satisfaction
17 of moneys owed the Bank, or the investigation or appraisal
18 of any property, or the evaluation of the legal, financial,
19 or technical aspects of any transaction for which an appli-
20 cation for a loan, guarantee or insurance commitment has
21 been made, or systems infrastructure directly supporting
22 transactions: *Provided further*, That in addition to other
23 funds appropriated for administrative expenses, such fees
24 shall be credited to this account for such purposes, to re-
25 main available until expended.

PROGRAM BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS

For the cost of direct loans, loan guarantees, insurance, and tied-aid grants as authorized by section 10 of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended, not to exceed \$30,000,000, to remain available until September 30, 2030: *Provided*, That such costs, including the cost of modifying such loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: *Provided further*, That such funds shall remain available until September 30, 2042, for the disbursement of direct loans, loan guarantees, insurance and tied-aid grants obligated in fiscal years 2027 through 2030.

RECEIPTS COLLECTED

Receipts collected pursuant to the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 (Public Law 79–173) and the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990, in an amount not to exceed the amount appropriated herein, shall be credited as offsetting collections to this account: *Provided*, That the sums herein appropriated from the General Fund shall be reduced on a dollar-for-dollar basis by such offsetting collections so as to result in a final fiscal year appropriation from the General Fund estimated at \$0.

1 UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
2 FINANCE CORPORATION
3 INSPECTOR GENERAL

4 For necessary expenses of the Office of Inspector
5 General in carrying out the provisions of the Inspector
6 General Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App.), \$7,200,000, to re-
7 main available until September 30, 2028.

8 CORPORATE CAPITAL ACCOUNT

9 The United States International Development Fi-
10 nance Corporation (the Corporation) is authorized to
11 make such expenditures and commitments within the lim-
12 its of funds and borrowing authority available to the Cor-
13 poration, and in accordance with the law, and to make
14 such expenditures and commitments without regard to fis-
15 cal year limitations, as provided by section 9104 of title
16 31, United States Code, as may be necessary in carrying
17 out the programs for the current fiscal year for the Cor-
18 poration: *Provided*, That for necessary expenses of the ac-
19 tivities described in subsections (b), (c), (e), (f), and (g)
20 of section 1421 of the BUILD Act of 2018 (division F
21 of Public Law 115–254) and for administrative expenses
22 to carry out authorized activities described in section
23 1434(d) of such Act, \$983,250,000: *Provided further*,
24 That of the amount provided—

1 (1) \$243,000,000 shall remain available until
2 September 30, 2029, for administrative expenses to
3 carry out authorized activities (including an amount
4 for official reception and representation expenses
5 which shall not exceed \$25,000); and

6 (2) \$740,250,000 shall remain available until
7 September 30, 2029, for the activities described in
8 subsections (b), (c), (e), (f), and (g) of section 1421
9 of the BUILD Act of 2018, except such amounts ob-
10 ligated in a fiscal year for activities described in sec-
11 tion 1421(c) of such Act shall remain available for
12 disbursement for the term of the underlying project:
13 *Provided further,* That amounts made available
14 under this paragraph may be paid to the “United
15 States International Development Finance Corpora-
16 tion—Program Account” for programs authorized
17 by subsections (b), (e), (f), and (g) of section 1421
18 of the BUILD Act of 2018:

19 *Provided further,* That funds may only be obligated pursu-
20 ant to section 1421(g) of the BUILD Act of 2018 subject
21 to prior consultation with the appropriate congressional
22 committees and the regular notification procedures of the
23 Committees on Appropriations: *Provided further,* That
24 funds appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making ap-
25 propriations for national security, Department of State,

1 and related programs for support by the Corporation in
2 high-income and advancing income countries shall be sub-
3 ject to prior consultation with the Committees on Appro-
4 priations: *Provided further*, That in fiscal year 2027 collec-
5 tions of amounts described in section 1434(h) of the
6 BUILD Act of 2018 shall be credited as offsetting collec-
7 tions to this appropriation: *Provided further*, That such
8 collections collected in fiscal year 2027 in excess of
9 \$983,250,000 shall be credited to this account and shall
10 be available in future fiscal years only to the extent pro-
11 vided in advance in appropriations Acts: *Provided further*,
12 That in fiscal year 2027, if such collections are less than
13 \$983,250,000, receipts collected pursuant to the BUILD
14 Act of 2018 and the Federal Credit Reform Act of 1990,
15 in an amount equal to such shortfall, shall be credited as
16 offsetting collections to this appropriation: *Provided fur-*
17 *ther*, That fees charged for project-specific transaction
18 costs as described in section 1434(k) of the BUILD Act
19 of 2018, and other direct costs associated with origination
20 or monitoring services provided to specific or potential in-
21 vestors, shall not be considered administrative expenses
22 for the purposes of this heading: *Provided further*, That
23 such fees shall be credited to this account for such pur-
24 poses, to remain available until expended: *Provided fur-*
25 *ther*, That funds appropriated or otherwise made available

1 under this heading may not be used to provide any type
2 of assistance that is otherwise prohibited by any other pro-
3 vision of law or to provide assistance to any foreign coun-
4 try that is otherwise prohibited by any other provision of
5 law: *Provided further*, That the sums herein appropriated
6 from the General Fund shall be reduced on a dollar-for-
7 dollar basis by the offsetting collections described under
8 this heading so as to result in a final fiscal year appropria-
9 tion from the General Fund estimated at \$676,450,000.

10 PROGRAM ACCOUNT

11 Amounts paid from “United States International De-
12 velopment Finance Corporation—Corporate Capital Ac-
13 count” (CCA) shall remain available until September 30,
14 2029: *Provided*, That amounts paid to this account from
15 CCA or transferred to this account pursuant to section
16 1434(j) of the BUILD Act of 2018 (division F of Public
17 Law 115–254) shall be available for the costs of direct
18 and guaranteed loans provided by the Corporation pursu-
19 ant to section 1421(b) of such Act and the costs of modi-
20 fying loans and loan guarantees transferred to the Cor-
21 poration pursuant to section 1463 of such Act: *Provided*
22 *further*, That such costs, including the cost of modifying
23 such loans, shall be as defined in section 502 of the Con-
24 gressional Budget Act of 1974: *Provided further*, That
25 such amounts obligated in a fiscal year shall remain avail-

1 able for disbursement for the following 8 fiscal years: *Pro-*
 2 *vided further*, That funds made available in this Act and
 3 transferred to carry out the Foreign Assistance Act of
 4 1961 pursuant to section 1434(j) of the BUILD Act of
 5 2018 may remain available for obligation for 1 additional
 6 fiscal year: *Provided further*, That the total loan principal
 7 or guaranteed principal amount shall not exceed
 8 \$22,000,000,000.

9 TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

10 For necessary expenses to carry out the provisions
 11 of section 661 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961,
 12 \$87,000,000, to remain available until September 30,
 13 2028: *Provided*, That of the funds appropriated under this
 14 heading, not more than \$5,000 may be available for rep-
 15 resentation and entertainment expenses.

16 TITLE VII

17 GENERAL PROVISIONS

18 ALLOWANCES AND DIFFERENTIALS

19 SEC. 7001. Funds appropriated under title I of this
 20 Act shall be available, except as otherwise provided, for
 21 allowances and differentials as authorized by subchapter
 22 59 of title 5, United States Code; for services as author-
 23 ized by section 3109 of such title and for hire of passenger
 24 transportation pursuant to section 1343(b) of title 31,
 25 United States Code.

UNOBLIGATED BALANCES REPORT

SEC. 7002. Any department or agency of the United States Government to which funds are appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act shall provide to the Committees on Appropriations a quarterly accounting of cumulative unobligated balances and obligated, but unexpended, balances by program, project, and activity, and Treasury Account Fund Symbol of all funds received by such department or agency in fiscal year 2027 or any previous fiscal year, disaggregated by fiscal year: *Provided*, That the report required by this section shall be submitted not later than 30 days after the end of each fiscal quarter and should specify by account the amount of funds obligated pursuant to bilateral agreements which have not been further sub-obligated.

CONSULTING SERVICES

SEC. 7003. The expenditure of any appropriation under title I of this Act for any consulting service through procurement contract, pursuant to section 3109 of title 5, United States Code, shall be limited to those contracts where such expenditures are a matter of public record and available for public inspection, except where otherwise provided under existing law, or under existing Executive order issued pursuant to existing law.

DIPLOMATIC FACILITIES

SEC. 7004. (a) CAPITAL SECURITY COST SHARING
EXCEPTION.—Notwithstanding paragraph (2) of section
604(e) of the Secure Embassy Construction and
Counterterrorism Act of 1999 (title VI of division A of
H.R. 3427, as enacted into law by section 1000(a)(7) of
Public Law 106–113 and contained in appendix G of that
Act), as amended by section 111 of the Department of
State Authorities Act, Fiscal Year 2017 (Public Law 114–
323), a project to construct a facility of the United States
may include office space or other accommodations for
members of the United States Marine Corps.

(b) CONSULTATION AND NOTIFICATIONS.—Funds
appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making appropria-
tions for national security, Department of State, and re-
lated programs, which may be made available for the ac-
quisition of property or award of construction contracts
for overseas United States diplomatic facilities during fis-
cal year 2027, shall be subject to prior consultation with,
and the regular notification procedures of, the Committees
on Appropriations: *Provided*, That notifications pursuant
to this subsection shall include the information enumer-
ated under this section in the report accompanying this
Act: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State shall
consult with the Committees on Appropriations at the

1 early project development stage for out-year construction
2 projects, including to discuss security and non-security
3 construction requirements, modifications to scope, and
4 cost reductions identified for such projects, consistent with
5 applicable laws and regulations: *Provided further*, That the
6 Secretary shall submit a quarterly report to the Commit-
7 tees on Appropriations on contingency savings identified
8 from funds appropriated under the heading “Embassy Se-
9 curity, Construction, and Maintenance” by prior Acts
10 making appropriations for national security, Department
11 of State, and related programs, and the obligation of
12 funds made available by such savings shall be subject to
13 prior consultation with the Committees on Appropriations.

14 (c) INTERIM AND TEMPORARY FACILITIES
15 ABROAD.—

16 (1) SECURITY VULNERABILITIES.—Funds ap-
17 propriated by this Act under the heading “Embassy
18 Security, Construction, and Maintenance” may be
19 made available, following consultation with the ap-
20 propriate congressional committees, to address secu-
21 rity vulnerabilities at interim and temporary United
22 States diplomatic facilities abroad, including physical
23 security upgrades and local guard staffing.

24 (2) CONSULTATION.—The opening, closure, or
25 any significant modification to an interim or tem-

13 (e) FACILITIES.—None of the funds appropriated or
14 otherwise made available by this Act may be used—

(2) for a United States Embassy, Consulate General, or any other diplomatic facility in Jerusalem other than the United States Embassy to the State of Israel.

23 SEC. 7005. Any costs incurred by a department or
24 agency funded under title I of this Act resulting from per-
25 sonnel actions taken in response to funding reductions in-

1 cluded in this Act shall be absorbed within the total budg-
 2 etary resources available under title I to such department
 3 or agency: *Provided*, That the authority to transfer funds
 4 between appropriations accounts as may be necessary to
 5 carry out this section is provided in addition to authorities
 6 included elsewhere in this Act: *Provided further*, That use
 7 of funds to carry out this section shall be treated as a
 8 reprogramming of funds under section 7015 of this Act.

9 PROHIBITION ON PUBLICITY OR PROPAGANDA

10 SEC. 7006. No part of any appropriation contained
 11 in this Act shall be used for publicity or propaganda pur-
 12 poses within the United States not authorized before en-
 13 actment of this Act by Congress: *Provided*, That up to
 14 \$25,000 may be made available to carry out the provisions
 15 of section 316 of the International Security and Develop-
 16 ment Cooperation Act of 1980 (Public Law 96–533; 22
 17 U.S.C. 2151a note).

18 PROHIBITION AGAINST DIRECT FUNDING FOR CERTAIN
 19 COUNTRIES

20 SEC. 7007. None of the funds appropriated or other-
 21 wise made available pursuant to titles III through VI of
 22 this Act shall be obligated or expended to finance directly
 23 any assistance or reparations for the governments of
 24 Cuba, North Korea, or Iran: *Provided*, That for purposes
 25 of this section, the prohibition on obligations or expendi-

1 tures shall include direct loans, credits, insurance, and
2 guarantees of the Export-Import Bank or its agents.

3 COUPS D'ÉTAT

4 SEC. 7008. (a) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds ap-
5 propriated or otherwise made available pursuant to titles
6 III through VI of this Act shall be obligated or expended
7 to finance directly any assistance to the government of any
8 country whose duly elected head of government is deposed
9 by military coup d'état or decree or, after the date of en-
10 actment of this Act, a coup d'état or decree in which the
11 military plays a decisive role: *Provided*, That assistance
12 may be resumed to such government if the Secretary of
13 State certifies and reports to the appropriate congres-
14 sional committees that subsequent to the termination of
15 assistance a democratically elected government has taken
16 office: *Provided further*, That the provisions of this section
17 shall not apply to assistance to promote democratic elec-
18 tions or public participation in democratic processes, or
19 to support a democratic transition: *Provided further*, That
20 funds made available pursuant to the previous provisos
21 shall be subject to prior consultation with, and the regular
22 notification procedures of, the Committees on Appropria-
23 tions.

24 (b) WAIVER.—The Secretary of State, following con-
25 sultation with the heads of relevant Federal agencies, may

1 waive the restriction in this section on a program-by-pro-
 2 gram basis if the Secretary certifies and reports to the
 3 Committees on Appropriations that such waiver is in the
 4 national security interest of the United States: *Provided*,
 5 That funds made available pursuant to such waiver shall
 6 be subject to prior consultation with, and the regular noti-
 7 fication procedures of, the Committees on Appropriations.

8 TRANSFER OF FUNDS AUTHORITY

9 SEC. 7009. (a) DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—

10 (1) DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—

11 (A) IN GENERAL.—Not to exceed 5 percent
 12 of any appropriation made available for the cur-
 13 rent fiscal year for the Department of State
 14 under title I of this Act may be transferred be-
 15 tween, and merged with, such appropriations,
 16 but no such appropriation, except as otherwise
 17 specifically provided, shall be increased by more
 18 than 10 percent by any such transfers, and no
 19 such transfer may be made to increase the ap-
 20 propriation under the heading “Representation
 21 Expenses”.

22 (B) EMBASSY SECURITY.—Funds appro-
 23 priated under the headings “Diplomatic Pro-
 24 grams”, including for Worldwide Security Pro-
 25 tection, “Embassy Security, Construction, and

1 Maintenance”, and “Emergencies in the Diplo-
2 matic and Consular Service” in this Act may be
3 transferred to, and merged with, funds appro-
4 priated under such headings if the Secretary of
5 State determines and reports to the Committees
6 on Appropriations that to do so is necessary to
7 implement the recommendations of the
8 Benghazi Accountability Review Board, for
9 emergency evacuations, or to prevent or re-
10 spond to security situations and requirements,
11 subject to the regular notification procedures of
12 such Committees.

13 (C) EMERGENCIES IN THE DIPLOMATIC
14 AND CONSULAR SERVICE.—Of the amount made
15 available under the heading “Diplomatic Pro-
16 grams” for Worldwide Security Protection, not
17 to exceed \$50,000,000 may be transferred to,
18 and merged with, funds made available by this
19 Act under the heading “Emergencies in the
20 Diplomatic and Consular Service”, to be avail-
21 able only for emergency evacuations and re-
22 wards, as authorized.

23 (D) CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND.—Of the
24 amount made available under the heading,
25 “Diplomatic Programs”, up to \$50,000,000

1 may be transferred to, and merged with, funds
2 made available in title I of this Act under the
3 heading “Capital Investment Fund”.

4 (E) PRIOR CONSULTATION.—The transfer
5 authorities provided by subparagraphs (B), (C),
6 and (D) are in addition to any transfer author-
7 ity otherwise available in this Act and under
8 any other provision of law and the exercise of
9 such authority shall be subject to prior con-
10 sultation with the Committees on Appropria-
11 tions.

12 (2) TREATMENT AS REPROGRAMMING.—Any
13 transfer pursuant to this subsection shall be treated
14 as a reprogramming of funds under section 7015 of
15 this Act and shall not be available for obligation or
16 expenditure except in compliance with the proce-
17 dures set forth in that section.

18 (b) LIMITATION ON TRANSFERS OF FUNDS BE-
19 TWEEN AGENCIES.—

20 (1) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds made
21 available under titles II through V of this Act may
22 be transferred to any department, agency, or instru-
23 mentality of the United States Government, except
24 pursuant to a transfer made by, or transfer author-

1 ity provided in, this Act or any other appropriations
2 Act.

3 (2) ALLOCATION AND TRANSFERS.—Notwith-
4 standing paragraph (1), in addition to transfers
5 made by, or authorized elsewhere in, this Act, funds
6 appropriated by this Act to carry out the purposes
7 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 may be allo-
8 cated or transferred to agencies of the United States
9 Government pursuant to the provisions of sections
10 109, 610, and 632 of the Foreign Assistance Act of
11 1961, and section 1434(j) of the BUILD Act of
12 2018 (division F of Public Law 115–254).

13 (3) NOTIFICATION.—Any agreement entered
14 into by the Department of State with any depart-
15 ment, agency, or instrumentality of the United
16 States Government pursuant to section 632(b) of the
17 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 valued in excess of
18 \$2,000,000 and any agreement made pursuant to
19 section 632(a) of such Act, with funds appropriated
20 by this Act or prior Acts making appropriations for
21 national security, Department of State, and related
22 programs under the headings “Global Health Pro-
23 grams”, “Development Assistance”, “Economic Sup-
24 port Fund”, “National Security Investment Pro-
25 grams”, “Assistance for Europe, Eurasia and Cen-

1 tral Asia”, and “International Narcotics Control and
2 Law Enforcement” shall be subject to the regular
3 notification procedures of the Committees on Approp-
4 riations: *Provided*, That the requirement of this
5 paragraph shall not apply to such agreements with
6 a department, agency, or instrumentality funded by
7 this Act or prior Acts making appropriations for na-
8 tional security, Department of State, and related
9 programs.

10 (4) PRIOR CONSULTATION REQUIREMENT.—
11 Agreements between the Department of State with
12 any department, agency, or instrumentality of the
13 United States Government not funded by this Act or
14 prior Acts making appropriations for national secu-
15 rity, Department of State, and related programs, to
16 transfer or allocate funds appropriated under the
17 headings “International Humanitarian Assistance”
18 and “United States Emergency Refugee and Migra-
19 tion Assistance Fund” in this Act, or under the
20 headings “International Disaster Assistance”, “Mi-
21 gration and Refugee Assistance”, and “United
22 States Emergency Refugee and Migration Assistance
23 Fund” in prior Acts making appropriations for na-
24 tional security, Department of State, and related
25 programs in excess of \$7,000,000 shall be subject to

1 prior consultation with the Committees on Appro-
2 priations, not later than 7 days prior to the transfer
3 of such funds, except if to do so would pose an im-
4 mediate and substantial risk to human health or
5 welfare: *Provided*, That in the case of any such ex-
6 ception the information required by such consulta-
7 tion shall be provided as early as practicable, but in
8 no event later than 3 days after taking the action
9 to which the consultation requirement was applica-
10 ble, and such information shall include a description
11 of the circumstance necessitating such exception.

12 (c) UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT
13 FINANCE CORPORATION.—Amounts transferred pursuant
14 to section 1434(j) of the BUILD Act of 2018 (division
15 F of Public Law 115–254) may only be transferred from
16 funds made available under title III of this Act: *Provided*,
17 That any such transfers, or any other amounts transferred
18 to the United States International Development Finance
19 Corporation (the Corporation) pursuant to any provision
20 of law, shall be subject to prior consultation with, and the
21 regular notification procedures of, the Committees on Ap-
22 propriations: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State
23 and the Chief Executive Officer of the Corporation, as ap-
24 propriate, shall ensure that the programs funded by such
25 transfers are coordinated with, and complement, foreign

1 assistance programs implemented by the Department of
2 State.

3 (d) INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION.—Of the amount
4 appropriated by this Act under the heading “National Se-
5 curity Investment Programs”, up to \$10,000,000 may be
6 transferred to, and merged with, funds made available
7 under the heading “Inter-American Foundation” in prior
8 Acts making appropriations for national security, Depart-
9 ment of State, and related programs: *Provided*, That the
10 transfer authority of this subsection is in addition to any
11 transfer authority otherwise available in this Act and
12 under any other provision of law and the exercise of such
13 authority shall be subject to prior consultation with the
14 appropriate congressional committees and the regular no-
15 tification procedures of the Committees on Appropria-
16 tions.

17 (e) TRANSFER OF FUNDS BETWEEN ACCOUNTS.—
18 None of the funds made available under titles II through
19 V of this Act may be obligated under an appropriations
20 account to which such funds were not appropriated, except
21 for transfers specifically provided for in this Act, unless
22 the President, not less than 5 days prior to the exercise
23 of any authority contained in the Foreign Assistance Act
24 of 1961 to transfer funds, consults with and provides a

1 written policy justification to the Committees on Appro-
2 priations.

3 (f) AUDIT OF INTER-AGENCY TRANSFERS OF
4 FUNDS.—Any agreement for the transfer or allocation of
5 funds appropriated by this Act or prior Acts making ap-
6 propriations for national security, Department of State,
7 and related programs entered into between the Depart-
8 ment of State and another agency of the United States
9 Government under the authority of section 632(a) of the
10 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, or any comparable provi-
11 sion of law, shall expressly provide that the Inspector Gen-
12 eral (IG) for the agency receiving the transfer or allocation
13 of such funds, or other entity with audit responsibility if
14 the receiving agency does not have an IG, shall perform
15 periodic program and financial audits of the use of such
16 funds and report to the Department of State upon comple-
17 tion of such audits: *Provided*, That such audits shall be
18 transmitted to the Committees on Appropriations by the
19 Department of State: *Provided further*, That funds trans-
20 ferred under such authority may be made available for the
21 cost of such audits.

22 PROHIBITION AND LIMITATION ON CERTAIN EXPENSES

23 SEC. 7010. (a) FIRST-CLASS TRAVEL.—None of the
24 funds made available by this Act may be used for first-
25 class travel by employees of United States Government de-

1 partments and agencies funded by this Act in contraven-
2 tion of section 301–10.122 through 301–10.124 of title
3 41, Code of Federal Regulations.

4 (b) COMPUTER NETWORKS.—None of the funds
5 made available by this Act for the operating expenses of
6 any United States Government department or agency may
7 be used to establish or maintain a computer network for
8 use by such department or agency unless such network
9 has filters designed to block access to sexually explicit
10 websites: *Provided*, That nothing in this subsection shall
11 limit the use of funds necessary for any Federal, State,
12 Tribal, or local law enforcement agency, or any other enti-
13 ty carrying out the following activities: criminal investiga-
14 tions, prosecutions, and adjudications; administrative dis-
15 cipline; and the monitoring of such websites undertaken
16 as part of official business.

17 (c) COMPLIANCE WITH DIRECTIVE.—Not later than
18 30 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Sec-
19 retary of State shall brief the Committees on Appropria-
20 tions on the reason for the failure of the Department of
21 State to comply with the directive in 2024 under this sec-
22 tion in House Report 118–146 to update the interagency
23 guidance cable on promoting tobacco in the manner de-
24 scribed in such report and the reason for the delay in the

1 submission of the related report required under this sec-
2 tion in House Report 119-217.

3 (d) EMAIL SERVERS OUTSIDE THE .GOV DOMAIN.—
4 None of the funds appropriated by this Act under the
5 headings “Diplomatic Programs” and “Capital Invest-
6 ment Fund” that are made available to the Department
7 of State may be made available to support the use or es-
8 tablishment of email accounts or email servers created
9 outside the .gov domain or not fitted for automated
10 records management as part of a Federal government
11 records management program in contravention of the
12 Presidential and Federal Records Act Amendments of
13 2014 (Public Law 113–187).

14 (e) REPRESENTATION AND ENTERTAINMENT EX-
15 PENSES.—Each Federal department, agency, or entity
16 funded in title I of this Act and the Department of the
17 Treasury and independent agencies funded in titles III or
18 VI of this Act, shall take steps to ensure that domestic
19 and overseas representation and entertainment expenses
20 further official agency business and United States foreign
21 policy interests, and—

22 (1) are primarily for fostering relations outside
23 of the Executive Branch;

24 (2) are principally for meals and events of a
25 protocol nature;

1 (3) are not for employee-only events; and

2 (4) do not include activities that are substan-
3 tially of a recreational character.

4 (f) LIMITATIONS ON ENTERTAINMENT EXPENSES.—

5 None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
6 able by this Act under the headings “International Mili-
7 tary Education and Training” or “Foreign Military Fi-
8 nancing Program” for Informational Program activities or
9 under the headings “Global Health Programs” and “Na-
10 tional Security Investment Programs” may be obligated
11 or expended to pay for—

12 (1) alcoholic beverages; or

13 (2) entertainment expenses for activities that
14 are substantially of a recreational character, includ-
15 ing entrance fees at sporting events, theatrical and
16 musical productions, and amusement parks.

17 ASSISTANCE EFFECTIVENESS AND TRANSPARENCY

18 SEC. 7011. (a) REPORT.—

19 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days
20 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Sec-
21 retary of State shall submit to the appropriate con-
22 gressional committees a report on the implementa-
23 tion of the multi-year strategy to improve the effec-
24 tiveness of United States Government foreign assist-
25 ance required by section 7011(a) of the National Se-

1 security, Department of State, and Related Programs
2 Appropriations Act, 2026 (division F of Public Law
3 119–75), referred to in this subsection as “the 2026
4 Act”.

5 (2) ELEMENTS.—The report required by this
6 subsection shall include—

7 (A) a summary of the preliminary imple-
8 mentation of the strategy, including the rec-
9 ommendations of the panel of experts and prac-
10 titioners, and the results of beneficiary feedback
11 and impact evaluations described by section
12 7011(a) of the 2026 Act;

13 (B) a process for incorporating subpara-
14 graph (A) into foreign assistance planning, in-
15 cluding using evidence of cost-effectiveness to
16 choose and design foreign assistance programs;

17 (C) an assessment of the implementation
18 of the reforms required by section 7011(a) of
19 the 2026 Act;

20 (D) standards for developing monitoring,
21 evaluation, oversight, and vetting plans for for-
22 eign assistance programs implemented across
23 the Department of State;

24 (E) criteria for identifying risk factors that
25 would require enhanced precautions with re-

1 spect to monitoring, evaluation, oversight, and
2 vetting, and a list of countries and assistance
3 programs that are subject to such enhanced
4 precautions;

5 (F) any updates to the multi-year strategy
6 required by section 7011(a) of the 2026 Act
7 since such strategy was submitted to the appro-
8 priate congressional committees, and the rea-
9 sons for such updates; and

10 (G) a detailed description of staffing levels
11 used to plan, budget, execute, monitor, evalu-
12 ate, and audit foreign assistance during fiscal
13 year 2026, and any planned changes to these
14 staffing levels for fiscal year 2027.

15 (b) BENEFICIARY FEEDBACK.—Funds appropriated
16 by this Act that are made available for monitoring and
17 evaluation of assistance under the headings “National Se-
18 curity Investment Programs” and “International Humani-
19 tarian Assistance” shall be made available for the regular
20 and systematic collection of feedback obtained directly
21 from beneficiaries to enhance the quality and relevance of
22 such assistance: *Provided*, That the Secretary of State
23 shall regularly conduct oversight to ensure that such feed-
24 back is collected and used by implementing partners to

1 maximize the cost-effectiveness and utility of such assist-
2 ance.

3 (c) EVALUATIONS.—Of the funds appropriated by
4 this Act under titles III and IV, not less than
5 \$15,000,000, to remain available until expended, shall be
6 made available for impact evaluations, including ex-post
7 evaluations, of the effectiveness and sustainability of
8 United States Government foreign assistance programs:
9 *Provided*, That funds made available pursuant to this sub-
10 section are in addition to funds otherwise made available
11 for such purposes.

12 (d) FOREIGN ASSISTANCE WEBSITE.—Funds appro-
13 priated by this Act under title I, funds made available for
14 any independent agency in title III, and funds made avail-
15 able under the headings “Trade and Development Agen-
16 cy” and “United States International Development Fi-
17 nance Corporation”, as appropriate, shall be made avail-
18 able to support the provision of additional information on
19 United States Government foreign assistance on the
20 “ForeignAssistance.gov” website: *Provided*, That all Fed-
21 eral agencies funded under this Act shall provide such in-
22 formation on foreign assistance, upon request and in a
23 timely manner, to the Department of State.

1 LIMITATION ON ASSISTANCE TO COUNTRIES IN DEFAULT

2 SEC. 7012. No part of any appropriation provided
3 under titles III through VI in this Act shall be used to
4 furnish assistance to the government of any country which
5 is in default during a period in excess of 1 calendar year
6 in payment to the United States of principal or interest
7 on any loan made to the government of such country by
8 the United States pursuant to a program for which funds
9 are appropriated under this Act unless the President de-
10 termines, following consultation with the Committees on
11 Appropriations, that assistance for such country is in the
12 national interest of the United States.

13 PROHIBITION ON TAXATION OF UNITED STATES

14 ASSISTANCE

15 SEC. 7013. (a) PROHIBITION ON TAXATION.—None
16 of the funds appropriated under titles III through VI of
17 this Act may be made available to provide assistance for
18 a foreign country under a new bilateral agreement gov-
19 erning the terms and conditions under which such assist-
20 ance is to be provided unless such agreement includes a
21 provision stating that assistance provided by the United
22 States shall be exempt from taxation, or reimbursed, by
23 the foreign government.

24 (b) NOTIFICATION AND REIMBURSEMENT OF FOR-
25 EIGN TAXES.—An amount equivalent to 200 percent of

1 the total taxes assessed during fiscal year 2027 on funds
2 appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making appropria-
3 tions for national security, Department of State, and re-
4 lated programs by a foreign government or entity against
5 United States assistance programs, either directly or
6 through grantees, contractors, and subcontractors, shall
7 be withheld from obligation from funds appropriated for
8 assistance for fiscal year 2028 and for prior fiscal years
9 and allocated for the central government of such country
10 or for the West Bank and Gaza program, as applicable,
11 if, not later than September 30, 2028, such taxes have
12 not been reimbursed.

13 (c) DE MINIMIS EXCEPTION.—Foreign taxes of a de
14 minimis nature shall not be subject to the provisions of
15 subsection (b).

16 (d) REPROGRAMMING OF FUNDS.—Funds withheld
17 from obligation for each foreign government or entity pur-
18 suant to subsection (b) shall be reprogrammed for assist-
19 ance for countries which do not assess taxes on United
20 States assistance or which have an effective arrangement
21 that is providing substantial reimbursement of such taxes,
22 and that can reasonably accommodate such assistance in
23 a programmatically responsible manner.

24 (e) DETERMINATIONS.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—The provisions of this sec-
2 tion shall not apply to any foreign government or en-
3 tity that assesses such taxes if the Secretary of
4 State reports to the Committees on Appropriations
5 that—

6 (A) such foreign government or entity has
7 an effective arrangement that is providing sub-
8 stantial reimbursement of such taxes; or

9 (B) the foreign policy interests of the
10 United States outweigh the purpose of this sec-
11 tion to ensure that United States assistance is
12 not subject to taxation.

13 (2) CONSULTATION.—The Secretary of State
14 shall consult with the Committees on Appropriations
15 at least 15 days prior to exercising the authority of
16 this subsection with regard to any foreign govern-
17 ment or entity.

18 (f) DEFINITIONS.—As used in this section:

19 (1) BILATERAL AGREEMENT.—The term “bilat-
20 eral agreement” refers to a framework bilateral
21 agreement between the Government of the United
22 States and the government of the country receiving
23 assistance that describes the privileges and immuni-
24 ties applicable to United States foreign assistance
25 for such country generally, or an individual agree-

1 ment between the Government of the United States
2 and such government that describes, among other
3 things, the treatment for tax purposes that will be
4 accorded the United States assistance provided
5 under that agreement.

6 (2) TAXES AND TAXATION.—The term “taxes
7 and taxation” shall include value added taxes and
8 customs duties but shall not include individual in-
9 come taxes assessed to local staff.

10 AVAILABILITY AND DESIGNATED FUNDING LEVELS

11 SEC. 7014. (a) AVAILABILITY.—No part of any ap-
12 propriation contained in this Act shall remain available for
13 obligation after the expiration of the current fiscal year
14 unless expressly so provided by this Act.

15 (b) REPROGRAMMING.—Funds appropriated under
16 titles III through VI of this Act which are specifically des-
17 ignated may be reprogrammed for other programs within
18 the same account notwithstanding the designation if com-
19 pliance with the designation is made impossible by oper-
20 ation of any provision of this or any other Act: *Provided*,
21 That any such reprogramming shall be subject to the reg-
22 ular notification procedures of the Committees on Appro-
23 priations: *Provided further*, That assistance that is repro-
24 grammed pursuant to this subsection shall be made avail-

1 able under the same terms and conditions as originally
2 provided.

3 (c) EXTENSION OF AVAILABILITY.—In addition to
4 the authority contained in subsection (b), the original pe-
5 riod of availability of funds appropriated by this Act and
6 administered by the Department of State that are specifi-
7 cally designated for particular programs or activities by
8 this or any other Act may be extended for an additional
9 fiscal year if the Secretary of State determines and reports
10 promptly to the Committees on Appropriations that the
11 termination of assistance to a country or a significant
12 change in circumstances makes it unlikely that such des-
13 ignated funds can be obligated during the original period
14 of availability: *Provided*, That such designated funds that
15 continue to be available for an additional fiscal year shall
16 be obligated only for the purpose of such designation.

17 (d) OTHER ACTS.—Ceilings and specifically des-
18 ignated funding levels contained in this Act shall not be
19 applicable to funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
20 able by any subsequent Act unless such Act specifically
21 so directs: *Provided*, That specifically designated funding
22 levels or minimum funding requirements contained in any
23 other Act shall not be applicable to funds appropriated
24 by this Act.

NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

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2 SEC. 7015. (a) NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES IN PRO-
3 GRAMS, PROJECTS, AND ACTIVITIES.—None of the funds
4 made available in titles I, II, and VI, and under the head-
5 ings “Peace Corps” and “Millennium Challenge Corpora-
6 tion”, of this Act or prior Acts making appropriations for
7 national security, Department of State, and related pro-
8 grams to the departments and agencies funded by this Act
9 that remain available for obligation in fiscal year 2027,
10 or provided from any accounts in the Treasury of the
11 United States derived by the collection of fees or of cur-
12 rency reflows or other offsetting collections, or made avail-
13 able by transfer, to the departments and agencies funded
14 by this Act, shall be available for obligation to—

- 15 (1) create new programs;
- 16 (2) suspend or eliminate a program, project, or
17 activity;
- 18 (3) close, suspend, open, or reopen a mission or
19 post;
- 20 (4) create, close, reorganize, downsize, or re-
21 name bureaus, centers, or offices; or
- 22 (5) contract out or privatize any functions or
23 activities presently performed by Federal employees;

1 unless previously justified to the Committees on Appro-
2 priations or such Committees are notified 15 days in ad-
3 vance of such obligation.

4 (b) NOTIFICATION OF REPROGRAMMING OF
5 FUNDS.—None of the funds provided under titles I, II,
6 and VI of this Act or prior Acts making appropriations
7 for national security, Department of State, and related
8 programs, to the departments and agencies funded under
9 such titles that remain available for obligation in fiscal
10 year 2027, or provided from any accounts in the Treasury
11 of the United States derived by the collection of fees avail-
12 able to the department funded under title I of this Act,
13 shall be available for obligation or expenditure for pro-
14 grams, projects, or activities through a reprogramming of
15 funds in excess of \$1,000,000 or 10 percent, whichever
16 is less, that—

17 (1) augments or changes existing programs,
18 projects, or activities;

19 (2) relocates an existing office or employees;

20 (3) reduces by 10 percent funding for any exist-
21 ing program, project, or activity, or numbers of per-
22 sonnel by 10 percent as approved by Congress; or

23 (4) results from any general savings, including
24 savings from a reduction in personnel, which would

1 result in a change in existing programs, projects, or
2 activities as approved by Congress;
3 unless the Committees on Appropriations are notified 15
4 days in advance of such reprogramming of funds.

5 (c) NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT.—None of the
6 funds made available by this Act under the headings
7 “Global Health Programs”, “National Security Invest-
8 ment Programs”, “Democracy Fund”, “Peace Corps”,
9 “Millennium Challenge Corporation”, “International Nar-
10 cotics Control and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation,
11 Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs”, “Secu-
12 rity Sector Programs”, “International Military Education
13 and Training”, “Foreign Military Financing Program”,
14 “United States International Development Finance Cor-
15 poration”, and “Trade and Development Agency” shall be
16 available for obligation for programs, projects, activities,
17 type of materiel assistance, countries, or other operations
18 not justified or in excess of the amount justified to the
19 Committees on Appropriations for obligation under any of
20 these specific headings unless the Committees on Appro-
21 priations are notified 15 days in advance of such obliga-
22 tion: *Provided*, That the President shall not enter into any
23 commitment of funds appropriated for the purposes of sec-
24 tion 23 of the Arms Export Control Act for the provision
25 of major defense equipment, other than conventional am-

1 munition, or other major defense items defined to be air-
2 craft, ships, missiles, or combat vehicles, not previously
3 justified to Congress or 20 percent in excess of the quan-
4 tities justified to Congress unless the Committees on Ap-
5 propriations are notified 15 days in advance of such com-
6 mitment: *Provided further*, That requirements of this sub-
7 section or any similar provision of this or any other Act
8 shall not apply to any reprogramming for a program,
9 project, or activity for which funds are appropriated under
10 titles III through VI of this Act of less than 10 percent
11 of the amount previously justified to Congress for obliga-
12 tion for such program, project, or activity for the current
13 fiscal year: *Provided further*, That any notification sub-
14 mitted pursuant to subsection (f) of this section shall in-
15 clude information on the use of notwithstanding authority.

16 (d) DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE PROGRAMS AND
17 FUNDING NOTIFICATIONS.—

18 (1) PROGRAMS.—None of the funds appro-
19 priated by this Act or prior Acts making appropria-
20 tions for national security, Department of State, and
21 related programs may be made available to support
22 or continue any program initially funded under any
23 authority of title 10, United States Code, or any Act
24 making or authorizing appropriations for the De-
25 partment of Defense, unless the Secretary of State,

1 in consultation with the Secretary of Defense and in
2 accordance with the regular notification procedures
3 of the Committees on Appropriations, submits a jus-
4 tification to such Committees that includes a de-
5 scription of, and the annual estimated costs associ-
6 ated with, the support or continuation of such pro-
7 gram.

8 (2) FUNDING.—Funds transferred by the De-
9 partment of Defense to the Department of State for
10 assistance for foreign countries and international or-
11 ganizations shall be subject to the regular notifica-
12 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropria-
13 tions.

14 (3) NOTIFICATION ON EXCESS DEFENSE ARTI-
15 CLES.—Prior to providing excess Department of De-
16 fense articles in accordance with section 516(a) of
17 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the Department
18 of Defense shall notify the Committees on Appro-
19 priations to the same extent and under the same
20 conditions as other committees pursuant to sub-
21 section (f) of that section: *Provided*, That before
22 issuing a letter of offer to sell excess defense articles
23 under the Arms Export Control Act, the Department
24 of Defense shall notify the Committees on Appro-
25 priations in accordance with the regular notification

1 procedures of such Committees if such defense arti-
2 cles are significant military equipment (as defined in
3 section 47(9) of the Arms Export Control Act) or
4 are valued (in terms of original acquisition cost) at
5 \$7,000,000 or more, or if notification is required
6 elsewhere in this Act for the use of appropriated
7 funds for specific countries that would receive such
8 excess defense articles: *Provided further*, That such
9 Committees shall also be informed of the original ac-
10 quisition cost of such defense articles.

11 (e) WAIVER.—Notwithstanding any other provision
12 of law, the requirements of this section or any similar pro-
13 vision of this Act or any other Act, including any prior
14 Act, requiring notification in accordance with the regular
15 notification procedures of, or consultations with, the Com-
16 mittees on Appropriations may only be waived if failure
17 to do so would pose a substantial risk to human health
18 or welfare: *Provided*, That in case of any such waiver, noti-
19 fication to, or consultation with, the Committees on Ap-
20 propriations shall be provided as early as practicable, but
21 in no event later than 3 days after taking the action to
22 which such notification requirement was applicable, in the
23 context of the circumstances necessitating such waiver:
24 *Provided further*, That any notification provided pursuant
25 to such a waiver shall contain an explanation of the emer-

1 agency circumstances: *Provided further*, That no other pro-
2 vision of law relating to such assistance may be construed
3 to authorize a waiver or alteration of the notification or
4 consultation requirements of this section, or any other no-
5 tification or consultation required by this Act or prior
6 Acts, unless such provision explicitly cites to and super-
7 sedes this proviso.

8 (f) COUNTRY NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.—None
9 of the funds appropriated under titles III through VI of
10 this Act may be obligated or expended for assistance for
11 Afghanistan, Burma, Colombia, Cuba, El Salvador, Gua-
12 temala, Haiti, Honduras, Iran, Iraq, Lebanon, Libya,
13 Mexico, Nicaragua, Nigeria, Pakistan, the Russian Fed-
14 eration, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan,
15 Syria, Tunisia, Ukraine, Venezuela, Yemen, and
16 Zimbabwe except as provided through the regular notifica-
17 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

18 (g) TRUST FUNDS.—Funds appropriated or other-
19 wise made available in title III of this Act and prior Acts
20 making funds available for national security, Department
21 of State, and related programs that are made available
22 for a trust fund held by an international financial institu-
23 tion shall be subject to the regular notification procedures
24 of the Committees on Appropriations, and such notifica-

1 tion shall include the information specified under this sec-
2 tion in the report accompanying this Act.

3 (h) OTHER PROGRAM NOTIFICATION REQUIRE-
4 MENTS.—

5 (1) OTHER PROGRAMS.—Funds appropriated by
6 this Act that are made available for the following
7 programs and activities shall be subject to the reg-
8 ular notification procedures of the Committees on
9 Appropriations:

10 (A) the Power Africa and Prosper Africa
11 initiatives;

12 (B) funds made available under the head-
13 ings “International Humanitarian Assistance”
14 and “United States Emergency Refugee and
15 Migration Assistance Fund” that are made
16 available to a country listed in section 7007 of
17 this Act;

18 (C) the Indo-Pacific Strategy;

19 (D) assistance made available pursuant to
20 section 7022 of this Act;

21 (E) assistance made available pursuant to
22 section 7059 of this Act;

23 (F) the Countering PRC Influence Fund
24 and the Countering Russian Influence Fund;
25 and

1 (G) the America First Opportunity Fund.

2 (2) ARMS SALES.—The reports, notifications,
3 and certifications, and any other documents, re-
4 quired to be submitted pursuant to section 36(a) of
5 the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2776), and
6 such documents submitted pursuant to section 36(b)
7 through (d) of such Act with respect to countries
8 that have received assistance provided with funds
9 appropriated by this Act or prior Acts making ap-
10 propriations for national security, Department of
11 State, related programs, shall be concurrently sub-
12 mitted to the Committees on Appropriations and
13 shall include information about the source of funds
14 for any sale or transfer, as applicable, if known at
15 the time of submission.

16 (3) DEOBLIGATED BALANCES.—An obligation
17 in excess of \$2,000,000 from deobligated balances of
18 funds appropriated by prior Acts making appropria-
19 tions for national security, Department of State, and
20 related programs that remain available due to the
21 exercise of the authority in section 7011 of such
22 Acts shall be subject to the regular notification pro-
23 cedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

24 (i) WITHHOLDING OF FUNDS.—Funds appropriated
25 by this Act under titles III and IV that are withheld from

1 obligation or otherwise not programmed as a result of ap-
2 plication of a provision of law in this or any other Act
3 shall, if reprogrammed, be subject to the regular notifica-
4 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

5 (j) REQUIREMENT TO INFORM.—The Secretary of
6 State shall promptly inform the appropriate congressional
7 committees of each instance in which funds appropriated
8 by this Act for assistance have been diverted or destroyed,
9 to include the type and amount of assistance, a description
10 of the incident and parties involved, and an explanation
11 of the response of the Department of State.

12 (k) PRIOR CONSULTATION REQUIREMENT.—The
13 Secretary of State, the Chief Executive Officer of the
14 United States International Development Finance Cor-
15 poration, and the Chief Executive Officer of the Millen-
16 nium Challenge Corporation shall consult with the Com-
17 mittees on Appropriations at least 7 days prior to inform-
18 ing a government of, or publicly announcing a decision on,
19 the suspension or early termination of assistance to a
20 country or a territory, including as a result of an inter-
21 agency review of such assistance, from funds appropriated
22 by this Act or prior Acts making appropriations for na-
23 tional security, Department of State, and related pro-
24 grams: *Provided*, That such consultation shall include a

1 detailed justification for such suspension, including a de-
2 scription of the assistance being suspended.

3 DOCUMENTS, REPORT POSTING, RECORDS MANAGEMENT,
4 AND RELATED CYBERSECURITY PROTECTIONS

5 SEC. 7016. (a) DOCUMENT REQUESTS.—None of the
6 funds appropriated or made available pursuant to titles
7 III through VI of this Act shall be available to a non-
8 governmental organization, including any contractor,
9 which fails to provide upon timely request any document,
10 file, or record necessary to the auditing requirements of
11 the Department of State.

12 (b) PUBLIC POSTING OF REPORTS.—

13 (1) Any Federal agency funded by this Act
14 shall maintain a public website, and, except as pro-
15 vided in paragraphs (2) and (3), any report required
16 by this Act to be submitted to Congress shall be
17 posted on the public website of such agency not later
18 than 45 days following the receipt of such report by
19 Congress.

20 (2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply to a report
21 if—

22 (A) the head of such agency determines
23 and reports to the Committees on Appropria-
24 tions in the transmittal letter accompanying
25 such report that—

1 (i) the public posting of the report
2 would compromise national security, in-
3 cluding the conduct of diplomacy; or

4 (ii) the report contains proprietary or
5 other privileged information; or

6 (B) the public posting of the report is spe-
7 cifically exempted in the report accompanying
8 this Act.

9 (3) The agency posting such report shall do so
10 only after the report has been made available to the
11 Committees on Appropriations.

12 (4) The head of the agency posting such report
13 shall do so in a central location on the public website
14 of such agency.

15 (c) RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND RELATED CYBER-
16 SECURITY PROTECTIONS.—The Secretary of State shall—

17 (1) regularly review and update the policies, di-
18 rectives, and oversight necessary to comply with
19 Federal statutes, regulations, and presidential execu-
20 tive orders and memoranda concerning the preserva-
21 tion of all records made or received in the conduct
22 of official business, including record emails, instant
23 messaging, and other online tools;

24 (2) use funds appropriated by this Act to im-
25 prove Federal records management pursuant to the

1 Federal Records Act (44 U.S.C. Chapters 21, 29,
2 31, and 33) and other applicable Federal records
3 management statutes, regulations, or policies for
4 such agencies;

5 (3) direct departing employees, including senior
6 officials, that all Federal records generated by such
7 employees belong to the Federal Government;

8 (4) substantially reduce, compared to the pre-
9 vious fiscal year, the response time for identifying
10 and retrieving Federal records, including requests
11 made pursuant to section 552 of title 5, United
12 States Code (commonly known as the “Freedom of
13 Information Act”); and

14 (5) strengthen cybersecurity measures to miti-
15 gate vulnerabilities, including those resulting from
16 the use of personal email accounts or servers outside
17 the .gov domain, improve the process to identify and
18 remove inactive user accounts, update and enforce
19 guidance related to the control of national security
20 information, and implement the recommendations of
21 the applicable reports of the cognizant Office of In-
22 spector General.

23 USE OF FUNDS IN CONTRAVENTION OF THIS ACT

24 SEC. 7017. If the President makes a determination
25 not to comply with any provision of this Act on constitu-

1 tional grounds, the head of the relevant Federal agency
2 shall notify the Committees on Appropriations in writing
3 within 5 days of such determination, the basis for such
4 determination and any resulting changes to program or
5 policy.

6 PROHIBITION ON FUNDING FOR ABORTIONS AND
7 INVOLUNTARY STERILIZATION

8 SEC. 7018. None of the funds made available to carry
9 out part I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as
10 amended, may be used to pay for the performance of abor-
11 tions as a method of family planning or to motivate or
12 coerce any person to practice abortions. None of the funds
13 made available to carry out part I of the Foreign Assist-
14 ance Act of 1961, as amended, may be used to pay for
15 the performance of involuntary sterilization as a method
16 of family planning or to coerce or provide any financial
17 incentive to any person to undergo sterilizations. None of
18 the funds made available to carry out part I of the Foreign
19 Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, may be used to pay
20 for any biomedical research which relates in whole or in
21 part, to methods of, or the performance of, abortions or
22 involuntary sterilization as a means of family planning.
23 None of the funds made available to carry out part I of
24 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, may be
25 obligated or expended for any country or organization if

1 the President certifies that the use of these funds by any
2 such country or organization would violate any of the
3 above provisions related to abortions and involuntary steri-
4 lizations.

5 ALLOCATIONS AND REPORTS

6 SEC. 7019. (a) ALLOCATION TABLES.—Subject to
7 subsection (b), funds appropriated by this Act under titles
8 III through V shall be made available at not less than the
9 amounts specifically designated in the respective tables in-
10 cluded in the report accompanying this Act: *Provided*,
11 That such designated amounts for foreign countries and
12 international organizations shall serve as the amounts for
13 such countries and international organizations transmitted
14 to Congress in the report required by section 653(a) of
15 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, and shall be made
16 available for such foreign countries and international orga-
17 nizations notwithstanding the date of the transmission of
18 such report.

19 (b) AUTHORIZED DEVIATIONS.—Unless otherwise
20 provided for by this Act, the Secretary of State may only
21 deviate up to 10 percent below the amounts specifically
22 designated in the respective tables included in the report
23 accompanying this Act: *Provided*, That such percentage
24 may be exceeded only if the Secretary of State determines
25 and reports in writing to the Committees on Appropria-

1 tions on a case-by-case basis that such deviation is nec-
2 essary to respond to significant, exigent, or unforeseen
3 events, or to address other exceptional circumstances di-
4 rectly related to the national security interest of the
5 United States, including a description of such events or
6 circumstances: *Provided further*, That deviations pursuant
7 to the preceding proviso may not exceed 50 percent and
8 shall be subject to prior consultation with, and the regular
9 notification procedures of, the Committees on Appropria-
10 tions.

11 (c) LIMITATION.—For specifically designated
12 amounts that are included, pursuant to subsection (a), in
13 the report required by section 653(a) of the Foreign As-
14 sistance Act of 1961, deviations authorized by subsection
15 (b) may only take place after submission of such report.

16 (d) EXCEPTIONS.—Subsections (a) and (b) shall not
17 apply to—

18 (1) funds for which the initial period of avail-
19 ability has expired; and

20 (2) amounts designated by this Act as min-
21 imum funding requirements.

22 (e) REPORTS AND CONSULTATIONS.—The Secretary
23 of State and other designated officials, as appropriate,
24 shall submit the reports and conduct the consultations re-

1 quired, in the manner described, in the report accom-
 2 panying this Act.

3 (f) CLARIFICATION.—Funds appropriated by this Act
 4 under the heading “International Humanitarian Assist-
 5 ance” shall not be included for purposes of meeting
 6 amounts designated for countries in this Act, unless such
 7 heading is specifically designated as the source of funds.

8 MULTI-YEAR PLEDGES

9 SEC. 7020. None of the funds appropriated or other-
 10 wise made available by this Act may be used to make any
 11 pledge for future year funding for any multilateral or bi-
 12 lateral program funded in titles III through VI of this Act
 13 unless such pledge meets the requirements contained
 14 under this section in the report accompanying this Act.

15 PROHIBITION ON ASSISTANCE TO GOVERNMENTS

16 SUPPORTING INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM

17 SEC. 7021. (a) LETHAL MILITARY EQUIPMENT EX-
 18 PORTS.—

19 (1) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appro-
 20 priated or otherwise made available under titles III
 21 through VI of this Act may be made available to any
 22 foreign government which provides lethal military
 23 equipment to a country the government of which the
 24 Secretary of State has determined supports inter-
 25 national terrorism for purposes of section 1754(c) of

1 the Export Control Reform Act of 2018 (50 U.S.C.
2 4813(c)): *Provided*, That the prohibition under this
3 section with respect to a foreign government shall
4 terminate 12 months after that government ceases
5 to provide such military equipment: *Provided further*,
6 That this section applies with respect to lethal mili-
7 tary equipment provided under a contract entered
8 into after October 1, 1997.

9 (2) DETERMINATION.—Assistance restricted by
10 paragraph (1) may be furnished if the President de-
11 termines that to do so is important to the national
12 interest of the United States.

13 (3) REPORT.—Whenever the President makes a
14 determination pursuant to paragraph (2), the Presi-
15 dent shall submit to the Committees on Appropria-
16 tions a report with respect to the furnishing of such
17 assistance, including a detailed explanation of the
18 assistance to be provided, the estimated dollar
19 amount of such assistance, and an explanation of
20 how the assistance furthers the United States na-
21 tional interest.

22 (b) BILATERAL ASSISTANCE.—

23 (1) LIMITATIONS.—Funds appropriated for bi-
24 lateral assistance in titles III through VI of this Act
25 and funds appropriated under any such title in prior

1 Acts making appropriations for national security,
2 Department of State, and related programs, shall
3 not be made available to any foreign government
4 which the President determines—

5 (A) grants sanctuary from prosecution to
6 any individual or group which has committed
7 an act of international terrorism;

8 (B) otherwise supports international ter-
9 rorism; or

10 (C) is controlled by an organization des-
11 ignated as a terrorist organization under sec-
12 tion 219 of the Immigration and Nationality
13 Act (8 U.S.C. 1189).

14 (2) WAIVER.—The President may waive the ap-
15 plication of paragraph (1) to a government if the
16 President determines that national security or hu-
17 manitarian reasons justify such waiver: *Provided,*
18 That the President shall publish each such waiver in
19 the Federal Register and, at least 15 days before the
20 waiver takes effect, shall notify the Committees on
21 Appropriations of the waiver (including the justifica-
22 tion for the waiver) in accordance with the regular
23 notification procedures of the Committees on Appro-
24 priations.

1 STABILIZATION AND DEVELOPMENT

2 SEC. 7022. Of the funds appropriated by this Act
3 under the headings “National Security Investment Pro-
4 grams”, “International Narcotics Control and Law En-
5 forcement”, “Nonproliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining
6 and Related Programs”, “Security Sector Programs”, and
7 “Foreign Military Financing Program”, not less than
8 \$108,000,000 shall be made available for the Prevention
9 and Stabilization Fund for the purposes enumerated in
10 section 509(a) of the Global Fragility Act of 2019 (title
11 V of division J of Public Law 116–94): *Provided*, That
12 funds made available pursuant to this section under the
13 heading “Foreign Military Financing Program” may re-
14 main available until September 30, 2028.

15 DEFINITION OF PROGRAM, PROJECT, AND ACTIVITY

16 SEC. 7023. For the purpose of titles II through VI
17 of this Act, “program, project, and activity” shall be de-
18 fined at the appropriations Act account level and shall in-
19 clude all appropriations and authorizations Acts funding
20 directives, ceilings, and limitations with the exception that
21 for the “National Security Investment Programs”, “Inter-
22 national Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement”, and
23 “Foreign Military Financing Program” accounts, “pro-
24 gram, project, and activity” shall also be considered to in-

1 clude country, regional, and central program level funding
2 within each such account, either as—

3 (1) justified to Congress; or

4 (2) allocated by the Executive Branch in ac-
5 cordance with the report required by section 653(a)
6 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 or as modi-
7 fied pursuant to section 7019 of this Act.

8 PROHIBITION ON CENSORSHIP

9 SEC. 7024. (a) Funds appropriated or otherwise
10 made available by this Act and prior Acts making appro-
11 priations for national security, Department of State, and
12 related programs for programs to counter foreign propa-
13 ganda and disinformation, and for related purposes, may
14 only be made available for the purpose of countering such
15 efforts by foreign state and non-state actors abroad.

16 (b) None of the funds made available for the pro-
17 grams described in subsection (a) may be used in con-
18 travention of Executive Order 14149, relating to Restor-
19 ing Freedom of Speech and Ending Federal Censorship,
20 or to—

21 (1) characterize United States independent
22 news media companies as creators of disinformation,
23 misinformation, or malinformation;

1 (2) advocate to, or act to, censor, filter, or re-
2 move content from a United States entity on social
3 media platforms; or

4 (3) take any action designed to influence con-
5 sumer or advertising behavior toward United States
6 media companies or social network platforms.

7 COMMERCE, TRADE AND SURPLUS COMMODITIES

8 SEC. 7025. (a) WORLD MARKETS.—None of the
9 funds appropriated or made available pursuant to titles
10 III through VI of this Act for direct assistance and none
11 of the funds otherwise made available to the Export-Im-
12 port Bank and the United States International Develop-
13 ment Finance Corporation shall be obligated or expended
14 to finance any loan, any assistance, or any other financial
15 commitments for establishing or expanding production of
16 any commodity for export by any country other than the
17 United States, if the commodity is likely to be in surplus
18 on world markets at the time the resulting productive ca-
19 pacity is expected to become operative and if the assist-
20 ance will cause substantial injury to United States pro-
21 ducers of the same, similar, or competing commodity: *Pro-*
22 *vided*, That such prohibition shall not apply to the Export-
23 Import Bank if in the judgment of its Board of Directors
24 the benefits to industry and employment in the United
25 States are likely to outweigh the injury to United States

1 producers of the same, similar, or competing commodity,
2 and the Chairman of the Board so notifies the Committees
3 on Appropriations: *Provided further*, That this subsection
4 shall not prohibit—

5 (1) activities in a country that is eligible for as-
6 sistance from the International Development Asso-
7 ciation, is not eligible for assistance from the Inter-
8 national Bank for Reconstruction and Development,
9 and does not export on a consistent basis the agri-
10 cultural commodity with respect to which assistance
11 is furnished; or

12 (2) activities in a country the President deter-
13 mines is recovering from widespread conflict, a hu-
14 manitarian crisis, or a complex emergency.

15 (b) EXPORTS.—None of the funds appropriated by
16 this or any other Act to carry out chapter 1 of part I
17 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 shall be available
18 for any testing or breeding feasibility study, variety im-
19 provement or introduction, consultancy, publication, con-
20 ference, or training in connection with the growth or pro-
21 duction in a foreign country of an agricultural commodity
22 for export which would compete with a similar commodity
23 grown or produced in the United States: *Provided*, That
24 this subsection shall not prohibit—

1 (1) activities designed to increase food security
2 in developing countries where such activities will not
3 have a significant impact on the export of agricul-
4 tural commodities of the United States;

5 (2) research activities intended primarily to
6 benefit United States producers;

7 (3) activities in a country that is eligible for as-
8 sistance from the International Development Asso-
9 ciation, is not eligible for assistance from the Inter-
10 national Bank for Reconstruction and Development,
11 and does not export on a consistent basis the agri-
12 cultural commodity with respect to which assistance
13 is furnished; or

14 (4) activities in a country the President deter-
15 mines is recovering from widespread conflict, a hu-
16 manitarian crisis, or a complex emergency.

17 (c) INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.—

18 The Secretary of the Treasury shall instruct the United
19 States executive director of each international financial in-
20 stitution to use the voice and vote of the United States
21 to oppose any assistance by such institution, using funds
22 appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act, for
23 the production or extraction of any commodity or mineral
24 for export, if it is in surplus on world markets and if the

1 assistance will cause substantial injury to United States
2 producers of the same, similar, or competing commodity.

3 SEPARATE ACCOUNTS

4 SEC. 7026. (a) SEPARATE ACCOUNTS FOR LOCAL
5 CURRENCIES.—

6 (1) AGREEMENTS.—If assistance is furnished to
7 the government of a foreign country under chapters
8 1 and 10 of part I or chapter 4 of part II of the
9 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 under agreements
10 which result in the generation of local currencies of
11 that country, the Secretary of State shall—

12 (A) require that local currencies be depos-
13 ited in a separate account established by that
14 government;

15 (B) enter into an agreement with that gov-
16 ernment which sets forth—

17 (i) the amount of the local currencies
18 to be generated; and

19 (ii) the terms and conditions under
20 which the currencies so deposited may be
21 utilized, consistent with this section; and

22 (C) establish by agreement with that gov-
23 ernment the responsibilities of the Department
24 of State and that government to monitor and

1 account for deposits into and disbursements
2 from the separate account.

3 (2) USES OF LOCAL CURRENCIES.—As may be
4 agreed upon with the foreign government, local cur-
5 rencies deposited in a separate account pursuant to
6 subsection (a), or an equivalent amount of local cur-
7 rencies, shall be used only—

8 (A) to carry out chapter 1 or 10 of part
9 I or chapter 4 of part II of the Foreign Assist-
10 ance Act of 1961 (as the case may be), for such
11 purposes as—

12 (i) project and sector assistance activi-
13 ties; or

14 (ii) debt and deficit financing; or

15 (B) for the administrative requirements of
16 the United States Government.

17 (3) PROGRAMMING ACCOUNTABILITY.—The De-
18 partment of State shall take all necessary steps to
19 ensure that the equivalent of the local currencies dis-
20 bursed pursuant to subsection (a)(2)(A) from the
21 separate account established pursuant to subsection
22 (a)(1) are used for the purposes agreed upon pursu-
23 ant to subsection (a)(2).

24 (4) TERMINATION OF ASSISTANCE PRO-
25 GRAMS.—Upon termination of assistance to a coun-

1 try under chapter 1 or 10 of part I or chapter 4 of
2 part II of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (as
3 the case may be), any unencumbered balances of
4 funds which remain in a separate account estab-
5 lished pursuant to subsection (a) shall be disposed of
6 for such purposes as may be agreed to by the gov-
7 ernment of that country and the United States Gov-
8 ernment.

9 (b) SEPARATE ACCOUNTS FOR CASH TRANSFERS.—

10 (1) IN GENERAL.—If assistance is made avail-
11 able to the government of a foreign country, under
12 chapter 1 or 10 of part I or chapter 4 of part II of
13 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as cash transfer
14 assistance or as nonproject sector assistance, that
15 country shall be required to maintain such funds in
16 a separate account and not commingle with any
17 other funds.

18 (2) NOTIFICATION.—At least 15 days prior to
19 obligating any such cash transfer or nonproject sec-
20 tor assistance, the President shall submit a notifica-
21 tion through the regular notification procedures of
22 the Committees on Appropriations, which shall in-
23 clude a detailed description of how the funds pro-
24 posed to be made available will be used, with a dis-
25 cussion of the United States interests that will be

1 served by such assistance (including, as appropriate,
2 a description of the economic policy reforms that will
3 be promoted by such assistance).

4 (3) EXEMPTION.—Nonproject sector assistance
5 funds may be exempt from the requirements of para-
6 graph (1) only through the regular notification pro-
7 cedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

8 ELIGIBILITY FOR ASSISTANCE

9 SEC. 7027. (a) PUBLIC LAW 480.—During fiscal
10 year 2027, restrictions contained in this or any other Act
11 with respect to assistance for a country shall not be con-
12 strued to restrict assistance under the Food for Peace Act
13 (Public Law 83–480; 7 U.S.C. 1721 et seq.): *Provided*,
14 That none of the funds appropriated to carry out title I
15 of such Act and made available pursuant to this subsection
16 may be obligated or expended except as provided through
17 the regular notification procedures of the Committees on
18 Appropriations.

19 (b) EXCEPTION.—This section shall not apply—

20 (1) with respect to section 620A of the Foreign
21 Assistance Act of 1961 or any comparable provision
22 of law prohibiting assistance to countries that sup-
23 port international terrorism; or

24 (2) with respect to section 116 of the Foreign
25 Assistance Act of 1961 or any comparable provision

1 of law prohibiting assistance to the government of a
2 country that violates internationally recognized
3 human rights.

4 PROMOTION OF UNITED STATES ECONOMIC INTERESTS

5 SEC. 7028. (a) DIPLOMATIC ENGAGEMENT.—Con-
6 sistent with section 704 of the Championing American
7 Business Through Diplomacy Act of 2019 (title VII of di-
8 vision J of Public Law 116–94), the Secretary of State,
9 in consultation with the Secretary of Commerce, shall
10 prioritize the allocation of funds appropriated by this Act
11 under the heading “Diplomatic Programs” for support of
12 Chief of Mission diplomatic engagement to foster commer-
13 cial relations and safeguard United States economic and
14 business interests in the country in which each Chief of
15 Mission serves, including activities and initiatives to create
16 and maintain an enabling environment, promote and pro-
17 tect such interests, and resolve commercial disputes: *Pro-*
18 *vided*, That each Mission Resource Request and Bureau
19 Resource Request shall include amounts required to
20 prioritize the activities described in this subsection.

21 (b) TRAINING.—In carrying out section 705 of title
22 VII of division J of Public Law 116–94, the Secretary of
23 State shall annually assess training needs across the eco-
24 nomic and commercial diplomacy issue areas and ensure,
25 after a review of course offerings, course attendance

1 records, and course evaluation results, that current offer-
2 ings meet training needs.

3 (c) ASSISTANCE.—The Secretary of State should di-
4 rect each Chief of Mission to consider how best to advance
5 and support commercial relations and the safeguarding of
6 United States business interests in the development and
7 execution of the applicable Integrated Country Strategy
8 and the Mission Resource Request for each country receiv-
9 ing bilateral assistance from funds appropriated by this
10 Act.

11 INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

12 SEC. 7029. (a) COMPENSATION.—None of the funds
13 appropriated under title V of this Act may be made as
14 payment to any international financial institution while
15 the United States executive director to such institution is
16 compensated by the institution at a rate which, together
17 with whatever compensation such executive director re-
18 ceives from the United States, is in excess of the rate pro-
19 vided for an individual occupying a position at level IV
20 of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5,
21 United States Code, or while any alternate United States
22 executive director to such institution is compensated by
23 the institution at a rate in excess of the rate provided for
24 an individual occupying a position at level V of the Execu-

1 tive Schedule under section 5316 of title 5, United States
2 Code.

3 (b) HUMAN RIGHTS.—The Secretary of the Treasury
4 shall instruct the United States executive director of each
5 international financial institution to use the voice and vote
6 of the United States to promote human rights due dili-
7 gence and risk management, as appropriate, in connection
8 with any loan, grant, policy, or strategy of such institu-
9 tion.

10 (c) FRAUD AND CORRUPTION.—The Secretary of the
11 Treasury shall instruct the United States executive direc-
12 tor of each international financial institution to use the
13 voice of the United States to include in loan, grant, and
14 other financing agreements improvements in borrowing
15 countries' financial management and judicial capacity to
16 investigate, prosecute, and punish fraud and corruption.

17 (d) BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP INFORMATION.—The
18 Secretary of the Treasury shall instruct the United States
19 executive director of each international financial institu-
20 tion to use the voice of the United States to encourage
21 such institution to collect, verify, and publish, to the max-
22 imum extent practicable, beneficial ownership information
23 (excluding proprietary information) for any corporation or
24 limited liability company, other than a publicly listed com-

1 pany, that receives funds from any such financial institu-
2 tion.

3 (e) CAPITAL INCREASES.—None of the funds appro-
4 priated by this Act may be made available to support a
5 new capital increase for an international financial institu-
6 tion unless the President submits a budget request for
7 such increase to Congress and the Secretary of the Treas-
8 ury concurrent with such request determines and reports
9 to the Committees on Appropriations that—

10 (1) the capital increase sets such institution on
11 a path to meet its regional or global objectives, as
12 appropriate, including its overarching strategic
13 framework and vision for its role in development fi-
14 nance, and such increase includes agreement on in-
15 ternal reforms and policy measures necessary to en-
16 hance the efficiency and effectiveness of the institu-
17 tion; and

18 (2) the capital increase does not increase the
19 voting power of the People's Republic of China in
20 such institution relative to that of the United States.

21 (f) OPPOSITION TO LENDING TO THE PEOPLE'S RE-
22 PUBLIC OF CHINA.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall
23 instruct the United States executive director at each mul-
24 tilateral development bank to use the voice and vote of
25 the United States to oppose any loan, extension of finan-

1 cial assistance, or technical assistance by such bank to the
2 People's Republic of China.

3 (g) CONTRIBUTIONS TO FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARY
4 FUNDS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall ensure that
5 no United States contribution to a financial intermediary
6 fund overseen by the Department of the Treasury may be
7 used to provide any loan, extension of financial assistance,
8 or technical assistance to the People's Republic of China
9 or to any country or region subject to comprehensive sanc-
10 tions by the United States.

11 (h) REPORT.—Not later than 120 days after the date
12 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury
13 shall submit a report to the Committees on Appropriations
14 detailing any funding provided in the prior calendar year
15 by a financial intermediary fund overseen by the Depart-
16 ment of the Treasury to the People's Republic of China
17 or any country or region subject to comprehensive sanc-
18 tions by the United States.

19 (i) INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK.—The
20 Secretary of the Treasury shall instruct the Executive Di-
21 rector at the Inter-American Development Bank to use the
22 voice, vote and influence of the United States to support
23 the America First policy agenda at such institution, by
24 eliminating the Bank's green and climate finance targets
25 to focus on affordable and reliable energy to better sup-

1 port economic growth and poverty reduction, and securing
2 agreement on implementation of procurement reforms
3 that result in strengthened transparency and increased
4 competition that benefits United States businesses: *Pro-*
5 *vided*, That prior to the obligation of funds made available
6 by this Act under the heading “Contribution to the Inter-
7 American Development Bank” the Secretary of the Treas-
8 ury shall certify and report to the Committees on Appro-
9 priations that such targets are no longer in use.

10 ECONOMIC RESILIENCE INITIATIVE

11 SEC. 7030. (a) Funds appropriated by this Act under
12 the heading “National Security Investment Programs”
13 shall be made available for the Economic Resilience Initia-
14 tive to enhance the economic security and stability of the
15 United States and partner countries, including through ef-
16 forts to counter economic coercion: *Provided*, That funds
17 made available by this section may only be made available
18 following consultation with, and the regular notification
19 procedures of, the Committees on Appropriations, and
20 shall include support for—

21 (1) strategic infrastructure investments, which
22 shall be administered by the Secretary of State in
23 consultation with the heads of other relevant Federal
24 agencies;

1 (2) activities to enhance critical mineral supply
2 chain security; and

3 (3) the Cyberspace, Digital Connectivity, and
4 Related Technologies Fund in accordance with
5 Chapter 10 of Part II of the Foreign Assistance Act
6 of 1961: *Provided*, That the authority of section
7 592(f) of such Act may apply to amounts made
8 available for such Fund under the heading “Na-
9 tional Security Investment Programs” and such
10 funds may be made available for the Digital
11 Connectivity and Cybersecurity Partnership program
12 consistent with section 6306 of the Department of
13 State Authorization Act of 2023 (division F of Pub-
14 lic Law 118–31).

15 (b) Funds appropriated by subsection (a) may be
16 transferred to, and merged with, funds appropriated by
17 this Act to the Export-Import Bank of the United States
18 under the heading “Program Account”, to the United
19 States International Development Finance Corporation
20 under the heading “Corporate Capital Account”, and
21 under the heading “Trade and Development Agency”:
22 *Provided*, That such transfer authority is in addition to
23 any other transfer authority provided by this Act or any
24 other Act, and is subject to the regular notification proce-
25 dures of the Committees on Appropriations.

1 FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, BUDGET TRANSPARENCY, AND
2 ANTI-CORRUPTION

3 SEC. 7031. (a) LIMITATION ON DIRECT GOVERN-
4 MENT-TO-GOVERNMENT ASSISTANCE.—

5 (1) REQUIREMENTS.—Funds appropriated by
6 this Act may be made available for direct govern-
7 ment-to-government assistance only if—

8 (A) the requirements included in section
9 7031(a)(1)(A) through (E) of the Department
10 of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Pro-
11 grams Appropriations Act, 2019 (division F of
12 Public Law 116–6) are fully met; and

13 (B) the government of the recipient coun-
14 try is taking steps to reduce corruption.

15 (2) CONSULTATION AND NOTIFICATION.—In
16 addition to the requirements in paragraph (1), funds
17 may only be made available for direct government-
18 to-government assistance subject to prior consulta-
19 tion with, and the regular notification procedures of,
20 the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided*, That
21 such notification shall contain an explanation of how
22 the proposed activity meets the requirements of
23 paragraph (1): *Provided further*, That the require-
24 ments of this paragraph shall only apply to direct
25 government-to-government assistance in excess of

1 \$7,000,000 and all funds available for cash transfer,
2 budget support, and cash payments to individuals.

3 (3) SUSPENSION OF ASSISTANCE.—The Sec-
4 retary of State shall suspend any direct government-
5 to-government assistance if the Secretary has cred-
6 ible information of material misuse of such assist-
7 ance, unless the Secretary reports to the Committees
8 on Appropriations that it is in the national interest
9 of the United States to continue such assistance, in-
10 cluding a justification, or that such misuse has been
11 appropriately addressed.

12 (4) SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION.—The Sec-
13 retary of State shall submit to the Committees on
14 Appropriations, concurrent with the fiscal year 2028
15 congressional budget justification materials, amounts
16 planned for assistance described in paragraph (1) by
17 country, proposed funding amount, source of funds,
18 and type of assistance.

19 (5) DEBT SERVICE PAYMENT PROHIBITION.—
20 None of the funds made available by this Act may
21 be used by the government of any foreign country
22 for debt service payments owed by any country to
23 any international financial institution or to the Gov-
24 ernment of the People’s Republic of China.

1 (b) NATIONAL BUDGET AND CONTRACT TRANS-
2 PARENCY.—

3 (1) MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF FISCAL
4 TRANSPARENCY.—The Secretary of State shall con-
5 tinue to update and strengthen the “minimum re-
6 quirements of fiscal transparency” for each govern-
7 ment receiving assistance appropriated by this Act,
8 as identified in the report required by section
9 7031(b) of the Department of State, Foreign Oper-
10 ations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act,
11 2014 (division K of Public Law 113–76).

12 (2) DETERMINATION AND REPORT.—For each
13 government identified pursuant to paragraph (1),
14 the Secretary of State, not later than 180 days after
15 the date of enactment of this Act, shall make or up-
16 date any determination of “significant progress” or
17 “no significant progress” in meeting the minimum
18 requirements of fiscal transparency, and make such
19 determinations publicly available in an annual “Fis-
20 cal Transparency Report” to be posted on the De-
21 partment of State website.

22 (c) ANTI-KLEPTOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS.—

23 (1) INELIGIBILITY.—

24 (A) Officials of foreign governments and
25 their immediate family members about whom

1 the Secretary of State has credible information
2 have been involved, directly or indirectly, in sig-
3 nificant corruption, including corruption related
4 to the extraction of natural resources, or a
5 gross violation of human rights, including the
6 wrongful detention of locally employed staff of
7 a United States diplomatic mission or a United
8 States citizen or national, shall be ineligible for
9 entry into the United States.

10 (B) Concurrent with the application of
11 subparagraph (A), the Secretary shall, as ap-
12 propriate, refer the matter to the Office of For-
13 eign Assets Control, Department of the Treas-
14 ury, to determine whether to apply sanctions
15 authorities in accordance with United States
16 law to block the transfer of property and inter-
17 ests in property, and all financial transactions,
18 in the United States involving any person de-
19 scribed in such subparagraph.

20 (C) The Secretary shall also publicly or
21 privately designate or identify the officials of
22 foreign governments and their immediate family
23 members about whom the Secretary has such
24 credible information without regard to whether
25 the individual has applied for a visa.

1 (2) EXCEPTION.—Individuals shall not be ineli-
2 gible for entry into the United States pursuant to
3 paragraph (1) if such entry would further important
4 United States law enforcement objectives or is nec-
5 essary to permit the United States to fulfill its obli-
6 gations under the United Nations Headquarters
7 Agreement: *Provided*, That nothing in paragraph (1)
8 shall be construed to derogate from United States
9 Government obligations under applicable inter-
10 national agreements.

11 (3) WAIVER.—The Secretary may waive the ap-
12 plication of paragraph (1) if the Secretary deter-
13 mines that the waiver would serve a compelling na-
14 tional interest or that the circumstances which
15 caused the individual to be ineligible have changed
16 sufficiently.

17 (4) REPORT.—Not later than 30 days after the
18 date of enactment of this Act, and every 90 days
19 thereafter until September 30, 2028, the Secretary
20 of State shall submit a report, including a classified
21 annex if necessary, to the appropriate congressional
22 committees and the Committees on the Judiciary de-
23 scribing the information related to corruption or vio-
24 lation of human rights concerning each of the indi-
25 viduals found ineligible in the previous 12 months

1 pursuant to paragraph (1)(A) as well as the individ-
2 uals who the Secretary designated or identified pur-
3 suant to paragraph (1)(B), or who would be ineli-
4 gible but for the application of paragraph (2), a list
5 of any waivers provided under paragraph (3), and
6 the justification for each waiver.

7 (5) POSTING OF REPORT.—Any unclassified
8 portion of the report required under paragraph (4)
9 shall be posted on the Department of State website.

10 (6) CLARIFICATION.—For purposes of para-
11 graphs (1), (4), and (5), the records of the Depart-
12 ment of State and of diplomatic and consular offices
13 of the United States pertaining to the issuance or
14 refusal of visas or permits to enter the United
15 States shall not be considered confidential.

16 (d) EXTRACTION OF NATURAL RESOURCES.—

17 (1) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appro-
18 priated by this Act under title III may be made
19 available to support mining activities related to the
20 extraction of minerals until the Secretary of State
21 certifies and reports to the appropriate congressional
22 committees that comparable mining activities are
23 permitted in areas in the United States which were
24 allowable prior to 2023: *Provided*, That the restric-

tion in this paragraph shall not apply to United States entities.

(2) PUBLIC DISCLOSURE AND INDEPENDENT AUDITS.—

(A) The Secretary of the Treasury shall instruct the executive director of each international financial institution to use the voice and vote of the United States to oppose any assistance by such institutions (including any loan, credit, grant, or guarantee) to any country for the extraction and export of a natural resource if the government of such country has in place laws, regulations, or procedures to prevent or limit the public disclosure of company payments as required by United States law, and unless such government has adopted laws, regulations, or procedures in the sector in which assistance is being considered that: (1) accurately account for and publicly disclose payments to the government by companies involved in the extraction and export of natural resources; (2) include independent auditing of accounts receiving such payments and the public disclosure of such audits; and (3) require public disclosure of

1 agreement and bidding documents, as appropriate.
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3 (B) The requirements of subparagraph (A)
4 shall not apply to assistance for the purpose of
5 building the capacity of such government to
6 meet the requirements of such subparagraph.

7 DEMOCRACY PROGRAMS

8 SEC. 7032. (a) FUNDING.—

9 (1) Of the funds appropriated by this Act under the
10 headings “National Security Investment Programs”, “De-
11 mocracy Fund”, and “International Narcotics Control and
12 Law Enforcement”, \$2,175,000,000 shall be made avail-
13 able for democracy programs.

14 (2) Funds made available pursuant to paragraph (1)
15 and under the heading “National Endowment for Democ-
16 racy” shall be for such programs in adversarial, anti-
17 American countries, countries whose malign activities pose
18 a national security threat to the United States, or coun-
19 tries seeking to strengthen democratic institutions and
20 processes.

21 (b) AUTHORITIES.—

22 (1) AVAILABILITY.—Funds made available by
23 this Act for democracy programs pursuant to sub-
24 section (a) and under the heading “National Endow-
25 ment for Democracy” may be made available not-

1 withstanding any other provision of law, and with
2 regard to the National Endowment for Democracy
3 (NED), any regulation.

4 (2) BENEFICIARIES.—Funds made available by
5 this Act for the NED are made available pursuant
6 to the authority of the National Endowment for De-
7 mocracy Act (title V of Public Law 98–164), includ-
8 ing all decisions regarding the selection of bene-
9 ficiaries.

10 (c) RESTRICTIONS ON FOREIGN GOVERNMENT IN-
11 TERFERENCE.—

12 (1) PRIOR APPROVAL.—With respect to the pro-
13 vision of assistance for democracy programs in this
14 Act, the organizations implementing such assistance,
15 the specific nature of the assistance, and the partici-
16 pants in such programs shall not be subject to prior
17 approval by the government of any foreign country.

18 (2) DISCLOSURE OF IMPLEMENTING PARTNER
19 INFORMATION.—If the Secretary of State determines
20 that the government of the country is undemocratic
21 or has engaged in or condoned harassment, threats,
22 or attacks against organizations implementing de-
23 mocracy programs, any new bilateral agreement gov-
24 erning the terms and conditions under which assist-
25 ance is provided to such country shall not require

1 the disclosure of the names of implementing part-
2 ners of democracy programs, and the Secretary of
3 State shall expeditiously seek to negotiate amend-
4 ments to existing bilateral agreements, as necessary,
5 to conform to this requirement.

6 INTERNATIONAL RELIGIOUS FREEDOM

7 SEC. 7033. (a) INTERNATIONAL RELIGIOUS FREE-
8 DOM OFFICE.—Funds appropriated by this Act under the
9 heading “Diplomatic Programs” shall be made available
10 for the Office of International Religious Freedom, Depart-
11 ment of State.

12 (b) ASSISTANCE.—

13 (1) Of the funds appropriated by this Act under
14 the headings “National Security Investment Pro-
15 grams” and “Democracy Fund”, not less than
16 \$50,000,000 shall be made available for inter-
17 national religious freedom programs: *Provided*, That
18 such funds shall be the responsibility of the Amba-
19 sador-at-Large for International Religious Freedom,
20 in consultation with other relevant United States
21 Government officials: *Provided further*, That such
22 funds shall be prioritized for programs in countries
23 designated as a country of particular concern for re-
24 ligious freedom pursuant to section 402(b)(1)(A)(ii)

1 of the International Religious Freedom Act of 1998
2 (22 U.S.C. 6442).

3 (2) Funds appropriated by this Act under the
4 heading “International Humanitarian Assistance”
5 shall be made available for humanitarian assistance
6 for vulnerable and persecuted ethnic and religious
7 minorities, including victims of genocide designated
8 by the Secretary of State and other groups that have
9 suffered crimes against humanity and ethnic cleans-
10 ing.

11 (c) AUTHORITY.—Funds appropriated by this Act
12 under the heading “National Security Investment Pro-
13 grams” may be made available notwithstanding any other
14 provision of law for assistance for ethnic and religious mi-
15 norities in Iraq and Syria.

16 SPECIAL PROVISIONS

17 SEC. 7034. (a) FORENSIC ASSISTANCE.—Of the
18 funds appropriated by this Act under the headings “Na-
19 tional Security Investment Programs” and “International
20 Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement”, not less than
21 \$15,000,000 shall be made available for forensic assist-
22 ance related to combating human trafficking.

23 (b) DIRECTIVES AND AUTHORITIES.—

24 (1) GENOCIDE VICTIMS MEMORIAL SITES.—
25 Funds appropriated by this Act under the heading

1 “National Security Investment Programs” may be
2 made available as contributions to establish and
3 maintain memorial sites of genocide, subject to the
4 regular notification procedures of the Committees on
5 Appropriations.

6 (2) EXCHANGE VISITOR PROGRAM.—None of
7 the funds made available by this Act may be used
8 to modify the Exchange Visitor Program adminis-
9 tered by the Department of State to implement the
10 Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of
11 1961 (Public Law 87–256; 22 U.S.C. 2451 et seq.),
12 except through the formal rulemaking process pursu-
13 ant to the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U.S.C.
14 551 et seq.): *Provided*, That funds made available
15 for such purpose shall only be made available after
16 consultation with, and subject to the regular notifi-
17 cation procedures of, the Committees on Appropria-
18 tions, regarding how any proposed modification
19 would affect the public diplomacy goals of, and the
20 estimated economic impact on, the United States:
21 *Provided further*, That such consultation shall take
22 place not later than 30 days prior to the publication
23 in the Federal Register of any regulatory action
24 modifying the Exchange Visitor Program.

1 (c) PARTNER VETTING.—Prior to initiating a partner
2 vetting program, providing a direct vetting option, or mak-
3 ing a significant change to the scope of an existing partner
4 vetting program, the Secretary of State shall consult with
5 the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided*, That the
6 Secretary of State may restrict the award of, terminate,
7 or cancel contracts, grants, or cooperative agreements or
8 require an awardee to restrict the award of, terminate, or
9 cancel a sub-award based on information in connection
10 with a partner vetting program.

11 (d) INTERNATIONAL CHILD ABDUCTIONS.—The Sec-
12 retary of State should withhold funds appropriated under
13 title III of this Act for assistance for the central govern-
14 ment of any country that is not taking appropriate steps
15 to comply with the Convention on the Civil Aspects of
16 International Child Abductions, done at the Hague on Oc-
17 tober 25, 1980: *Provided*, That the Secretary shall report
18 to the Committees on Appropriations within 15 days of
19 withholding funds under this subsection.

20 (e) TRANSFER OF FUNDS FOR EXTRAORDINARY
21 PROTECTION.—The Secretary of State may transfer to,
22 and merge with, funds under the heading “Protection of
23 Foreign Missions and Officials” unobligated balances of
24 expired funds appropriated under the heading “Diplomatic
25 Programs” for fiscal year 2027, at no later than the end

1 of the fifth fiscal year after the last fiscal year for which
2 such funds are available for the purposes for which appro-
3 priated: *Provided*, That not more than \$50,000,000 may
4 be transferred.

5 (f) IMPACT ON JOBS.—Section 7056 of the Depart-
6 ment of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs
7 Appropriations Act, 2021 (division K of Public Law 116–
8 260) shall continue in effect during fiscal year 2027.

9 (g) EXTENSION OF AUTHORITIES.—

10 (1) TRANSFER OF BALANCES.—Section 7081(h)
11 of the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and
12 Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2017 (divi-
13 sion J of Public Law 115–31) shall continue in ef-
14 fect during fiscal year 2027.

15 (2) PROTECTIVE SERVICES.—Section 7071 of
16 the Department of State, Foreign Operations, and
17 Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2022 (divi-
18 sion K of Public Law 117–103) shall continue in ef-
19 fect during fiscal year 2027 and shall apply to funds
20 appropriated by this Act.

21 (3) EXTENSION.—Chapter 5 of title I of the
22 Emergency Wartime Supplemental Appropriations
23 Act, 2003 (Public Law 108–11; 117 Stat. 576) is
24 amended under the heading “Loan Guarantees to
25 Israel”—

1 (A) in the matter preceding the first pro-
2 viso, by striking “September 30, 2031” and in-
3 serting “September 30, 2032”; and

4 (B) in the second proviso, by striking
5 “September 30, 2031” and inserting “Sep-
6 tember 30, 2032”.

7 (h) HIV/AIDS WORKING CAPITAL FUND.—Funds
8 available in the HIV/AIDS Working Capital Fund estab-
9 lished pursuant to section 525(b)(1) of the Foreign Oper-
10 ations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appro-
11 priations Act, 2005 (Public Law 108–447) may be made
12 available for pharmaceuticals and other products for child
13 survival, malaria, and tuberculosis to the same extent as
14 HIV/AIDS pharmaceuticals and other products, subject to
15 the terms and conditions in such section: *Provided*, That
16 the authority in section 525(b)(5) of the Foreign Oper-
17 ations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appro-
18 priations Act, 2005 (Public Law 108–447) shall be exer-
19 cised by the Secretary of State with respect to funds de-
20 posited for such non-HIV/AIDS pharmaceuticals and
21 other products, and shall be subject to the regular notifica-
22 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropriations: *Pro-*
23 *vided further*, That the Secretary shall include in the con-
24 gressional budget justification an accounting of budgetary

1 resources, disbursements, balances, and reimbursements
2 related to such fund.

3 (i) DEFINITIONS.—

4 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-
5 TEES.—Unless otherwise defined in this Act, for
6 purposes of this Act the term “appropriate congres-
7 sional committees” means the Committees on Appro-
8 priations and Foreign Relations of the Senate and
9 the Committees on Appropriations and Foreign Af-
10 fairs of the House of Representatives.

11 (2) CLARIFICATION.—In Acts making appro-
12 priations for national security, Department of State,
13 and related programs, the term “contribution, grant,
14 or other payment” with respect to the United Na-
15 tions or any affiliated organization of the United
16 Nations shall mean voluntary and assessed contribu-
17 tions and payments, including contributions and
18 payments to the United Nations Regular Budget.

19 (3) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATIONS.—The
20 term “regular notification procedures of the Com-
21 mittees on Appropriations” means such Committees
22 shall be notified not less than 15 days in advance of
23 the obligation of funds: *Provided*, That such notifica-
24 tions shall include the information detailed under
25 this section in the report accompanying this Act.

1 (4) FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY THIS ACT AND
2 PRIOR ACTS.—Unless otherwise defined in this Act,
3 for purposes of this Act the term “funds appro-
4 priated by this Act and prior Acts making appro-
5 priations for national security, Department of State,
6 and related programs” means funds that remain
7 available for obligation, and have not expired.

8 (5) INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITU-
9 TIONS.—In this Act “international financial institu-
10 tions” means the International Bank for Recon-
11 struction and Development, the International Devel-
12 opment Association, the International Finance Cor-
13 poration, the Inter-American Development Bank, the
14 International Monetary Fund, the International
15 Fund for Agricultural Development, the Asian De-
16 velopment Bank, the Asian Development Fund, the
17 Inter-American Investment Corporation, the North
18 American Development Bank, the European Bank
19 for Reconstruction and Development, the African
20 Development Bank, the African Development Fund,
21 and the Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency.

22 (6) PACIFIC ISLANDS COUNTRIES.—In this Act,
23 the term “Pacific Islands countries” means the Cook
24 Islands, the Republic of Fiji, the Republic of
25 Kiribati, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the

1 Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of
2 Nauru, Niue, the Republic of Palau, the Inde-
3 pendent State of Papua New Guinea, the Inde-
4 pendent State of Samoa, the Solomon Islands, the
5 Kingdom of Tonga, Tuvalu, and the Republic of
6 Vanuatu.

7 (7) PRIOR ACTS.—For the purposes of this Act,
8 the term “prior Acts making appropriations for na-
9 tional security, Department of State, and related
10 programs” shall include prior Acts making appro-
11 priations for the Department of State, foreign oper-
12 ations, and related programs.

13 (8) PRIOR CONSULTATION.—For the purposes
14 of this Act, the term “prior consultation” means a
15 substantive engagement between a relevant Federal
16 agency and the Committees on Appropriations at
17 least 7 days prior to any public announcement or
18 submission of a notification in which such Commit-
19 tees are provided with details and the opportunity to
20 engage on—

21 (A) the proposed use of funds, as applica-

22 ble;

23 (B) the development, content, or conduct
24 of a program, project, or activity; and

25 (C) the proposed decision to be taken.

1 (9) SPEND PLAN.—In this Act, the term
2 “spend plan” means a plan for the uses of funds ap-
3 propriated for a particular entity, country, program,
4 purpose, or account and which shall include, at a
5 minimum, a description of—

6 (A) realistic and sustainable goals, criteria
7 for measuring progress, and a timeline for
8 achieving such goals;

9 (B) amounts and sources of funds by ac-
10 count;

11 (C) how such funds will complement other
12 ongoing or planned programs; and

13 (D) implementing partners, to the max-
14 imum extent practicable.

15 (10) SUCCESSOR OPERATING UNIT.—Any ref-
16 erence to a particular operating unit or office in this
17 Act or prior Acts making appropriations for national
18 security, Department of State, and related programs
19 shall be deemed to include any successor operating
20 unit performing the same or similar functions.

21 (11) THIS ACT.—This Act shall be deemed to
22 be an Act making appropriations for the Depart-
23 ment of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Pro-
24 grams for purposes of any provision of law citing, or
25 referring to amounts made available by, such an Act.

1 LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SECURITY

2 SEC. 7035. (a) ASSISTANCE.—

3 (1) COMMUNITY-BASED POLICE ASSISTANCE.—

4 Funds made available under titles III and IV of this
5 Act to carry out the provisions of chapter 1 of part
6 I and chapters 4 and 6 of part II of the Foreign As-
7 sistance Act of 1961, may be used, notwithstanding
8 section 660 of that Act, to enhance the effectiveness
9 and accountability of civilian police authority
10 through training and technical assistance in human
11 rights, the rule of law, anti-corruption, strategic
12 planning, and through assistance to foster civilian
13 police roles that support democratic governance, in-
14 cluding assistance for programs to prevent conflict,
15 respond to disasters, address violence against women
16 and girls, and foster improved police relations with
17 the communities they serve.

18 (2) COMBAT CASUALTY CARE.—

19 (A) Consistent with the objectives of the
20 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and the Arms
21 Export Control Act, funds appropriated by this
22 Act under the headings “Security Sector Pro-
23 grams” and “Foreign Military Financing Pro-
24 gram” shall be made available for combat cas-

1 ualty training and equipment in an amount
2 above the prior fiscal year.

3 (B) The Secretary of State shall offer com-
4 bat casualty care training and equipment as a
5 component of any package of lethal assistance
6 funded by this Act with funds appropriated
7 under the headings “Security Sector Programs”
8 and “Foreign Military Financing Program”:
9 *Provided*, That the requirement of this subpara-
10 graph shall apply to a country in conflict, un-
11 less the Secretary determines that such country
12 has in place, to the maximum extent prac-
13 ticable, functioning combat casualty care treat-
14 ment and equipment that meets or exceeds the
15 standards recommended by the Committee on
16 Tactical Combat Casualty Care: *Provided fur-*
17 *ther*, That any such training and equipment for
18 combat casualty care shall be made available
19 through an open and competitive process.

20 (b) AUTHORITIES.—

21 (1) RECONSTITUTING CIVILIAN POLICE AU-
22 THORITY.—In providing assistance with funds ap-
23 propriated by this Act under section 660(b)(6) of
24 the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, support for a
25 nation emerging from instability may be deemed to

1 mean support for regional, district, municipal, or
2 other sub-national entity emerging from instability,
3 as well as a nation emerging from instability.

4 (2) DISARMAMENT, DEMOBILIZATION, AND RE-
5 INTEGRATION.—Section 7034(d) of the Department
6 of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs
7 Appropriations Act, 2015 (division J of Public Law
8 113–235) shall continue in effect during fiscal year
9 2027, and shall apply to funds made available by
10 this Act under the heading “National Security In-
11 vestment Programs”.

12 (3) COMMERCIAL LEASING OF DEFENSE ARTI-
13 CLES.—Subject to the regular notification proce-
14 dures of the Committees on Appropriations, the au-
15 thority of section 23(a) of the Arms Export Control
16 Act (22 U.S.C. 2763) may be used to provide fi-
17 nancing to Israel, Egypt, the North Atlantic Treaty
18 Organization (NATO), and major non-NATO allies
19 for the procurement by leasing (including leasing
20 with an option to purchase) of defense articles from
21 United States commercial suppliers, not including
22 Major Defense Equipment (other than helicopters
23 and other types of aircraft having possible civilian
24 application), if the President determines that there
25 are compelling foreign policy or national security

1 reasons for those defense articles being provided by
2 commercial lease rather than by government-to-gov-
3 ernment sale under such Act.

4 (4) SPECIAL DEFENSE ACQUISITION FUND.—
5 Not to exceed \$900,000,000 may be obligated pursu-
6 ant to section 51(c)(2) of the Arms Export Control
7 Act (22 U.S.C. 2795(c)(2)) for the purposes of the
8 Special Defense Acquisition Fund (the Fund), to re-
9 main available for obligation until September 30,
10 2029: *Provided*, That the provision of defense arti-
11 cles and defense services to foreign countries or
12 international organizations from the Fund shall be
13 subject to the concurrence of the Secretary of State.

14 (5) EXTENSION OF WAR RESERVE STOCKPILE
15 AUTHORITY.—Section 514(b)(2)(A) of the Foreign
16 Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2321h(b)(2)(A))
17 is amended by striking “2028” and inserting
18 “2029”.

19 (6) PROGRAM CLARIFICATION.—Notwith-
20 standing section 503(a)(3) of Public Law 87–195
21 (22 U.S.C. 2311(a)(3)), the procurement of defense
22 articles and services funded on a non-repayable basis
23 under section 23 of the Arms Export Control Act
24 may be priced to include the costs of salaries of
25 members of the Armed Forces of the United States

1 engaged in security assistance activities pursuant to
2 10 U.S.C. 341 (relating to the State Partnership
3 Program): *Provided*, That this paragraph shall only
4 apply to funds that remain available for obligation
5 in fiscal year 2027.

6 (7) FOREIGN MILITARY FINANCING DIRECT
7 LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES.—Through fiscal
8 year 2028, the terms and conditions provided in sec-
9 tion 2606 of the Consolidated Appropriations Act,
10 2022 (Public Law 117–103), as modified by section
11 7035(b)(7) of the National Security, Department of
12 State, and Related Programs Appropriations Act,
13 2026 (division F of Public Law 119–75), shall con-
14 tinue in effect and shall apply in the same manner
15 and to the same extent to funds made available by
16 this Act under the heading “Foreign Military Fi-
17 nancing Program”.

18 (8) CONTINUATION OF AUTHORITY.—Section
19 7035(b)(7) of the Department of State, Foreign Op-
20 erations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act,
21 2024 (division F of Public Law 118–47) shall con-
22 tinue in effect during fiscal year 2027.

23 (c) LIMITATIONS.—

1 (1) CHILD SOLDIERS.—Funds appropriated by
2 this Act should not be used to support any military
3 training or operations that include child soldiers.

4 (2) LANDMINES AND CLUSTER MUNITIONS.—

5 (A) LANDMINES.—Demining equipment
6 available to the Department of State and used
7 in support of the clearance of landmines and
8 unexploded ordnance for humanitarian purposes
9 may be disposed of on a grant basis in foreign
10 countries, subject to such terms and conditions
11 as the Secretary of State may prescribe.

12 (B) CLUSTER MUNITIONS.—No military
13 assistance shall be furnished for cluster muni-
14 tions, no defense export license for cluster mu-
15 nitions may be issued, and no cluster munitions
16 or cluster munitions technology shall be sold or
17 transferred, unless—

18 (i) the submunitions of the cluster
19 munitions, after arming, do not result in
20 more than 1 percent unexploded ordnance
21 across the range of intended operational
22 environments, and the agreement applica-
23 ble to the assistance, transfer, or sale of
24 such cluster munitions or cluster munitions
25 technology specifies that the cluster muni-

1 tions will only be used against clearly de-
2 fined military targets and will not be used
3 where civilians are known to be present or
4 in areas normally inhabited by civilians; or
5 (ii) such assistance, license, sale, or
6 transfer is for the purpose of demilitarizing
7 or permanently disposing of such cluster
8 munitions.

9 (3) OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY.—

10 (A) Prior to the signing of a new Letter of
11 Offer and Acceptance (LOA) involving funds
12 appropriated under the heading “Foreign Mili-
13 tary Financing Program”, the Secretary of
14 State shall consult with each recipient govern-
15 ment to ensure that the LOA between the
16 United States and such recipient government
17 complies with the purposes of section 4 of the
18 Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2754) and
19 that the defense articles, services, and training
20 procured with funds appropriated under such
21 heading are consistent with United States na-
22 tional security policy.

23 (B) The Secretary of State shall promptly
24 inform the appropriate congressional commit-
25 tees of any instance in which the Secretary of

1 State has credible information that such assist-
2 ance was used in a manner contrary to such
3 agreement.

4 (d) REPORTS.—

5 (1) SECURITY ASSISTANCE REPORT.—Not later
6 than 120 days after the date of enactment of this
7 Act, the Secretary of State shall submit to the Com-
8 mittees on Appropriations a report on funds obli-
9 gated and expended during fiscal year 2026, by
10 country and purpose of assistance, including for
11 sustainment of Department of Defense security co-
12 operation programs, and under the headings “Secu-
13 rity Sector Programs”, “International Military Edu-
14 cation and Training”, and “Foreign Military Fi-
15 nancing Program”.

16 (2) ANNUAL FOREIGN MILITARY TRAINING RE-
17 PORT.—For the purposes of implementing section
18 656 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the term
19 “military training provided to foreign military per-
20 sonnel by the Department of Defense and the De-
21 partment of State” shall be deemed to include all
22 military training provided by foreign governments
23 with funds appropriated to the Department of De-
24 fense or the Department of State, except for train-
25 ing provided by the government of a country des-

1 ignated by section 517(b) of such Act (22 U.S.C.
2 2321k(b)) as a major non-NATO ally: *Provided*,
3 That such third-country training shall be clearly
4 identified in the report submitted pursuant to sec-
5 tion 656 of such Act.

6 COUNTERING THE FLOW OF FENTANYL AND OTHER
7 SYNTHETIC DRUGS

8 SEC. 7036. (a) ASSISTANCE.—Of the funds appro-
9 priated by this Act under the headings “National Security
10 Investment Programs” and “International Narcotics Con-
11 trol and Law Enforcement”, not less than \$175,000,000
12 shall be made available for programs to counter the flow
13 of fentanyl, fentanyl precursors, and other synthetic drugs
14 into the United States: *Provided*, That such funds shall
15 be in addition to funds otherwise made available for such
16 purposes.

17 (b) USES OF FUNDS.—Funds made available pursu-
18 ant to subsection (a) shall be made available to support—

19 (1) efforts to stop the flow of fentanyl, fentanyl
20 precursors, and other synthetic drugs and their pre-
21 cursor materials to the United States from and
22 through the People’s Republic of China (PRC), Mex-
23 ico, and other countries;

24 (2) law enforcement cooperation and capacity
25 building efforts aimed at disrupting and dismantling

1 transnational criminal organizations involved in the
2 production and trafficking of fentanyl, fentanyl pre-
3 cursors, and other synthetic drugs;

4 (3) implementation of the Fighting Emerging
5 Narcotics Through Additional Nations to Yield Last-
6 ing Results Act (part 7 of subtitle C of the James
7 M. Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act for
8 Fiscal Year 2023, Public Law 117–263); and

9 (4) engagement, including through multilateral
10 organizations and frameworks, to catalyze collective
11 action to address the public health and security
12 threats posed by fentanyl, fentanyl precursors, and
13 other synthetic drugs, including through the Global
14 Coalition to Address Synthetic Drug Threats.

15 PALESTINIAN STATEHOOD

16 SEC. 7037. (a) LIMITATION ON ASSISTANCE.—None
17 of the funds appropriated under titles III through VI of
18 this Act may be provided to support a Palestinian state
19 unless the Secretary of State determines and certifies to
20 the appropriate congressional committees that—

21 (1) the governing entity of a new Palestinian
22 state—

23 (A) has demonstrated a firm commitment
24 to peaceful co-existence with the State of Israel;
25 and

1 (B) is taking appropriate measures to
2 counter terrorism and terrorist financing in the
3 West Bank and Gaza, including the dismantling
4 of terrorist infrastructures, and is cooperating
5 with appropriate Israeli and other appropriate
6 security organizations; and

7 (2) the Palestinian Authority (or the governing
8 entity of a new Palestinian state) is working with
9 other countries in the region to vigorously pursue ef-
10 forts to establish a just, lasting, and comprehensive
11 peace in the Middle East that will enable Israel and
12 an independent Palestinian state to exist within the
13 context of full and normal relationships, which
14 should include—

15 (A) termination of all claims or states of
16 belligerency;

17 (B) respect for and acknowledgment of the
18 sovereignty, territorial integrity, and political
19 independence of every state in the area through
20 measures including the establishment of demili-
21 tarized zones;

22 (C) their right to live in peace within se-
23 cure and recognized boundaries free from
24 threats or acts of force;

1 (D) freedom of navigation through inter-
2 national waterways in the area; and

3 (E) a framework for achieving a just set-
4 tlement of the refugee problem.

5 (b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
6 gress that the governing entity should enact a constitution
7 assuring the rule of law, an independent judiciary, and
8 respect for human rights for its citizens, and should enact
9 other laws and regulations assuring transparent and ac-
10 countable governance.

11 (c) WAIVER.—The President may waive subsection
12 (a) if the President determines that it is important to the
13 national security interest of the United States to do so.

14 (d) EXEMPTION.—The restriction in subsection (a)
15 shall not apply to assistance intended to help reform the
16 Palestinian Authority and affiliated institutions, or the
17 governing entity, in order to help meet the requirements
18 of subsection (a), consistent with the provisions of section
19 7040 of this Act (“Limitation on Assistance for the Pales-
20 tinian Authority”).

21 PROHIBITION ON ASSISTANCE TO THE PALESTINIAN

22 BROADCASTING CORPORATION

23 SEC. 7038. None of the funds appropriated or other-
24 wise made available by this Act may be used to provide
25 equipment, technical support, consulting services, or any

1 other form of assistance to the Palestinian Broadcasting
2 Corporation.

3 OVERSIGHT REQUIREMENTS FOR THE WEST BANK AND
4 GAZA

5 SEC. 7039. (a) OVERSIGHT.—For fiscal year 2027,
6 30 days prior to the initial obligation of funds for the bi-
7 lateral West Bank and Gaza Program, the Secretary of
8 State shall certify to the Committees on Appropriations
9 that procedures have been established to assure the Comp-
10 troller General of the United States will have access to
11 appropriate United States financial information in order
12 to review the uses of United States assistance for the Pro-
13 gram funded under the heading “National Security Invest-
14 ment Programs” for the West Bank and Gaza.

15 (b) VETTING.—Prior to the obligation of funds ap-
16 propriated by this Act under the heading “National Secu-
17 rity Investment Programs” for assistance for the West
18 Bank and Gaza, the Secretary of State shall take all ap-
19 propriate steps to ensure that such assistance is not pro-
20 vided to or through any individual, private or government
21 entity, or educational institution that the Secretary knows
22 or has reason to believe advocates, plans, sponsors, en-
23 gages in, or has engaged in, terrorist activity nor, with
24 respect to private entities or educational institutions, those
25 that have as a principal officer of the entity’s governing

1 board or governing board of trustees any individual that
2 has been determined to be involved in, or advocating ter-
3 rorist activity or determined to be a member of a des-
4 ignated foreign terrorist organization: *Provided*, That the
5 Secretary of State shall, as appropriate, establish proce-
6 dures specifying the steps to be taken in carrying out this
7 subsection and shall terminate assistance to any indi-
8 vidual, entity, or educational institution which the Sec-
9 retary has determined to be involved in or advocating ter-
10 rorist activity.

11 (c) PROHIBITION.—

12 (1) RECOGNITION OF ACTS OF TERRORISM.—

13 None of the funds appropriated under titles III
14 through VI of this Act for assistance under the West
15 Bank and Gaza Program may be made available
16 for—

17 (A) the purpose of recognizing or otherwise
18 honoring individuals who commit, or have com-
19 mitted acts of terrorism; and

20 (B) any educational institution located in
21 the West Bank or Gaza that is named after an
22 individual who the Secretary of State deter-
23 mines has committed an act of terrorism.

24 (2) SECURITY ASSISTANCE AND REPORTING RE-
25 QUIREMENT.—Notwithstanding any other provision

1 of law, none of the funds made available by this or
2 prior appropriations Acts, including funds made
3 available by transfer, may be made available for obli-
4 gation for security assistance for the West Bank and
5 Gaza until the Secretary of State reports to the
6 Committees on Appropriations on—

7 (A) the benchmarks that have been estab-
8 lished for security assistance for the West Bank
9 and Gaza and on the extent of Palestinian com-
10 pliance with such benchmarks; and

11 (B) the steps being taken by the Pales-
12 tinian Authority to end torture and other cruel,
13 inhuman, and degrading treatment of detainees,
14 including by bringing to justice members of
15 Palestinian security forces who commit such
16 crimes.

17 (d) OVERSIGHT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—

18 (1) The Secretary of State shall ensure that
19 Federal or non-Federal audits of all contractors and
20 grantees, and significant subcontractors and sub-
21 grantees, under the West Bank and Gaza Program,
22 are conducted at least on an annual basis to ensure,
23 among other things, compliance with this section.

24 (2) Of the funds appropriated by this Act, up
25 to \$1,400,000 may be used by the Offices of Inspec-

1 tor General funded under title II of this Act for au-
2 dits, investigations, and other activities in further-
3 ance of the requirements of this subsection: *Pro-*
4 *vided*, That such funds are in addition to funds oth-
5 erwise available for such purposes.

6 (e) COMPTROLLER GENERAL OF THE UNITED
7 STATES AUDIT.—Subsequent to the certification specified
8 in subsection (a), the Comptroller General of the United
9 States shall conduct an audit and an investigation of the
10 treatment, handling, and uses of all funds for the bilateral
11 West Bank and Gaza Program, including all funds pro-
12 vided as cash transfer assistance, in fiscal year 2027
13 under the heading “National Security Investment Pro-
14 grams”, and such audit shall address—

15 (1) the extent to which such Program complies
16 with the requirements of subsections (b) and (c);
17 and

18 (2) an examination of all programs, projects,
19 and activities carried out under such Program, in-
20 cluding both obligations and expenditures.

21 (f) NOTIFICATION PROCEDURES.—Funds made
22 available in this Act for West Bank and Gaza shall be
23 subject to the regular notification procedures of the Com-
24 mittees on Appropriations.

1 LIMITATION ON ASSISTANCE FOR THE PALESTINIAN
2 AUTHORITY

3 SEC. 7040. (a) PROHIBITION OF FUNDS.—None of
4 the funds appropriated by this Act to carry out the provi-
5 sions of chapter 4 of part II of the Foreign Assistance
6 Act of 1961 may be obligated or expended with respect
7 to providing funds to the Palestinian Authority.

8 (b) WAIVER.—The prohibition included in subsection
9 (a) shall not apply if the President certifies in writing to
10 the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Presi-
11 dent pro tempore of the Senate, and the Committees on
12 Appropriations that waiving such prohibition is important
13 to the national security interest of the United States.

14 (c) PERIOD OF APPLICATION OF WAIVER.—Any
15 waiver pursuant to subsection (b) shall be effective for no
16 more than a period of 6 months at a time and shall not
17 apply beyond 12 months after the enactment of this Act.

18 (d) REPORT.—Whenever the waiver authority pursu-
19 ant to subsection (b) is exercised, the President shall sub-
20 mit a report to the Committees on Appropriations detail-
21 ing the justification for the waiver, the purposes for which
22 the funds will be spent, and the accounting procedures in
23 place to ensure that the funds are properly disbursed: *Pro-*
24 *vided*, That the report shall also detail the steps the Pales-

1 tinian Authority has taken to arrest terrorists, confiscate
2 weapons and dismantle the terrorist infrastructure.

3 (e) CERTIFICATION.—If the President exercises the
4 waiver authority under subsection (b), the Secretary of
5 State must certify and report to the Committees on Ap-
6 propriations prior to the obligation of funds that the Pal-
7 estinian Authority has established a single treasury ac-
8 count for all Palestinian Authority financing and all fi-
9 nancing mechanisms flow through this account, no parallel
10 financing mechanisms exist outside of the Palestinian Au-
11 thority treasury account, and there is a single comprehen-
12 sive civil service roster and payroll, and the Palestinian
13 Authority is acting to counter incitement of violence
14 against Israelis and is supporting activities aimed at pro-
15 moting peace, coexistence, and security cooperation with
16 Israel.

17 (f) PROHIBITION TO HAMAS AND THE PALESTINE
18 LIBERATION ORGANIZATION.—

19 (1) None of the funds appropriated in titles III
20 through VI of this Act may be obligated for salaries
21 of personnel of the Palestinian Authority located in
22 Gaza or may be obligated or expended for assistance
23 to Hamas or any entity effectively controlled by
24 Hamas, any power-sharing government of which
25 Hamas is a member, or that results from an agree-

1 ment with Hamas and over which Hamas exercises
2 undue influence.

3 (2) Notwithstanding the limitation of paragraph
4 (1), assistance may be provided to a power-sharing
5 government only if the President certifies and re-
6 ports to the Committees on Appropriations that such
7 government, including all of its ministers or such
8 equivalent, has publicly accepted and is complying
9 with the principles contained in section
10 620K(b)(1)(A) and (B) of the Foreign Assistance
11 Act of 1961, as amended.

12 (3) The President may exercise the authority in
13 section 620K(e) of the Foreign Assistance Act of
14 1961, as added by the Palestinian Anti-Terrorism
15 Act of 2006 (Public Law 109–446) with respect to
16 this subsection.

17 (4) Whenever the certification pursuant to
18 paragraph (2) is exercised, the Secretary of State
19 shall submit a report to the Committees on Appro-
20 priations within 120 days of the certification and
21 every quarter thereafter on whether such govern-
22 ment, including all of its ministers or such equiva-
23 lent are continuing to comply with the principles
24 contained in section 620K(b)(1)(A) and (B) of the
25 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended: *Pro-*

1 *vided*, That the report shall also detail the amount,
 2 purposes and delivery mechanisms for any assistance
 3 provided pursuant to the abovementioned certifi-
 4 cation and a full accounting of any direct support of
 5 such government.

6 (5) None of the funds appropriated under titles
 7 III through VI of this Act may be obligated for as-
 8 sistance for the Palestine Liberation Organization.

9 MIDDLE EAST AND NORTH AFRICA

10 SEC. 7041. (a) EGYPT.—

11 (1) ASSISTANCE.—Of the funds appropriated by
 12 this Act, not less than \$1,425,000,000 shall be made
 13 available for assistance for Egypt, of which—

14 (A) not less than \$125,000,000 shall be
 15 made available from funds under the heading
 16 “National Security Investment Programs”; and

17 (B) not less than \$1,300,000,000 shall be
 18 made available from funds under the heading
 19 “Foreign Military Financing Program”: *Pro-*
 20 *vided*, That such funds may be transferred to
 21 an interest bearing account in the Federal Re-
 22 serve Bank of New York.

23 (2) MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING.—The
 24 Secretary of State shall prioritize diplomatic engage-
 25 ments on long-term planning to support the mutu-

1 ally beneficial United States-Egypt partnership, in-
2 cluding with respect to United States international
3 security assistance for Egypt.

4 (3) CERTIFICATION AND REPORT.—Funds ap-
5 propriated by this Act that are available for assist-
6 ance for Egypt may be made available notwith-
7 standing any other provision of law restricting as-
8 sistance for Egypt, except for this subsection and
9 section 620M of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961,
10 and may only be made available for assistance for
11 the Government of Egypt if the Secretary of State
12 certifies and reports to the Committees on Appro-
13 priations that such government is—

14 (A) sustaining the strategic relationship
15 with the United States; and

16 (B) meeting its obligations under the 1979
17 Egypt-Israel Peace Treaty.

18 (b) IRAN.—

19 (1) FUNDING.—Funds appropriated by this Act
20 under the headings “Diplomatic Programs”, “Na-
21 tional Security Investment Programs”, and “Non-
22 proliferation, Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related
23 Programs” shall be made available—

1 (A) to support the United States policy to
2 prevent Iran from achieving the capability to
3 produce or otherwise obtain a nuclear weapon;

4 (B) to support an expeditious response to
5 any violation of United Nations Security Coun-
6 cil Resolutions or to efforts that advance Iran's
7 nuclear program;

8 (C) to support the implementation and en-
9 forcement of sanctions against Iran for support
10 of nuclear weapons development, terrorism,
11 human rights abuses, and ballistic missile and
12 weapons proliferation; and

13 (D) for democracy programs in support of
14 the aspirations of the Iranian people.

15 (2) REPORTS.—

16 (A) SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT.—The Sec-
17 retary of State shall submit to the Committees
18 on Appropriations the semi-annual report re-
19 quired by section 135(d)(4) of the Atomic En-
20 ergy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2160e(d)(4)), as
21 added by section 2 of the Iran Nuclear Agree-
22 ment Review Act of 2015 (Public Law 114–17).

23 (B) SANCTIONS REPORT.—Not later than
24 180 days after the date of enactment of this
25 Act, the Secretary of State, in consultation with

1 the Secretary of the Treasury, shall submit to
2 the appropriate congressional committees a re-
3 port on—

4 (i) the status of United States bilat-
5 eral sanctions on Iran;

6 (ii) the reimposition and renewed en-
7 forcement of secondary sanctions; and

8 (iii) the impact such sanctions have
9 had on Iran's destabilizing activities
10 throughout the Middle East.

11 (3) LIMITATIONS.—None of the funds appro-
12 priated by this Act may be—

13 (A) used to implement an agreement with
14 the Government of Iran relating to the nuclear
15 program of Iran, or a renewal of the Joint
16 Comprehensive Plan of Action adopted on Octo-
17 ber 18, 2015, in contravention of the Iran Nu-
18 clear Agreement Review Act of 2015 (42 U.S.C.
19 2160e);

20 (B) made available to any foreign entity or
21 person that is subject to United Nations or
22 United States bilateral sanctions with respect to
23 the Government of Iran; or

24 (C) used to revoke the designation of the
25 Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps as a For-

1 eign Terrorist Organization pursuant to section
2 219 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8
3 U.S.C. 1189).

4 (c) ISRAEL.—Of the funds appropriated by this Act
5 under the heading “Foreign Military Financing Pro-
6 gram”, not less than \$3,300,000,000 shall be available for
7 grants only for Israel: *Provided*, That funds appropriated
8 by this Act under the heading “Foreign Military Financ-
9 ing Program” and made available for assistance for Israel
10 shall be disbursed within 30 days of the date of enactment
11 of this Act: *Provided further*, That to the extent that the
12 Government of Israel requests that funds be used for such
13 purposes, grants made available for Israel under this
14 heading shall, as agreed by the United States and Israel,
15 be available for advanced weapons systems, of which not
16 less than \$250,300,000 shall be available for the procure-
17 ment in Israel of defense articles and defense services, in-
18 cluding research and development.

19 (d) JORDAN.—

20 (1) Of the funds appropriated by this Act under
21 titles III and IV, not less than \$1,650,000,000 shall
22 be made available for assistance for Jordan, of
23 which not less than \$845,100,000 shall be made
24 available for budget support for the Government of
25 Jordan and not less than \$425,000,000 shall be

1 made available under the heading “Foreign Military
2 Financing Program”.

3 (2) In addition to amounts made available pur-
4 suant to paragraph (1), not less than \$400,000,000
5 of the funds appropriated under the heading “Na-
6 tional Security Investment Programs” shall be made
7 available for assistance for Jordan, which shall be
8 made available for budget support, and not less than
9 \$50,000,000 of the funds appropriated under the
10 heading “Foreign Military Financing Program”
11 shall be made available for assistance for Jordan.

12 (e) LEBANON.—

13 (1) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
14 priated by this Act may be made available for the
15 Lebanese Internal Security Forces (ISF) or the Leb-
16 anese Armed Forces (LAF) if the ISF or the LAF
17 is controlled by a foreign terrorist organization, as
18 designated pursuant to section 219 of the Immigra-
19 tion and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189).

20 (2) SECURITY ASSISTANCE.—

21 (A) Funds appropriated by this Act under
22 the headings “International Narcotics Control
23 and Law Enforcement” and “Foreign Military
24 Financing Program” that are made available
25 for assistance for Lebanon may be made avail-

1 able for programs and equipment for the ISF
2 and the LAF to address security and stability
3 requirements in areas affected by conflict in
4 Syria, following consultation with the appro-
5 priate congressional committees.

6 (B) Funds appropriated by this Act under
7 the heading “Foreign Military Financing Pro-
8 gram” that are made available for assistance
9 for Lebanon may only be made available for
10 programs to—

11 (i) professionalize the LAF to miti-
12 gate internal and external threats from
13 non-state actors, including Hizballah;

14 (ii) strengthen the security of borders
15 and combat terrorism, including training
16 and equipping the LAF to secure the bor-
17 ders of Lebanon and address security and
18 stability requirements in areas affected by
19 conflict in Syria, interdicting arms ship-
20 ments, and preventing the use of Lebanon
21 as a safe haven for terrorist groups; and

22 (iii) implement United Nations Secu-
23 rity Council Resolution 1701:

24 *Provided*, That prior to obligating funds made
25 available by this subparagraph for assistance

1 for the LAF, the Secretary of State shall sub-
2 mit to the Committees on Appropriations a
3 spend plan, including actions to be taken to en-
4 sure equipment provided to the LAF is used
5 only for the intended purposes, except such plan
6 may not be considered as meeting the notifica-
7 tion requirements under section 7015 of this
8 Act or under section 634A of the Foreign As-
9 sistance Act of 1961: *Provided further*, That
10 any notification submitted pursuant to such
11 section shall include any funds specifically in-
12 tended for lethal military equipment.

13 (f) SYRIA.—

14 (1) NON-LETHAL ASSISTANCE.—Funds appro-
15 priated by this Act under titles III and IV may be
16 made available, notwithstanding any other provision
17 of law, for non-lethal stabilization assistance for
18 Syria, including for emergency medical and rescue
19 response and chemical weapons investigations.

20 (2) LIMITATIONS.—Funds appropriated by this
21 Act and made available for assistance for Syria may
22 not be made available for—

23 (A) a project or activity that supports or
24 otherwise legitimizes the Government of Iran,
25 foreign terrorist organizations (as designated

1 pursuant to section 219 of the Immigration and
2 Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189)), or a proxy of
3 Iran in Syria; and

4 (B) activities that further the strategic ob-
5 jectives of the governments of the Russian Fed-
6 eration or the People's Republic of China that
7 the Secretary of State determines may threaten
8 or undermine United States national security
9 interests.

10 (3) CONSULTATION.—Funds appropriated by
11 this Act and prior Acts making appropriations for
12 national security, Department of State, and related
13 programs that are made available for any new pro-
14 gram, project, or activity in Syria shall be subject to
15 prior consultation with the appropriate congressional
16 committees.

17 (g) WEST BANK AND GAZA.—

18 (1) LIMITATIONS.—

19 (A) None of the funds appropriated under
20 the heading “National Security Investment Pro-
21 grams” in this Act may be made available for
22 assistance for the Palestinian Authority, if after
23 the date of enactment of this Act—

24 (i) the Palestinians obtain the same
25 standing as member states or full member-

1 ship as a state in the United Nations or
2 any specialized agency thereof outside an
3 agreement negotiated between Israel and
4 the Palestinians; or

5 (ii) the Palestinians initiate an Inter-
6 national Criminal Court (ICC) judicially
7 authorized investigation, or actively sup-
8 port such an investigation, that subjects
9 Israeli nationals to an investigation for al-
10 leged crimes against Palestinians.

11 (B)(i) The President may waive the provi-
12 sions of section 1003 of the Foreign Relations
13 Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 1988 and 1989
14 (Public Law 100–204) if the President deter-
15 mines and certifies in writing to the Speaker of
16 the House of Representatives, the President pro
17 tempore of the Senate, and the appropriate con-
18 gressional committees that the Palestinians
19 have not, after the date of enactment of this
20 Act—

21 (I) obtained in the United Nations or
22 any specialized agency thereof the same
23 standing as member states or full member-
24 ship as a state outside an agreement nego-
25 tiated between Israel and the Palestinians;

1 (II) initiated or actively supported an
2 ICC investigation against Israeli nationals
3 for alleged crimes against Palestinians;
4 and

5 (III) initiated any further action,
6 whether directly or indirectly, based on an
7 Advisory Opinion of the International
8 Court of Justice that undermines direct
9 negotiations to resolve the Israeli-Pales-
10 tinian conflict, including matters related to
11 final status and Israel's longstanding secu-
12 rity rights and responsibilities.

13 (ii) Not less than 90 days after the Presi-
14 dent is unable to make the certification pursu-
15 ant to clause (i) of this subparagraph, the
16 President may waive section 1003 of Public
17 Law 100–204 if the President determines and
18 certifies in writing to the Speaker of the House
19 of Representatives, the President pro tempore
20 of the Senate, and the Committees on Appro-
21 priations that the Palestinians have entered
22 into direct and meaningful negotiations with
23 Israel: *Provided*, That any waiver of the provi-
24 sions of section 1003 of Public Law 100–204
25 under clause (i) of this subparagraph or under

1 previous provisions of law must expire before
2 the waiver under this clause may be exercised.

3 (iii) Any waiver pursuant to this subpara-
4 graph shall be effective for no more than a pe-
5 riod of 6 months at a time and shall not apply
6 beyond 12 months after the enactment of this
7 Act.

8 (C) None of the funds appropriated or oth-
9 erwise made available by this Act may be made
10 available for the Office of Palestinian Affairs,
11 Department of State.

12 (3) GAZA OVERSIGHT.—

13 (A) CERTIFICATION.—The Secretary of
14 State shall certify and report to the appropriate
15 congressional committees not later than 15 days
16 after the date of enactment of this Act, that—

17 (i) oversight policies, processes, and
18 procedures have been established by the
19 Department of State and are in use to pre-
20 vent the diversion to Hamas and other ter-
21 rorist and extremist entities in Gaza and
22 the misuse or destruction by such entities
23 of assistance, including through inter-
24 national organizations; and

1 (ii) such policies, processes, and pro-
2 cedures have been developed in coordina-
3 tion with other bilateral and multilateral
4 donors and the Government of Israel, as
5 appropriate.

6 (B) OVERSIGHT POLICY AND PROCE-
7 DURES.—The Secretary of State shall submit to
8 the appropriate congressional committees, con-
9 current with the submission of the certification
10 required in subparagraph (A), a written de-
11 scription of the oversight policies, processes,
12 and procedures for funds appropriated by this
13 Act that are made available for assistance for
14 Gaza, including specific actions to be taken
15 should such assistance be diverted, misused, or
16 destroyed, and the role of the Government of
17 Israel in the oversight of such assistance.

18 (C) REQUIREMENT TO INFORM.—The Sec-
19 retary of State shall promptly inform the appro-
20 priate congressional committees of each in-
21 stance in which funds appropriated by this Act
22 that are made available for assistance for Gaza
23 have been diverted, misused, or destroyed, to
24 include the type of assistance, a description of
25 the incident and parties involved, and an expla-

1 nation of the response of the Department of
2 State.

3 (D) THIRD PARTY MONITORING.—Funds
4 appropriated by this Act shall be made available
5 for third party monitoring of assistance for
6 Gaza, including end use monitoring, following
7 consultation with the appropriate congressional
8 committees.

9 (E) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days
10 after the initial obligation of funds appropriated
11 by this Act that are made available for assist-
12 ance for Gaza, and every 90 days thereafter
13 until all such funds are expended, the Secretary
14 of State shall submit to the appropriate con-
15 gressional committees a report detailing the
16 amount and purpose of such assistance pro-
17 vided during each respective quarter, including
18 a description of the specific entity implementing
19 such assistance.

20 (F) ASSESSMENT.—Not later than 90 days
21 after the date of enactment of this Act and
22 every 90 days thereafter until September 30,
23 2028, the Secretary of State, in consultation
24 with the Director of National Intelligence and
25 other heads of elements of the intelligence com-

1 munity that the Secretary considers relevant,
2 shall submit to the appropriate congressional
3 committees a report assessing whether funds
4 appropriated by this Act and made available for
5 assistance for the West Bank and Gaza have
6 been diverted to or destroyed by Hamas or
7 other terrorist and extremist entities in the
8 West Bank and Gaza: *Provided*, That such re-
9 port shall include details on the amount and
10 how such funds were made available and used
11 by such entities: *Provided further*, That such re-
12 port may be submitted in classified form, if nec-
13 essary.

14 (G) CONSULTATION.—Not later than 30
15 days after the date of enactment of this Act but
16 prior to the initial obligation of funds made
17 available by this Act for humanitarian assist-
18 ance for Gaza, the Secretary of State shall con-
19 sult with the Committees on Appropriations on
20 the amount and anticipated uses of such funds.

21 (H) LIMITATION ON FOREIGN NATIONALS
22 FROM GAZA.—None of the funds appropriated
23 by this Act and prior Acts making appropria-
24 tions for national security, Department of
25 State, and related programs under title III may

1 be used to support the admission and resettlement
2 into the United States of a foreign national
3 from Gaza.

4 (4) APPLICATION OF TAYLOR FORCE ACT.—
5 Funds appropriated by this Act under the heading
6 “National Security Investment Programs” that are
7 made available for assistance for the West Bank and
8 Gaza shall be made available consistent with section
9 1004(a) of the Taylor Force Act (title X of division
10 S of Public Law 115–141).

11 (5) SECURITY REPORT.—The reporting requirements
12 in section 1404 of the Supplemental Appropriations
13 Act, 2008 (Public Law 110–252) shall
14 apply to funds made available by this Act, including
15 a description of modifications, if any, to the security
16 strategy of the Palestinian Authority.

17 (6) INCITEMENT REPORT.—Not later than 90
18 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the
19 Secretary of State shall submit a report to the appropriate
20 congressional committees detailing steps
21 taken by the Palestinian Authority to counter incitement
22 of violence against Israelis and to promote
23 peace and coexistence with Israel.

AFRICA

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2 SEC. 7042. (a) AFRICAN GREAT LAKES REGION.—
3 Funds appropriated under titles III and IV of this Act
4 shall be made available to support the June 27, 2025
5 Peace Agreement Between the Democratic Republic of the
6 Congo and the Republic of Rwanda and implementation
7 of the Regional Economic Integration Framework: *Pro-*
8 *vided*, That such funds shall prioritize sectors deemed crit-
9 ical by the Secretary of State to the national security and
10 economic interests of the United States, including the
11 mining sector and other natural resources.

12 (b) NIGERIA.—

13 (1) CERTIFICATION.—Of the funds appro-
14 priated under titles III and IV of this Act that are
15 made available for assistance for the central Govern-
16 ment of Nigeria, 100 percent may not be obligated
17 until the Secretary of State certifies to the Commit-
18 tees on Appropriations that such Government is—

19 (A) taking effective steps to prevent and
20 respond to violence and hold perpetrators ac-
21 countable;

22 (B) prioritizing resources to support vic-
23 tims of such violence, including internally dis-
24 placed persons;

1 (C) actively facilitating the safe return, re-
2 settlement, and reconstruction of communities
3 impacted by the violence; and

4 (D) allocating sufficient resources to ad-
5 dress the conditions in subparagraphs (A)
6 through (C).

7 (2) PROGRAM PRIORITIZATION.—Funds appro-
8 priated under titles III and IV of this Act that are
9 made available for assistance for Nigeria shall be
10 made available on a cost-matching basis to the max-
11 imum extent practicable and used to support—

12 (A) atrocities prevention, including through
13 early warning systems;

14 (B) advancing religious freedom;

15 (C) investigations and prosecutions of vio-
16 lence committed by Fulani militia groups,
17 jihadist terror groups, and criminal gangs;

18 (D) the effectiveness and accountability of
19 police and security forces for the protection of
20 civilians from militia or terrorist attack;

21 (E) the delivery of humanitarian assist-
22 ance;

23 (F) the restoration of basic services in
24 areas impacted by conflict including through
25 faith-based and local organizations; and

1 (G) the development of demobilization, dis-
2 armament, and reintegration efforts to address
3 the challenge of illegal weapons trafficking and
4 related security risks, pursuant to section
5 7035(b)(2) of this Act.

6 (c) SOUTH AFRICA.—None of the funds appropriated
7 by this Act under titles III and IV may be made available
8 for assistance for the Government of South Africa unless
9 the Secretary of State certifies and reports to the Commit-
10 tees on Appropriations that the conditions enumerated
11 under this section in the report accompanying this Act re-
12 lating to the cessation of cooperation with United States
13 adversaries and adherence to the rule of law have been
14 met.

15 (d) SOUTH SUDAN.—None of the funds appropriated
16 by this Act under title IV may be made available for as-
17 sistance for the central Government of South Sudan, ex-
18 cept to support implementation of a viable peace agree-
19 ment in South Sudan.

20 (e) SUDAN.—

21 (1) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
22 priated by this Act under title IV may be made
23 available for assistance for the central Government
24 of Sudan, except to support implementation of a via-
25 ble peace agreement in Sudan.

1 (2) CONSULTATION.—Funds appropriated by
2 this Act and prior Acts making appropriations for
3 national security, Department of State, and related
4 programs that are made available for any new pro-
5 gram, project, or activity in Sudan shall be subject
6 to prior consultation with the appropriate congres-
7 sional committees.

8 EAST ASIA AND THE PACIFIC

9 SEC. 7043. (a) BURMA.—Funds appropriated by this
10 Act under the heading “National Security Investment
11 Programs” may be made available for assistance for
12 Burma for the purposes described in section 5575 of the
13 Burma Act of 2022 (subtitle E of title LV of division E
14 of Public Law 117–263) and section 7043(a) of the De-
15 partment of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Pro-
16 grams Appropriations Act, 2023 (division K of Public Law
17 117–328): *Provided*, That the authorities, limitations, and
18 conditions contained in section 7043(a) of division K of
19 Public Law 117–328 shall apply to funds made available
20 for assistance for Burma under this Act, except for the
21 minimum funding requirements and paragraph (1)(B).

22 (b) INDO-PACIFIC STRATEGY.—

23 (1) ASSISTANCE.—Of the funds appropriated
24 under titles III and IV of this Act, not less than

1 \$1,800,000,000 shall be made available to support
2 implementation of the Indo-Pacific Strategy.

3 (2) COUNTERING PRC INFLUENCE FUND.—Of
4 the funds appropriated or otherwise made available
5 by this Act under the headings “National Security
6 Investment Programs”, “International Narcotics
7 Control and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation,
8 Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs”,
9 and “Foreign Military Financing Program”, not less
10 than \$400,000,000 (reduced by \$5,000,000) (in-
11 creased by \$5,000,000) shall be made available for
12 a Countering PRC Influence Fund to counter the in-
13 fluence of the Government of the People’s Republic
14 of China and the Chinese Communist Party and en-
15 tities acting on their behalf globally, which shall be
16 subject to prior consultation with the Committees on
17 Appropriations: *Provided*, That such funds are in
18 addition to amounts otherwise made available for
19 such purposes: *Provided further*, That up to 10 per-
20 cent of such funds shall be held in reserve to re-
21 spond to unanticipated opportunities to counter PRC
22 influence: *Provided further*, That funds made avail-
23 able pursuant to this paragraph under the heading
24 “Foreign Military Financing Program” may remain
25 available until September 30, 2028: *Provided further*,

1 That funds appropriated by this Act for such Fund
2 under the headings “International Narcotics Control
3 and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation, Anti-ter-
4 rorism, Demining and Related Programs”, and
5 “Foreign Military Financing Program” may be
6 transferred to, and merged with, funds appropriated
7 under such headings: *Provided further*, That such
8 transfer authority is in addition to any other trans-
9 fer authority provided by this Act or any other Act,
10 and is subject to the regular notification procedures
11 of the Committees on Appropriations.

12 (3) RESTRICTION ON USES OF FUNDS.—None
13 of the funds appropriated by this Act and prior Acts
14 making appropriations for national security, Depart-
15 ment of State, and related programs may be made
16 available for any project or activity that directly sup-
17 ports or promotes—

18 (A) the Belt and Road Initiative or any
19 dual-use infrastructure projects of the People’s
20 Republic of China; or

21 (B) the use of technology, including bio-
22 technology, digital, telecommunications, and
23 cyber, developed by the People’s Republic of
24 China unless the Secretary of State, in con-
25 sultation with the heads of other Federal agen-

1 cies, as appropriate, determines that such use
2 does not adversely impact the national security
3 of the United States.

4 (4) MAPS.—None of the funds made available
5 by this Act should be used to create, procure, or dis-
6 play any map that inaccurately depicts the territory
7 and social and economic system of Taiwan and the
8 islands or island groups administered by Taiwan au-
9 thorities.

10 (c) MISSION AUSTRALIA.—Funds appropriated by
11 this Act under the heading “Administration of Foreign Af-
12 fairs” shall be made available to increase the number of
13 Department of State personnel and improve the requisite
14 facilities necessary to advance the national security policy
15 objectives of the United States in Australia, including
16 through AUKUS implementation: *Provided*, That such ex-
17 panded presence shall be reflected in the operating plan
18 submitted pursuant to section 7062 of this Act, following
19 consultation with the appropriate congressional commit-
20 tees.

21 (d) NORTH KOREA.—

22 (1) CYBERSECURITY.—None of the funds ap-
23 propriated by this Act or prior Acts making appro-
24 priations for national security, Department of State,
25 and related programs may be made available for as-

1 sistance for the central government of a country the
2 Secretary of State determines and reports to the ap-
3 propriate congressional committees engages in sig-
4 nificant transactions contributing materially to the
5 malicious cyber-intrusion capabilities of the Govern-
6 ment of North Korea: *Provided*, That the Secretary
7 of State shall submit the report required by section
8 209 of the North Korea Sanctions and Policy En-
9 hancement Act of 2016 (Public Law 114–122; 22
10 U.S.C. 9229) to the Committees on Appropriations:
11 *Provided further*, That the Secretary of State may
12 waive the application of the restriction in this para-
13 graph with respect to assistance for the central gov-
14 ernment of a country if the Secretary determines
15 and reports to the appropriate congressional com-
16 mittees that to do so is important to the national se-
17 curity interest of the United States, including a de-
18 scription of such interest served.

19 (2) BROADCASTS.—Funds appropriated by this
20 Act under the heading “International Communica-
21 tions Activities” shall be made available to maintain
22 broadcasting hours into North Korea at levels not
23 less than the prior fiscal year.

24 (3) HUMAN RIGHTS.—Funds appropriated by
25 this Act under the headings “National Security In-

1 vestment Programs” and “Democracy Fund” shall
2 be made available for the promotion of human rights
3 in North Korea: *Provided*, That the authority of sec-
4 tion 7032(b)(1) of this Act shall apply to such
5 funds.

6 (4) LIMITATION ON USE OF FUNDS.—None of
7 the funds made available by this Act under the
8 heading “National Security Investment Programs”
9 may be made available for assistance for the Govern-
10 ment of North Korea.

11 (e) PACIFIC ISLANDS COUNTRIES.—

12 (1) OPERATIONS.—Funds appropriated by this
13 Act under the heading “Administration of Foreign
14 Affairs” shall be made available to increase the
15 United States diplomatic and development presence
16 in Pacific Islands countries (PICs), including the
17 number and location of facilities and personnel, and
18 to enhance the communications capacity of such per-
19 sonnel: *Provided*, That such expanded presence shall
20 be reflected in the operating plan submitted pursu-
21 ant to section 7062 of this Act, following consulta-
22 tion with the appropriate congressional committees.

23 (2) ASSISTANCE.—Of the funds appropriated by
24 this Act under the headings “National Security In-
25 vestment Programs”, “International Narcotics Con-

1 trol and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation,
2 Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Programs”,
3 and “Foreign Military Financing Program”, not less
4 than \$175,000,000 shall be made available for as-
5 sistance for PICs.

6 (f) PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.—

7 (1) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appro-
8 priated by this Act—

9 (A) may be made available for assistance
10 for the Government of the People’s Republic of
11 China or the Chinese Communist Party; or

12 (B) shall be used to implement, admin-
13 ister, carry out, modify, revise, or enforce any
14 action that directly supports or facilitates
15 forced labor or other violations of human rights,
16 crimes against humanity, or genocide in the
17 People’s Republic of China.

18 (2) HONG KONG.—Of the funds appropriated
19 by this Act under the heading “Democracy Fund”,
20 not less than \$5,000,000 shall be made available for
21 democracy and internet freedom programs for Hong
22 Kong, including legal and other support for democ-
23 racy activists.

24 (g) PHILIPPINES.—Of the funds appropriated by this
25 Act under titles III and IV, not less than \$300,000,000

1 shall be made available for assistance for the Philippines,
2 of which not less than \$100,000,000 shall be made avail-
3 able under the heading “National Security Investment
4 Programs” and not less than \$200,000,000 shall be made
5 available under the heading “Foreign Military Financing
6 Program”.

7 (h) PUBLIC LAW 106–554.—Of the funds appro-
8 priated by this Act under the headings “Educational and
9 Cultural Exchange Programs” and “National Security In-
10 vestment Programs”, not less than \$11,500,000 shall be
11 made available to carry out the purposes of the Vietnam
12 Education Foundation Act of 2000 (title II of division B
13 of H.R. 5666, as enacted by section 1(a)(4) of Public Law
14 106–554 and contained in appendix D of such Act; 114
15 Stat. 2763A–257; 22 U.S.C. 2452 note).

16 (i) TAIWAN.—

17 (1) GLOBAL COOPERATION AND TRAINING
18 FRAMEWORK.—Of the funds appropriated by this
19 Act under the heading “National Security Invest-
20 ment Programs”, not less than \$4,000,000 shall be
21 made available for the Global Cooperation and
22 Training Framework, which shall be administered by
23 the American Institute in Taiwan.

24 (2) FOREIGN MILITARY FINANCING PRO-
25 GRAM.—Of the funds appropriated by this Act under

1 the heading “Foreign Military Financing Program”,
2 not less than \$500,000,000 shall be made available
3 for assistance for Taiwan: *Provided*, That the Sec-
4 retary of State, in coordination with the Secretary of
5 Defense, shall prioritize the delivery of defense arti-
6 cles and services for Taiwan.

7 (3) FOREIGN MILITARY FINANCING PROGRAM
8 LOAN AND LOAN GUARANTEE AUTHORITY.—Funds
9 appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making ap-
10 propriations for national security, Department of
11 State, and related programs under the heading
12 “Foreign Military Financing Program”, except for
13 amounts designated as an emergency requirement
14 pursuant to a concurrent resolution on the budget or
15 the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control
16 Act of 1985, may be made available for the costs,
17 as defined in section 502 of the Congressional Budg-
18 et Act of 1974, of direct loans and loan guarantees
19 for Taiwan, as authorized by section 5502(g) of the
20 Taiwan Enhanced Resilience Act (subtitle A of title
21 LV of division E of Public Law 117–263).

22 (4) FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM.—Funds appro-
23 priated by this Act under the heading “Payment to
24 the American Institute in Taiwan” shall be made
25 available for the Taiwan Fellowship Program.

1 (5) CONSULTATION.—Not later than 60 days
2 after the date of enactment of this Act, the Sec-
3 retary of State shall consult with the Committees on
4 Appropriations on the uses of funds made available
5 pursuant to this subsection: *Provided*, That such
6 funds shall be subject to the regular notification pro-
7 cedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

8 (j) TIBET.—

9 (1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law,
10 of the funds appropriated by this Act under the
11 heading “National Security Investment Programs”,
12 not less than \$10,000,000 shall be made available to
13 nongovernmental organizations with experience
14 working with Tibetan communities to support activi-
15 ties which preserve cultural traditions and promote
16 sustainable development, education, and environ-
17 mental conservation in Tibetan communities in the
18 Tibet Autonomous Region and in other Tibetan com-
19 munities in China.

20 (2) Of the funds appropriated by this Act under
21 the heading “National Security Investment Pro-
22 grams”, not less than \$8,000,000 shall be made
23 available for programs to promote and preserve Ti-
24 betan culture and language in the refugee and dias-
25 pora Tibetan communities, development, and the re-

1 silience of Tibetan communities and the Central Ti-
2 betan Administration in India and Nepal, and to as-
3 sist in the education and development of the next
4 generation of Tibetan leaders from such commu-
5 nities: *Provided*, That such funds are in addition to
6 amounts made available in paragraph (1) for pro-
7 grams inside Tibet.

8 (3) Of the funds appropriated by this Act under
9 the heading “National Security Investment Pro-
10 grams”, not less than \$5,000,000 shall be made
11 available for programs to strengthen the capacity of
12 the Central Tibetan Administration, of which up to
13 \$1,500,000 may be made available to address eco-
14 nomic growth and capacity building activities, in-
15 cluding for displaced Tibetan refugee families in
16 India and Nepal to help meet basic needs, following
17 consultation with the Committees on Appropriations.

18 (4) Section 7031(c) of this Act shall be applied
19 to officials of the Government of the People’s Re-
20 public of China and other governments in the South
21 Asia region about whom the Secretary of State has
22 credible information have been involved in a gross
23 violation of human rights against the people of Tibet
24 in the Tibet Autonomous Region or other Tibetan

1 communities in the People's Republic of China and
2 the region.

3 SOUTH AND CENTRAL ASIA

4 SEC. 7044. None of the funds appropriated or other-
5 wise made available by this Act and prior Acts making
6 appropriations for national security, Department of State,
7 and related programs may be made available for assist-
8 ance to the Taliban.

9 LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

10 SEC. 7045. (a) ASSISTANCE FOR LATIN AMERICA
11 AND THE CARIBBEAN.—Funds appropriated by this Act
12 under titles III and IV and made available for countries
13 in Latin America and the Caribbean shall be prioritized
14 for countries and programs that are—

15 (1) countering fentanyl and other narcotics traf-
16 ficking;

17 (2) respecting norms of democracy, constitutional
18 order, and human rights;

19 (3) cooperating in the countering of regional and
20 global authoritarian threats; and

21 (4) demonstrating commitment and progress in off-
22 setting large-scale migration and human trafficking from
23 or through the Western Hemisphere.

24 (b) CENTRAL AMERICA.—Funds appropriated under
25 titles III and IV of this Act shall be made available for

1 assistance for countries in Central America, including
2 Panama and Costa Rica, and shall be allocated to address
3 the unique circumstances of each country in support of
4 United States security interests in the region.

5 (c) COLOMBIA.—

6 (1) PRE-OBLIGATION REPORTS.—Prior to the
7 initial obligation of funds appropriated by this Act
8 and made available for assistance for Colombia, the
9 Secretary of State shall submit a report to the ap-
10 propriate congressional committees on the status of
11 United States bilateral relations with the Govern-
12 ment of Colombia, including analysis of how such
13 Government’s current policies align with United
14 States national interests such as mitigating irregular
15 migration; supporting rule of law, democracy and
16 strong institutions; and countering narcotics traf-
17 ficking, terrorist organizations, human trafficking,
18 and antisemitism.

19 (2) WITHHOLDING OF FUNDS.—Of the funds
20 appropriated by this Act under the heading “Inter-
21 national Narcotics Control and Law Enforcement”
22 that are made available for assistance for Colombia,
23 30 percent may be obligated only if the Secretary of
24 State certifies and reports to the Committees on Ap-

1 appropriations that in the previous 12 months the Gov-
2 ernment of Colombia has—

3 (A) reduced overall coca cultivation, pro-
4 duction, and drug trafficking;

5 (B) continued cooperating with the United
6 States on joint counternarcotics operations; and

7 (C) maintained extradition cooperation
8 with the United States.

9 (3) EXCEPTIONS.—The limitations of para-
10 graph (2) shall not apply to funds made available for
11 aviation instruction and maintenance, and maritime
12 and riverine security programs.

13 (4) AUTHORITY.—Aircraft supported by funds
14 appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making ap-
15 propriations for national security, Department of
16 State, and related programs and made available for
17 assistance for Colombia may be used to transport
18 personnel and supplies involved in drug eradication
19 and interdiction, including security for such activi-
20 ties.

21 (5) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
22 priated by this Act or prior Acts making appropria-
23 tions for national security, Department of State, and
24 related programs that are made available for assist-
25 ance for Colombia may be made available for—

1 (A) reparation payments;

2 (B) alternative development assistance on
3 properties where substances deemed illegal
4 under the Controlled Substances Act of 1970
5 are grown, produced, imported, or distributed;

6 (C) compensation awarded to demobilized
7 combatants through the implementation of the
8 2016 peace agreement between the Government
9 of Colombia and illegal armed groups; and

10 (D) agrarian cash subsidies.

11 (6) OVERSIGHT.—Of the funds appropriated by
12 this Act under the heading “National Security In-
13 vestment Programs” up to \$1,000,000 may be used
14 by the Inspector General of the Department of State
15 for audits and other activities related to compliance
16 with the limitations in paragraph (5)(B): *Provided*,
17 That such funds are in addition to funds otherwise
18 available for such purposes.

19 (d) CUBA.—

20 (1) DEMOCRACY PROGRAMS.—Of the funds ap-
21 propriated by this Act under the heading “National
22 Security Investment Programs”, not less than
23 \$35,000,000 shall be made available to promote de-
24 mocracy and strengthen civil society in Cuba, includ-
25 ing to support political prisoners: *Provided*, That no

1 funds shall be obligated for business promotion, eco-
2 nomic reform, entrepreneurship, or any other assist-
3 ance that is not democracy building as expressly au-
4 thorized in the Cuban Liberty and Democratic Soli-
5 darity (LIBERTAD) Act of 1996 and the Cuban
6 Democracy Act of 1992.

7 (2) PUBLIC DIPLOMACY LIMITATION.—None of
8 the funds appropriated by this Act in title I and
9 made available for public diplomacy programs may
10 be made available for business promotion, economic
11 reform, entrepreneurship, or any other activity or
12 exchange in Cuba, or with Cuban nationals abroad,
13 that is not democracy building as expressly author-
14 ized in the Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity
15 (LIBERTAD) Act of 1996 and the Cuban Democ-
16 racy Act of 1992.

17 (3) PROHIBITIONS.—None of the funds appro-
18 priated or otherwise made available by this Act or
19 prior Acts making appropriations for national secu-
20 rity, Department of State, and related programs
21 may be used to—

22 (A) revoke the designation of Cuba as a
23 State Sponsor of Terrorism; or

24 (B) eliminate or diminish the Cuba Re-
25 stricted List as maintained by the Department

1 of State, or to otherwise allow, facilitate or en-
2 courage financial transactions with entities on
3 the Cuba Restricted List, as well as other enti-
4 ties or individuals within the Cuban military or
5 Cuban intelligence services, high level members
6 of the Communist Party, those licensed by the
7 Cuban government, or the immediate family
8 members of these entities or individuals.

9 (4) PROHIBITION ON SUPPORT FOR CUBAN
10 MILITARY AND SECURITY INSTITUTIONS.—None of
11 the funds appropriated or otherwise made available
12 by this Act or prior Acts making appropriations for
13 national security, Department of State, and related
14 programs may be made available to any individual or
15 entity that—

16 (A) engages in financial transactions with,
17 transfers funds to, or otherwise provides mate-
18 rial support to the Ministry of the Revolu-
19 tionary Armed Forces of Cuba, the Ministry of
20 the Interior of Cuba, or any subdivision, agen-
21 cy, or instrumentality thereof;

22 (B) engages in activities that directly or
23 indirectly support, facilitate, or benefit the op-
24 erations, revenue generation, or international
25 commercial activities of such Ministries;

1 (C) is owned or controlled by, or acts on
2 behalf of, any entity described in subparagraphs
3 (A) or (B); or

4 (D) knowingly provides support or services
5 for the purpose of circumventing sanctions or
6 restrictions on the Cuban military or security
7 forces, or to benefit senior members thereof.

8 (5) EXCEPTIONS.—The restrictions of para-
9 graph (4) shall not apply to—

10 (A) the sale of agricultural commodities,
11 medicine, or medical devices to Cuba consistent
12 with the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export
13 Enhancement Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7201 et
14 seq.);

15 (B) payments in furtherance of the lease,
16 maintenance, or improvements of the United
17 States military base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba;

18 (C) assistance in support of democracy-
19 building and civil society programs for Cuba
20 consistent with section 109 of the LIBERTAD
21 Act;

22 (D) payments necessary for the operations,
23 maintenance, or outreach of the United States
24 diplomatic mission or embassy in Havana,
25 Cuba; and

1 (E) sending, processing, or receiving au-
2 thorized remittances.

3 (6) DETERMINATION.—The limitations in para-
4 graphs (3) and (4) shall no longer apply as of the
5 date on which the President submits to Congress a
6 determination under section 203(c)(3) of the Cuban
7 Liberty and Democratic Solidarity (LIBERTAD)
8 Act of 1996 (22 U.S.C. 6063(c)(3)) that a demo-
9 cratically elected government in Cuba is in power.

10 (7) REWARDS FOR ACCOUNTABILITY.—Funds
11 appropriated by this Act under the heading “Admin-
12 istration of Foreign Affairs” shall be made available
13 for the Rewards for Justice Program of the Depart-
14 ment of State to provide rewards for information
15 leading to the arrest or conviction, in any country,
16 of any individual responsible for committing, con-
17 spiring or attempting to commit, or aiding or abet-
18 ting in the commission of the attack on United
19 States civilian aircraft over international waters by
20 the Cuban military on February 24, 1996.

21 (e) CUBAN DOCTORS.—

22 (1) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the
23 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State
24 shall submit a report to the appropriate congres-
25 sional committees listing the countries and inter-

1 national organizations for which the Secretary has
2 credible information are directly paying the Govern-
3 ment of Cuba for coerced and trafficked labor of
4 Cuban medical professionals: *Provided*, That such
5 report shall be submitted in unclassified form but
6 may include a classified annex: *Provided further*,
7 That the Secretary of State shall inform each gov-
8 ernment or international organization of its inclusion
9 in such report not later than 30 days after the date
10 of the submission of such report to such committees.

11 (2) DESIGNATION.—The Secretary of State
12 shall apply the requirements of section 7031(c) of
13 this Act to officials from countries and organizations
14 identified in the report required pursuant to the pre-
15 vious paragraph.

16 (3) LIMITATION.—

17 (A) None of the funds appropriated by this
18 Act under titles III and IV may be made avail-
19 able for assistance for the central government
20 of a country or international organization that
21 is listed for 2 consecutive years in the report re-
22 quired by paragraph (1).

23 (B) The Secretary may resume assistance
24 to the government of a country or international
25 organization listed in the report for 2 consecu-

1 tive years required by paragraph (1) if the Sec-
2 retary determines and reports to the appro-
3 priate congressional committees that such gov-
4 ernment or international organization no longer
5 pays the Government of Cuba for coerced and
6 trafficked labor of Cuban medical professionals.

7 (f) FACILITATING IRRESPONSIBLE MIGRATION.—
8 None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made avail-
9 able by this Act may be made available in contravention
10 of Executive Order 14165, relating to Securing Our Bor-
11 ders, and Executive Order 14218, relating to Ending Tax-
12 payer Subsidization of Open Borders, including to encour-
13 age, mobilize, publicize, or manage mass-migration cara-
14 vans towards the United States southwest border.

15 (g) HAITI.—

16 (1) ASSISTANCE.—Funds appropriated by this
17 Act under titles III and IV that are made available
18 for assistance for Haiti shall be prioritized for pro-
19 grams described under this section in the report ac-
20 companying this Act.

21 (2) HAITIAN COAST GUARD.—The Government
22 of Haiti shall be eligible to purchase defense articles
23 and services under the Arms Export Control Act (22
24 U.S.C. 2751 et seq.) for the Coast Guard.

25 (h) MEXICO.—

1 (1) WATER DELIVERIES.—None of the funds
2 appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act
3 may be made available for assistance for Mexico
4 until the Secretary of State certifies and reports to
5 the Committees on Appropriations that the Govern-
6 ment of Mexico is delivering water owed to the
7 United States by Mexico, as prescribed by Article 4,
8 Section B of the Treaty Between the United States
9 of America and Mexico Relating to the Utilization of
10 Waters of the Colorado and Tijuana Rivers and of
11 the Rio Grande, February 3, 1944 (59 Stat. 1219):
12 *Provided*, That such certification shall include an as-
13 sessment of whether the Government of Mexico is
14 delivering water in accordance with all terms estab-
15 lished across bilateral agreements addressing deliv-
16 ery shortfalls: *Provided further*, That the limitation
17 of this paragraph shall not apply to funds made
18 available to counter the flow of fentanyl, fentanyl
19 precursors, and other synthetic drugs into the
20 United States.

21 (2) TRANSFER AUTHORITY.—If the Secretary
22 of State determines that the Government of Mexico
23 has not met the requirements of paragraph (1), the
24 Secretary may transfer funds withheld pursuant to
25 paragraph (1) to the North American Development

1 Bank for domestic water storage projects located
2 along the United States-Mexico border.

3 (3) COUNTERNARCOTICS.—Of the funds appro-
4 priated by this Act under title IV that are made
5 available for assistance for Mexico, 50 percent may
6 only be obligated after the Secretary of State cer-
7 tifies and reports to the Committees on Appropria-
8 tions that in the previous 12 months the Govern-
9 ment of Mexico has taken steps to—

10 (A) reduce the amount of fentanyl,
11 nitazenes, and other synthetic opioids arriving at
12 the United States-Mexico border;

13 (B) dismantle and hold accountable
14 transnational criminal organizations;

15 (C) support joint counternarcotics oper-
16 ations and intelligence sharing with United
17 States counterparts;

18 (D) respect extradition requests for crimi-
19 nals sought by the United States; and

20 (E) increase counternarcotics engagement
21 at both Federal and state levels.

22 (i) NICARAGUA.—Of the funds appropriated by this
23 Act under the heading “National Security Investment
24 Programs”, not less than \$15,000,000 shall be made

1 available for democracy and religious freedom programs
2 for Nicaragua.

3 (j) ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES.—

4 (1) The Secretary of State shall instruct the
5 United States Permanent Representative to the Or-
6 ganization of American States (OAS) to use the
7 voice and vote of the United States to:

8 (A) implement budgetary reforms and effi-
9 ciencies within the Organization;

10 (B) eliminate arrears, increase other donor
11 contributions, and impose penalties for succes-
12 sive late payment of assessments;

13 (C) prevent programmatic and organiza-
14 tional redundancies and consolidate duplicative
15 activities and functions;

16 (D) prioritize areas in which the OAS has
17 expertise, such as strengthening democracy,
18 monitoring electoral processes, and protecting
19 human rights; and

20 (E) implement reforms within the Office of
21 the Inspector General (OIG) to ensure the OIG
22 has the necessary leadership, integrity, profes-
23 sionalism, independence, policies, and proce-
24 dures to properly carry out its responsibilities

1 in a manner that meets or exceeds best prac-
2 tices in the United States.

3 (2) Prior to the obligation of funds appro-
4 priated by this Act and made available for an as-
5 sessed contribution to the Organization of American
6 States, but not later than 90 days after the date of
7 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall
8 submit a report to the appropriate congressional
9 committees on actions taken or planned to be taken
10 pursuant to paragraph (1) that are in addition to
11 actions taken during the preceding fiscal year, and
12 the results of such actions.

13 (k) THE CARIBBEAN.—Of the funds appropriated by
14 this Act under titles III and IV, not less than \$92,500,000
15 shall be made available for the Caribbean Basin Security
16 Initiative: *Provided*, That funds made available above the
17 fiscal year 2026 level shall be prioritized for countries
18 within the transit zones of illicit drug shipments toward
19 the United States that have increased interdiction of illicit
20 drugs and are most directly impacted by the crisis in
21 Haiti.

22 (l) VENEZUELA.—

23 (1) DEMOCRACY PROGRAMS.—Of the funds ap-
24 propriated by this Act under the heading “National
25 Security Investment Programs”, \$50,000,000 shall

1 be made available for democracy programs for Ven-
2 ezuela.

3 (2) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
4 priated by this Act may be used to negotiate, allow,
5 or facilitate the lifting of sanctions on Venezuela,
6 unless the Secretary of State certifies and reports to
7 the appropriate congressional committees that there
8 have been free and fair elections in Venezuela.

9 (3) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the
10 date of enactment of this Act, and every 120 days
11 thereafter until September 30, 2027, the Secretary
12 of State, in consultation with the Secretary of the
13 Treasury, shall submit a report to the Committees
14 on Appropriations on Venezuelan funds subject to
15 arrangements approved, authorized, or facilitated by
16 the United States Government, to include the infor-
17 mation described under this section in the report ac-
18 companying this Act.

19 EUROPE AND EURASIA

20 SEC. 7046. (a) SECTION 907 OF THE FREEDOM SUP-
21 PORT ACT.—Section 907 of the FREEDOM Support Act
22 (22 U.S.C. 5812 note) shall not apply to—

23 (1) activities to support democracy or assist-
24 ance under title V of the FREEDOM Support Act
25 (22 U.S.C. 5851 et seq.) and section 1424 of the

1 Defense Against Weapons of Mass Destruction Act
2 of 1996 (50 U.S.C. 2333) or non-proliferation as-
3 sistance;

4 (2) any assistance provided by the Trade and
5 Development Agency under section 661 of the For-
6 eign Assistance Act of 1961;

7 (3) any activity carried out by a member of the
8 United States and Foreign Commercial Service while
9 acting within his or her official capacity;

10 (4) any insurance, reinsurance, guarantee, or
11 other assistance provided by the United States
12 International Development Finance Corporation as
13 authorized by the BUILD Act of 2018 (division F
14 of Public Law 115–254);

15 (5) any financing provided under the Export-
16 Import Bank Act of 1945 (Public Law 79–173); or

17 (6) humanitarian assistance.

18 (b) TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY.—None of the funds
19 appropriated by this Act may be made available for assist-
20 ance for a government of an Independent State of the
21 former Soviet Union if such government directs any action
22 in violation of the territorial integrity or national sov-
23 ereignty of any other Independent State of the former So-
24 viet Union, such as those violations included in the Hel-
25 sinki Final Act: *Provided*, That except as otherwise pro-

1 vided in section 7047(a) of this Act, funds may be made
2 available without regard to the restriction in this sub-
3 section if the President determines that to do so is in the
4 national security interest of the United States: *Provided*
5 *further*, That prior to executing the authority contained
6 in the previous proviso, the Secretary of State shall con-
7 sult with the Committees on Appropriations on how such
8 assistance supports the national security interest of the
9 United States.

10 (c) TURKEY.—The limitations and other provisions
11 of section 7046(c) of the Department of State, Foreign
12 Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act,
13 2024 (division F of Public Law 118–47) shall continue
14 in effect during fiscal year 2027 and apply to funds appro-
15 priated by this Act.

16 (d) REQUIREMENTS.—The limitations and other pro-
17 visions of section 7046(d) of the Department of State,
18 Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropria-
19 tions Act, 2024 (division F of Public Law 118–47) shall
20 continue in effect during fiscal year 2027 and apply to
21 funds appropriated by this Act.

22 COUNTERING RUSSIAN INFLUENCE AND AGGRESSION

23 SEC. 7047. (a) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds ap-
24 propriated by this Act may be made available for assist-

1 ance for the central Government of the Russian Federa-
2 tion.

3 (b) ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY.—

4 (1) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appro-
5 priated by this Act may be made available for assist-
6 ance for the central government of a country that
7 the Secretary of State determines and reports to the
8 Committees on Appropriations has taken affirmative
9 steps intended to support or be supportive of the
10 Russian Federation annexation of Crimea or other
11 territory in Ukraine: *Provided*, That except as other-
12 wise provided in subsection (a), the Secretary may
13 waive the restriction on assistance required by this
14 paragraph if the Secretary determines and reports to
15 such Committees that to do so is in the national in-
16 terest of the United States, and includes a justifica-
17 tion for such interest.

18 (2) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
19 priated by this Act may be made available for—

20 (A) the implementation of any action or
21 policy that recognizes the sovereignty of the
22 Russian Federation over Crimea or other terri-
23 tory in Ukraine;

24 (B) the facilitation, financing, or guarantee
25 of United States Government investments in

1 Crimea or other territory in Ukraine under the
2 control of the Russian Federation or Russian-
3 backed forces, if such activity includes the par-
4 ticipation of Russian Government officials, or
5 other Russian owned or controlled financial en-
6 tities; or

7 (C) assistance for Crimea or other terri-
8 tory in Ukraine under the control of the Rus-
9 sian Federation or Russian-backed forces, if
10 such assistance includes the participation of
11 Russian Government officials, or other Russian
12 owned or controlled financial entities.

13 (3) INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITU-
14 TIONS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall in-
15 struct the United States executive director of each
16 international financial institution to use the voice
17 and vote of the United States to oppose any assist-
18 ance by such institution (including any loan, credit,
19 grant, or guarantee) for any program that violates
20 the sovereignty or territorial integrity of Ukraine.

21 (4) DURATION.—The requirements and limita-
22 tions of this subsection shall cease to be in effect if
23 the Secretary of State determines and reports to the
24 Committees on Appropriations that the Government
25 of Ukraine has reestablished sovereignty over Cri-

1 mea and other territory in Ukraine under the con-
2 trol of the Russian Federation or Russian-backed
3 forces.

4 (c) OCCUPATION OF THE GEORGIAN TERRITORIES OF
5 ABKHAZIA AND TSKHINVALI REGION/SOUTH OSSETIA.—

6 (1) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appro-
7 priated by this Act may be made available for assist-
8 ance for the central government of a country that
9 the Secretary of State determines and reports to the
10 Committees on Appropriations has recognized the
11 independence of, or has established diplomatic rela-
12 tions with, the Russian Federation occupied Geor-
13 gian territories of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali Region/
14 South Ossetia: *Provided*, That the Secretary shall
15 publish on the Department of State website a list of
16 any such central governments in a timely manner:
17 *Provided further*, That the Secretary may waive the
18 restriction on assistance required by this paragraph
19 if the Secretary determines and reports to the Com-
20 mittees on Appropriations that to do so is in the na-
21 tional interest of the United States, and includes a
22 justification for such interest.

23 (2) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appro-
24 priated by this Act may be made available to sup-
25 port the Russian Federation occupation of the Geor-

1 gian territories of Abkhazia and Tskhinvali Region/
2 South Ossetia.

3 (3) INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITU-
4 TIONS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall in-
5 struct the United States executive director of each
6 international financial institution to use the voice
7 and vote of the United States to oppose any assist-
8 ance by such institution (including any loan, credit,
9 grant, or guarantee) for any program that violates
10 the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Georgia.

11 (d) COUNTERING RUSSIAN INFLUENCE FUND.—Of
12 the funds appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making
13 appropriations for national security, Department of State,
14 and related programs under the headings “National Secu-
15 rity Investment Programs”, “International Narcotics Con-
16 trol and Law Enforcement”, “International Military Edu-
17 cation and Training”, and “Foreign Military Financing
18 Program”, not less than \$300,000,000 shall be made
19 available to carry out the purposes of the Countering Rus-
20 sian Influence Fund, as authorized by section 254 of the
21 Countering Russian Influence in Europe and Eurasia Act
22 of 2017 (Public Law 115–44; 22 U.S.C. 9543) and not-
23 withstanding the country limitation in subsection (b) of
24 such section, and programs to enhance the capacity of law
25 enforcement and security forces: *Provided*, That funds

1 made available pursuant to this paragraph under the
2 heading “Foreign Military Financing Program” may re-
3 main available until September 30, 2028.

4 UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER INTERNATIONAL
5 ORGANIZATIONS

6 SEC. 7048. (a) UNITED NATIONS VOTING PRAC-
7 TICES.—

8 (1) In considering bilateral assistance for a for-
9 eign government, the Secretary of State should re-
10 view, among other factors, the voting practices of
11 such government in the United Nations in relation
12 to United States strategic interests and whether
13 such government supports the participation of Tai-
14 wan as an observer in meetings and activities of
15 multilateral agencies, bodies, or commissions.

16 (2) The Secretary of State shall consult with
17 the United States Permanent Representative to the
18 United Nations on the voting practices of foreign
19 governments prior to the submission of the report
20 required under section 653(a) of the Foreign Assist-
21 ance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2413(a)).

22 (b) TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY.—Of the
23 funds appropriated by this Act that are available for con-
24 tributions to the United Nations (including the Depart-
25 ment of Peacekeeping Operations), international organiza-

1 tions, or any United Nations agency, 15 percent may not
2 be obligated for such organization, department, or agency
3 until the Secretary of State determines and reports to the
4 appropriate congressional committees that the organiza-
5 tion, department, or agency is—

6 (1) posting on a publicly available website, con-
7 sistent with privacy regulations and due process,
8 regular financial and programmatic audits of such
9 organization, department, or agency, and providing
10 the United States Government with necessary access
11 to such financial and performance audits;

12 (2) effectively implementing and enforcing poli-
13 cies and procedures which meet or exceed best prac-
14 tices in the United States for the protection of whis-
15 tleblowers from retaliation, including—

16 (A) protection against retaliation for inter-
17 nal and lawful public disclosures;

18 (B) legal burdens of proof;

19 (C) statutes of limitation for reporting re-
20 taliation;

21 (D) access to binding independent adju-
22 dicative bodies, including shared cost and selec-
23 tion of external arbitration; and

1 (E) results that eliminate the effects of
2 proven retaliation, including provision for the
3 restoration of prior employment;

4 (3) effectively implementing and enforcing poli-
5 cies and procedures on the appropriate use of travel
6 funds, including restrictions on first-class and busi-
7 ness-class travel;

8 (4) taking credible steps to combat anti-Israel
9 bias;

10 (5) developing and implementing mechanisms to
11 inform donors of instances in which funds have been
12 diverted or destroyed and an explanation of the re-
13 sponse by the respective international organization;
14 and

15 (6) implementing policies and procedures to ef-
16 fectively vet staff for any affiliation with a terrorist
17 organization.

18 (c) RESTRICTIONS ON UNITED NATIONS DELEGA-
19 TIONS AND ORGANIZATIONS.—

20 (1) None of the funds made available by this
21 Act may be used to pay expenses for any United
22 States delegation to any specialized agency, body, or
23 commission of the United Nations if such agency,
24 body, or commission is chaired or presided over by
25 a country, the government of which the Secretary of

1 State has determined, for purposes of section
2 1754(c) of the Export Control Reform Act of 2018
3 (50 U.S.C. 4813(c)), supports international ter-
4 rorism.

5 (2) None of the funds made available by this
6 Act may be used by the Secretary of State as a con-
7 tribution to any organization, agency, commission,
8 or program within the United Nations system if
9 such organization, agency, commission, or program
10 is chaired or presided over by a country the govern-
11 ment of which the Secretary of State has deter-
12 mined, for purposes of section 620A of the Foreign
13 Assistance Act of 1961, section 40 of the Arms Ex-
14 port Control Act, section 1754(c) of the Export Con-
15 trol Reform Act of 2018 (50 U.S.C. 4813(c)), or any
16 other provision of law, is a government that has re-
17 peatedly provided support for acts of international
18 terrorism.

19 (d) UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL.—
20 None of the funds appropriated by this Act and prior Acts
21 making appropriations for national security, Department
22 of State, and related programs may be made available for
23 a contribution, grant, or other payment to the United Na-
24 tions Human Rights Council, including the United Na-
25 tions International Commission of Inquiry on the Occu-

1 pied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and
2 Israel; and the United Nations Office of the High Com-
3 missioner for Human Rights, notwithstanding any other
4 provision of law.

5 (e) UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND WORKS AGEN-
6 CY.—None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made
7 available by this Act and prior Acts making appropriations
8 for national security, Department of State, and related
9 programs may be made available—

10 (1) for a contribution, grant, or other payment
11 to the United Nations Relief and Works Agency
12 (UNRWA), notwithstanding any other provision of
13 law; or

14 (2) to solicit or otherwise encourage funds for
15 UNRWA from other donors and sources, notwith-
16 standing any other provision of law.

17 (f) PROHIBITION OF PAYMENTS TO UNITED NATIONS
18 MEMBERS.—None of the funds appropriated or made
19 available pursuant to titles III through VI of this Act for
20 carrying out the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, may be
21 used to pay in whole or in part any assessments, arrear-
22 ages, or dues of any member of the United Nations or,
23 from funds appropriated by this Act to carry out chapter
24 1 of part I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the
25 costs for participation of another country's delegation at

1 international conferences held under the auspices of multi-
2 lateral or international organizations.

3 (g) REPORT.—Not later than 45 days after the date
4 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall sub-
5 mit a report to the Committees on Appropriations detail-
6 ing the amount of funds available for obligation or expend-
7 iture in fiscal year 2027 for contributions to any organiza-
8 tion, department, agency, or program within the United
9 Nations system or any international program that are
10 withheld from obligation or expenditure due to any provi-
11 sion of law: *Provided*, That the Secretary shall update
12 such report each time additional funds are withheld by op-
13 eration of any provision of law: *Provided further*, That the
14 reprogramming of any withheld funds identified in such
15 report, including updates thereof, shall be subject to prior
16 consultation with, and the regular notification procedures
17 of, the Committees on Appropriations.

18 (h) SEXUAL EXPLOITATION AND ABUSE IN PEACE-
19 KEEPING OPERATIONS.—

20 (1) The Secretary of State shall, to the max-
21 imum extent practicable, withhold assistance to any
22 unit of the security forces of a foreign country if the
23 Secretary has credible information that such unit
24 has engaged in sexual exploitation or abuse while
25 serving in a United Nations peacekeeping operation

1 until the Secretary determines that the government
2 of such country is taking effective steps to hold the
3 responsible members of such unit accountable and to
4 prevent future incidents: *Provided*, That the Sec-
5 retary shall promptly notify the government of each
6 country subject to any withholding of assistance pur-
7 suant to this paragraph, and shall notify the appro-
8 priate congressional committees of such withholding
9 not later than 10 days after a determination to with-
10 hold such assistance is made: *Provided further*, That
11 the Secretary shall, to the maximum extent prac-
12 ticable, assist such government in bringing the re-
13 sponsible members of such unit to justice.

14 (2) Not later than 90 days after the date of en-
15 actment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall sub-
16 mit a report to the appropriate congressional com-
17 mittees identifying each unit of the security forces of
18 a foreign country that has served in a United Na-
19 tions peacekeeping operation and for which there is
20 credible information of involvement in sexual exploi-
21 tation or abuse: *Provided*, That the report shall also
22 describe any consideration of assistance provided by
23 the Secretary to the relevant government in support
24 of holding the responsible members of such unit ac-
25 countable and preventing future incidents.

1 (i) ADDITIONAL AVAILABILITY.—Subject to the reg-
2 ular notification procedures of the Committees on Appro-
3 priations, funds appropriated by this Act which are re-
4 turned or not made available due to the second proviso
5 under the heading “Contributions for International Peace-
6 keeping Activities” in title I of this Act or section 307(a)
7 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C.
8 2227(a)), shall remain available for obligation until Sep-
9 tember 30, 2028: *Provided*, That the requirement to with-
10 hold funds for programs in Burma under section 307(a)
11 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 shall not apply to
12 funds appropriated by this Act.

13 (j) PROCUREMENT RESTRICTIONS.—None of the
14 funds appropriated by this Act and prior Acts making ap-
15 propriations for national security, Department of State,
16 and related programs may be used for the procurement
17 by any entity of the United Nations system or any other
18 multilateral organization of goods or services originating
19 in, or produced by, any person in the Russian Federation,
20 including any entity that is a shell or front company orga-
21 nized to disguise or obscure financial activity relating to
22 such goods or services except when required for health and
23 safety-related activities.

24 (k) ACCOUNTABILITY REQUIREMENT.—

1 (1) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
2 made available by this Act may be made available to
3 any international organization that has not entered
4 into a written agreement guaranteeing oversight ac-
5 cess to the Inspectors General funded under title II
6 of this Act and the Comptroller General of the
7 United States for such organization's information
8 relevant to United States contributions to such orga-
9 nization, as determined by the Inspectors General
10 and the Comptroller General: *Provided*, That once
11 any such agreement is finalized with an inter-
12 national organization, the Inspectors General and
13 the Comptroller General, as applicable, shall prompt-
14 ly inform the Secretary of State: *Provided further*,
15 That the Secretary may waive the limitation of this
16 paragraph if the Secretary certifies and reports to
17 the Committees on Appropriations that such funding
18 is in the national security interest of the United
19 States.

20 (2) Not later than 180 days after the date of
21 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall
22 submit a report to the appropriate congressional
23 committees detailing whether each international or-
24 ganization funded by this Act has entered into such
25 agreements: *Provided*, That such report shall in-

1 clude, for each applicable organization, the status of
2 any negotiations undertaken by the Department of
3 State to secure such agreements, including any ob-
4 stacles encountered and a description of the Depart-
5 ment's plans to address them.

6 (l) PROHIBITIONS ON FUNDING.—None of the funds
7 appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act and
8 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
9 Department of State, and related programs may be—

10 (1) made available in contravention of Execu-
11 tive Order 14155, relating to Withdrawing the
12 United States from the World Health Organization;

13 (2) made available to implement or support the
14 Pandemic Prevention, Preparedness and Response
15 Accord that was adopted during the 78th World
16 Health Assembly until the United States Senate ap-
17 proves a resolution of ratification for the Treaty;

18 (3) made available to support iVerify or any
19 other fact-checking tool of the United Nations De-
20 velopment Programme or any other international or-
21 ganization;

22 (4) made available for a contribution, grant, or
23 other payment to the International Court of Justice,
24 notwithstanding any other provision of law;

4 (6) obligated or expended to implement the
5 Arms Trade Treaty until the United States Senate
6 approves a resolution of ratification for the Treaty;
7 or

(7) made available to any international organization chaired by a Communist Party of China-endorsed national of the People's Republic of China.

11 UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND WORKS AGENCY AND
12 JUSTICE FOR VICTIMS

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1 Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East or any
2 other United Nations entity in cases involving—

3 (1) gross violations of human rights;

4 (2) an act of terrorism;

5 (3) participation in, or the provision of material
6 support or resources to, a foreign terrorist organiza-
7 tion, or to any individual or entity designated pursu-
8 ant to United States law or Executive order relating
9 to terrorism or sanctions; or

10 (4) other serious criminal conduct under United
11 States law, including corruption-related offenses,
12 where such conduct fall outside the scope of official
13 duties.

14 (b)(1) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
15 made available by this Act or prior Acts making appro-
16 priations for national security, Department of State, and
17 related programs may be made available for a covered en-
18 tity if the Inspectors General funded under title II of this
19 Act informs the Secretary of State that such entity has
20 failed, for a period of more than 90 days after receipt of
21 a written request by a United States Inspector General,
22 to provide oversight information requested by such Inspec-
23 tor General pertaining to—

24 (A) an investigation of programs, projects, or
25 activities in Gaza;

1 (B) the events leading to the attacks in Israel
2 on October 7, 2023, or

3 (C) the provision of material support or re-
4 sources to an organization or individual designated
5 pursuant to United States law or Executive order re-
6 lating to terrorism or sanctions.

7 (2) In this subsection, the term “covered enti-
8 ty” means any multilateral organization, nongovern-
9 mental organization, contractor, subcontractor,
10 grantee, subgrantee, consultant, or other entity that
11 directly or indirectly receives funds appropriated or
12 otherwise made available by this Act or prior Acts
13 making appropriations for national security, Depart-
14 ment of State, and related programs to carry out ac-
15 tivities in Gaza, or that has carried out such activi-
16 ties using such funds at any time during the 5-year
17 period preceding the date of enactment of this Act.

18 INTERNET FREEDOM

19 SEC. 7050. Of the funds appropriated by this Act,
20 not less than \$78,375,000 shall be made available for pro-
21 grams to promote internet freedom globally, consistent
22 with section 9707 of the Department of State Authoriza-
23 tion Act of 2022 (title XCVII of division I of Public Law
24 117–263).

1 TORTURE AND OTHER CRUEL, INHUMAN, OR DEGRADING
2 TREATMENT OR PUNISHMENT

3 SEC. 7051. None of the funds made available by this
4 Act may be used to support or justify the use of torture
5 and other cruel, inhuman, or degrading treatment or pun-
6 ishment by any official or contract employee of the United
7 States Government.

8 AIRCRAFT TRANSFER, COORDINATION, AND USE

9 SEC. 7052. (a) TRANSFER AUTHORITY.—Notwith-
10 standing any other provision of law or regulation, aircraft
11 procured with funds appropriated by this Act and prior
12 Acts making appropriations for national security, Depart-
13 ment of State, and related programs under the headings
14 “Diplomatic Programs”, “International Narcotics Control
15 and Law Enforcement”, “Andean Counterdrug Initia-
16 tive”, and “Andean Counterdrug Programs” may be used
17 for any other program and in any region.

18 (b) PROPERTY DISPOSAL.—The authority provided
19 in subsection (a) shall apply only after the Secretary of
20 State determines and reports to the Committees on Appro-
21 priations that the equipment is no longer required to meet
22 programmatic purposes in the designated country or re-
23 gion: *Provided*, That any such transfer shall be subject
24 to prior consultation with, and the regular notification
25 procedures of, the Committees on Appropriations.

1 (c) AIRCRAFT COORDINATION.—

2 (1) AUTHORITY.—The uses of aircraft pur-
3 chased or leased by the Department of State with
4 funds made available in this Act or prior Acts mak-
5 ing appropriations for national security, Department
6 of State, and related programs shall be coordinated
7 under the authority of the appropriate Chief of Mis-
8 sion: *Provided*, That such aircraft may be used to
9 transport, on a reimbursable or non-reimbursable
10 basis, Federal and non-Federal personnel supporting
11 Department of State programs and activities: *Pro-*
12 *vided further*, That official travel for other agencies
13 for other purposes may be supported on a reimburs-
14 able basis, or without reimbursement when traveling
15 on a space available basis: *Provided further*, That
16 funds received by the Department of State in con-
17 nection with the use of aircraft owned, leased, or
18 chartered by the Department of State may be cred-
19 ited to the Working Capital Fund of the Department
20 and shall be available for expenses related to the
21 purchase, lease, maintenance, chartering, or oper-
22 ation of such aircraft.

23 (2) SCOPE.—The requirement and authorities
24 of this subsection shall only apply to aircraft, the

4 To the maximum extent practicable, the costs of oper-
5 ations and maintenance, including fuel, of aircraft funded
6 by this Act shall be borne by the recipient country.

13 PARKING FINES AND REAL PROPERTY TAXES OWED BY
14 FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

22 INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND

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1 Programs Appropriations Act, 2010 (division F of Public
2 Law 111–117) shall apply to this Act.

3 (b) REPAYMENT.—The Secretary of the Treasury
4 shall instruct the United States Executive Director of the
5 International Monetary Fund (IMF) to seek to ensure
6 that any loan will be repaid to the IMF before other pri-
7 vate or multilateral creditors.

8 EXTRADITION

9 SEC. 7055. (a) LIMITATION.—None of the funds ap-
10 propriated in this Act may be used to provide assistance
11 (other than funds provided under the headings “National
12 Security Investment Programs”, “International Humani-
13 tarian Assistance”, “International Narcotics Control and
14 Law Enforcement”, “United States Emergency Refugee
15 and Migration Assistance Fund”, and “Nonproliferation,
16 Anti-terrorism, Demining and Related Assistance”) for
17 the central government of a country which has notified
18 the Department of State of its refusal to extradite to the
19 United States any individual indicted for a criminal of-
20 fense for which the maximum penalty is life imprisonment
21 without the possibility of parole or for killing a law en-
22 forcement officer, as specified in a United States extra-
23 dition request.

24 (b) CLARIFICATION.—Subsection (a) shall only apply
25 to the central government of a country with which the

1 United States maintains diplomatic relations and with
2 which the United States has an extradition treaty and the
3 government of that country is in violation of the terms
4 and conditions of the treaty.

5 (c) WAIVER.—The Secretary of State may waive the
6 restriction in subsection (a) on a case-by-case basis if the
7 Secretary certifies to the Committees on Appropriations
8 that such waiver is important to the national interest of
9 the United States.

10 ENTERPRISE FUNDS

11 SEC. 7056. (a) NOTIFICATION.—None of the funds
12 made available under titles III through VI of this Act may
13 be made available for Enterprise Funds unless the appro-
14 priate congressional committees are notified at least 15
15 days in advance.

16 (b) DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS PLAN.—Prior to the
17 distribution of any assets resulting from any liquidation,
18 dissolution, or winding up of an Enterprise Fund, in whole
19 or in part, the President shall submit to the appropriate
20 congressional committees a plan for the distribution of the
21 assets of the Enterprise Fund.

22 (c) TRANSITION OR OPERATING PLAN.—Prior to a
23 transition to and operation of any private equity fund or
24 other parallel investment fund under an existing Enter-
25 prise Fund, the President shall submit such transition or

1 operating plan to the appropriate congressional commit-
2 tees.

3 LIMITATIONS RELATED TO GLOBAL HEALTH ASSISTANCE

4 SEC. 7057. (a) None of the funds appropriated or
5 otherwise made available by this Act may be made avail-
6 able for the United Nations Population Fund.

7 (b) None of the funds appropriated under title III
8 and under the headings “International Narcotics Control
9 and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation, Anti-ter-
10 rorism, Demining and Related Programs”, “Security Sec-
11 tor Programs”, “Peacekeeping Operations”, and “Inter-
12 national Organizations and Programs”, in this Act and
13 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
14 Department of State, and related programs may be made
15 available in contravention of the rule published in the Fed-
16 eral Register on January 27, 2026, entitled “Protecting
17 Life in Foreign Assistance” (91 Fed. Reg. 3319 et seq.).

18 GLOBAL HEALTH ACTIVITIES

19 SEC. 7058. (a) IN GENERAL.—Funds appropriated
20 by titles III and IV of this Act that are made available
21 for bilateral assistance for child survival activities or dis-
22 ease programs including activities relating to research on,
23 and the prevention, treatment and control of, HIV/AIDS
24 may be made available notwithstanding any other provi-
25 sion of law except for provisions under the heading “Glob-

1 al Health Programs” and the United States Leadership
2 Against HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis, and Malaria Act of
3 2003 (117 Stat. 711; 22 U.S.C. 7601 et seq.), as amend-
4 ed.

5 (b) LIMITATION.—Of the funds appropriated by this
6 Act, not more than \$461,000,000 may be made available
7 for family planning/reproductive health.

8 (c) PANDEMICS AND OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASE
9 OUTBREAKS.—

10 (1) GLOBAL HEALTH SECURITY.—Funds appro-
11 priated by this Act under the heading “Global
12 Health Programs” shall be made available for global
13 health security programs to accelerate the capacity
14 of countries to prevent, detect, and respond to infec-
15 tious disease outbreaks, including by strengthening
16 public health capacity where there is a high risk of
17 emerging zoonotic infectious diseases: *Provided*,
18 That not later than 60 days after the date of enact-
19 ment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall consult
20 with the Committees on Appropriations on the
21 planned uses of such funds.

22 (2) EXTRAORDINARY MEASURES.—If the Sec-
23 retary of State determines and reports to the Com-
24 mittees on Appropriations that an international in-
25 fectious disease outbreak is sustained, severe, and is

1 spreading internationally, or that it is in the na-
2 tional interest to respond to a Public Health Emer-
3 gency of International Concern, not to exceed an ag-
4 gregate total of \$200,000,000 of the funds appro-
5 priated by this Act under the headings “Global
6 Health Programs”, “National Security Investment
7 Programs”, “International Humanitarian Assist-
8 ance”, “Democracy Fund”, and “Millennium Chal-
9 lenge Corporation”, may be made available to com-
10 bat such infectious disease or public health emer-
11 gency, and may be transferred to, and merged with,
12 funds appropriated under such headings for the pur-
13 poses of this paragraph.

14 (3) EMERGENCY RESERVE FUND.—Up to
15 \$50,000,000 of the funds made available under the
16 heading “Global Health Programs” may be made
17 available for the Emergency Reserve Fund estab-
18 lished pursuant to section 7058(c)(1) of the Depart-
19 ment of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Pro-
20 grams Appropriations Act, 2017 (division J of Pub-
21 lic Law 115–31): *Provided*, That such funds shall be
22 made available under the same terms and conditions
23 of such section, except that such section shall be ap-
24 plied by substituting “International Humanitarian
25 Assistance” for “International Disaster Assistance”

1 and substituting “Secretary of State” for “Adminis-
2 trator of the United States Agency for International
3 Development”.

4 (4) CONSULTATION AND NOTIFICATION.—
5 Funds made available by this subsection shall be
6 subject to prior consultation with the appropriate
7 congressional committees and the regular notifica-
8 tion procedures of the Committees on Appropria-
9 tions.

10 (d) LIMITATIONS.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
11 sion of law, none of the funds made available by this Act
12 may be made available to support directly or indirectly—

13 (1) the Wuhan Institute of Virology located in
14 the City of Wuhan in the People’s Republic of
15 China;

16 (2) the EcoHealth Alliance, Inc.;

17 (3) any laboratory owned or controlled by the
18 governments of the People’s Republic of China, the
19 Republic of Cuba, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the
20 Democratic People’s Republic of Korea, the Russian
21 Federation, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, or
22 any other country determined by the Secretary of
23 State to be a foreign adversary; or

24 (4) gain-of-function research.

1 WOMEN'S EQUALITY AND EMPOWERMENT

2 SEC. 7059. (a) IN GENERAL.—Funds appropriated
3 by this Act shall be made available to promote the equality
4 and empowerment of women and girls in United States
5 Government diplomatic and development efforts by raising
6 the status, increasing the economic participation and op-
7 portunities for political leadership, and protecting the
8 rights of women and girls worldwide.

9 (b) WOMEN'S ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT.—Of the
10 funds appropriated under title III of this Act,
11 \$150,000,000 shall be made available to expand economic
12 opportunities for women by increasing the number and ca-
13 pacity of women-owned enterprises, improving property
14 rights for women, increasing women's access to financial
15 services and capital, enhancing the role of women in eco-
16 nomic decision-making at the local, national, and inter-
17 national levels, and improving women's ability to partici-
18 pate in the global economy, including through implementa-
19 tion of the Women's Entrepreneurship and Economic Em-
20 powerment Act of 2018 (Public Law 115–428): *Provided*,
21 That the Secretary of State shall consult with the Com-
22 mittees on Appropriations on the uses of funds made
23 available pursuant to this subsection.

24 (c) WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP PROGRAM.—Of the funds
25 appropriated under title III of this Act, not less than

1 \$37,500,000 shall be made available for the Madeleine K.
2 Albright Women's Leadership Program, as established by
3 section 7059(b) of the Department of State, Foreign Op-
4 erations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2023
5 (division K of Public Law 117–328) for programs specifi-
6 cally designed to increase leadership opportunities for
7 women in countries where women and girls suffer discrimi-
8 nation due to law, policy, or practice, by strengthening
9 protections for women's political status, expanding wom-
10 en's participation in political parties and elections, and in-
11 creasing women's opportunities for leadership positions in
12 the public and private sectors at the local, provincial, and
13 national levels.

14 (d) PREVENTION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN
15 AND GIRLS.—

16 (1) Of the funds appropriated under titles III
17 and IV of this Act, not less than \$187,500,000 shall
18 be made available to prevent and respond to violence
19 against women and girls.

20 (2) Funds appropriated under titles III and IV
21 of this Act that are available to train foreign police,
22 judicial, and military personnel, including for inter-
23 national peacekeeping operations, shall address,
24 where appropriate, prevention and response to vio-
25 lence against women and girls and trafficking in per-

1 sons, and shall promote the integration of women
2 into the police and other security forces.

3 (3) Funds made available pursuant to this sub-
4 section should include efforts to combat a variety of
5 forms of violence against women and girls, including
6 child marriage, rape, and female genital cutting and
7 mutilation.

8 (e) WOMEN, PEACE, AND SECURITY.—Of the funds
9 appropriated by this Act under the headings “National Se-
10 curity Investment Programs” and “International Nar-
11 cotics Control and Law Enforcement”, \$112,500,000
12 should be made available to support a multi-year strategy
13 to expand, and improve coordination of, United States
14 Government efforts to empower women as equal partners
15 in conflict prevention, peace building, transitional proc-
16 esses, and reconstruction efforts in countries affected by
17 conflict or in political transition, and to ensure the equal
18 provision of relief and recovery assistance to women and
19 girls.

20 (f) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds appropriated
21 by this Act may be made available for the Gender Equity
22 and Equality Action Fund.

23 SECTOR ALLOCATIONS

24 SEC. 7060. (a) BASIC EDUCATION AND HIGHER
25 EDUCATION.—

1 (1) BASIC EDUCATION.—

2 (A) Of the funds appropriated under title
3 III of this Act, not less than \$691,500,000
4 shall be made available for the Nita M. Lowey
5 Basic Education Fund: *Provided*, That such
6 funds shall also be used for secondary education
7 activities.

8 (B) Of the funds appropriated under title
9 III of this Act for assistance for basic education
10 programs, \$121,600,000 shall be made avail-
11 able for contributions to multilateral partner-
12 ships that support education.

13 (2) HIGHER EDUCATION.—Of the funds appro-
14 priated by title III of this Act, not less than
15 \$203,250,000 shall be made available for assistance
16 for higher education: *Provided*, That of such
17 amount, not less than \$50,000,000 shall be made
18 available for higher education programs pursuant to
19 section 7060(a)(3) of the Department of State, For-
20 eign Operations, and Related Programs Appropria-
21 tions Act, 2021 (division K of Public Law 116–260).

22 (b) CONSERVATION PROGRAMS.—

23 (1) BIODIVERSITY.—Of the funds appropriated
24 under title III of this Act, not less than

1 \$274,313,000 shall be made available for biodiver-
2 sity conservation programs.

3 (2) WILDLIFE POACHING AND TRAFFICKING.—

4 (A) Of the funds appropriated under titles III
5 and IV of this Act, not less than \$89,063,000 shall
6 be made available to combat the transnational threat
7 of wildlife poaching and trafficking.

8 (B) None of the funds appropriated under title
9 IV of this Act may be made available for training or
10 other assistance for any military unit or personnel
11 that the Secretary of State determines has been
12 credibly alleged to have participated in wildlife
13 poaching or trafficking, unless the Secretary reports
14 to the appropriate congressional committees that to
15 do so is in the national security interest of the
16 United States.

17 (c) DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS.—Of the funds appro-
18 priated by this Act under the heading “National Security
19 Investment Programs”, not less than \$13,875,000 shall
20 be made available for cooperative development programs.

21 (d) FOOD SECURITY AND AGRICULTURAL DEVELOP-
22 MENT.—Of the funds appropriated by title III of this Act,
23 not less than \$720,000,000 shall be made available for
24 food security and agricultural development programs to
25 carry out the purposes of the Global Food Security Act

1 of 2016 (Public Law 114–195), including not less than
2 \$175,000,000 for international agricultural research, of
3 which not less than \$72,000,000 shall be made available
4 for the Feed the Future Innovation Labs: *Provided*, That
5 funds may be made available for a contribution as author-
6 ized by section 3202 of the Food, Conservation, and En-
7 ergy Act of 2008 (Public Law 110–246), as amended by
8 section 3310 of the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018
9 (Public Law 115–334).

10 (e) PROGRAMS TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN PER-
11 SONS.—

12 (1) IN GENERAL.—Of the funds appropriated
13 by this Act under the headings “National Security
14 Investment Programs” and “International Narcotics
15 Control and Law Enforcement”, not less than
16 \$105,625,000 (increased by \$5,000,000) shall be
17 made available for activities to combat trafficking in
18 persons internationally, including for the Program to
19 End Modern Slavery, of which not less than
20 \$89,500,000 shall be from funds made available
21 under the heading “International Narcotics Control
22 and Law Enforcement”: *Provided*, That funds made
23 available by this Act under the heading “National
24 Security Investment Programs” that are made avail-
25 able for activities to combat trafficking in persons

1 should be obligated and programmed consistent with
2 the country-specific recommendations included in the
3 annual Trafficking in Persons Report, and shall be
4 coordinated with the Office to Monitor and Combat
5 Trafficking in Persons, Department of State: *Pro-*
6 *vided further*, That such funds are in addition to
7 funds made available by this Act under the heading
8 “Diplomatic Programs” for the Office to Monitor
9 and Combat Trafficking in Persons: *Provided fur-*
10 *ther*, That funds made available by this Act shall be
11 made available to further develop, standardize, and
12 update training for all United States Government
13 personnel under Chief of Mission authority posted at
14 United States embassies and consulates abroad on
15 recognizing signs of human trafficking and protocols
16 for reporting such cases.

17 (2) CONFERENCES.—Funds appropriated by
18 this Act that are made available to organize or host
19 international conferences should not be made avail-
20 able for such conferences in Tier 3 countries unless
21 the purpose of such conference is to combat human
22 trafficking or it is in the national interest of the
23 United States, and any such use of funds shall be
24 subject to prior consultation with the Committees on
25 Appropriations.

1 (3) REPORT.—Not later than 90 days after the
2 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State
3 shall report to the appropriate congressional commit-
4 tees on how all grants and contracts awarded in the
5 prior fiscal year by the Department of State are
6 compliant with applicable requirements within sec-
7 tion 106(g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection
8 Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7104(g)).

9 (f) WATER AND SANITATION.—Of the funds appro-
10 priated by this Act, not less than \$338,250,000 shall be
11 made available for water supply and sanitation projects
12 pursuant to section 136 of the Foreign Assistance Act of
13 1961, of which not less than \$169,125,000 shall be for
14 programs in sub-Saharan Africa.

15 (g) DEVIATION.—Unless otherwise provided for by
16 this Act, the Secretary of State may deviate below the
17 minimum funding requirements designated in sections
18 7059 and 7060 of this Act by up to 20 percent, notwith-
19 standing such designation: *Provided*, That such deviations
20 shall only be exercised to address unforeseen or exigent
21 circumstances: *Provided further*, That concurrent with the
22 submission of the report required by section 653(a) of the
23 Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, the Secretary shall sub-
24 mit to the Committees on Appropriations in writing any
25 proposed deviations utilizing such authority that are

1 planned at the time of submission of such report: *Provided*
 2 *further*, That any deviations proposed subsequent to the
 3 submission of such report shall be subject to prior con-
 4 sultation with such Committees: *Provided further*, That
 5 not later than November 1, 2028, the Secretary of State
 6 shall submit a report to the Committees on Appropriations
 7 on the use of the authority of this subsection.

8 ENVIRONMENT LIMITATIONS

9 SEC. 7061. (a) FUNDING LIMITATIONS.—None of the
 10 funds appropriated by this Act may made available in con-
 11 travention of Executive Order 14162, relating to Putting
 12 America First in International Environmental Agree-
 13 ments, including—

14 (1) for a contribution, grant, or any other pay-
 15 ment to the—

16 (A) Green Climate Fund;

17 (B) Clean Technology Fund; and

18 (C) Loss and Damages Fund or to pay
 19 compensation to any country, organization, or
 20 individual for loss and damages attributed to
 21 climate change;

22 (2) to implement the decision by the United
 23 Nations Framework Convention on Climate
 24 Change’s 21st Conference of Parties in Paris,

1 France, adopted December 12, 2015, commonly
2 known as the “Paris Agreement”; and

3 (3) to support implementation of a carbon tax.

4 (b) TRANSIT PIPELINES.—None of the funds appro-
5 priated or otherwise made available by this Act may be
6 used by the Secretary of State to impede the uninter-
7 rupted transmission of hydrocarbons by pipeline through
8 the territory of one Party not originating in the territory
9 of that Party, for delivery to the territory of the other
10 Party as ratified by The Agreement between the Govern-
11 ment of the United States of America and the Government
12 of Canada concerning Transit Pipelines, signed at Wash-
13 ington on January 28, 1977.

14 BUDGET DOCUMENTS

15 SEC. 7062. (a) OPERATING PLANS.—Not later than
16 45 days after the date of enactment of this Act, each de-
17 partment, agency, or organization funded in titles I, II,
18 and VI of this Act, and the Department of the Treasury
19 and Independent Agencies funded in title III of this Act,
20 shall submit to the Committees on Appropriations an oper-
21 ating plan for funds appropriated to such department,
22 agency, or organization in such titles of this Act, or funds
23 otherwise available for obligation in fiscal year 2027, that
24 provides details of the uses of such funds at the program,
25 project, and activity level: *Provided*, That such plans shall

1 include, as applicable, a comparison between the congres-
2 sional budget justification funding levels, the most recent
3 congressional directives or approved funding levels, and
4 the funding levels proposed by the department or agency;
5 and a clear, concise, and informative description/justifica-
6 tion: *Provided further*, That operating plans that include
7 changes in levels of funding for programs, projects, and
8 activities specified in the congressional budget justifica-
9 tion, in this Act, or amounts designated in the tables in
10 the report accompanying this Act, as applicable, shall be
11 subject to the notification and reprogramming require-
12 ments of section 7015 of this Act.

13 (b) SPEND PLANS.—

14 (1) Not later than 180 days after the date of
15 enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall
16 submit to the Committees on Appropriations a spend
17 plan for funds made available by this Act for—

18 (A) assistance for Pacific Islands coun-
19 tries, Nigeria, and for Colombia;

20 (B) assistance for the Caribbean Basin Se-
21 curity Initiative, Central America Regional Se-
22 curity Initiative, Middle East Partnership Ini-
23 tiative, Indo-Pacific Strategy and the Coun-
24 tering PRC Influence Fund, and Power Africa;

1 (C) assistance made available pursuant to
2 the following sections in this Act: section 7030;
3 section 7032; section 7033; section 7036; sec-
4 tion 7047(d) (on a country-by-country basis);
5 section 7059; and each subsection of section
6 7060;

7 (D) funds provided under the heading
8 “International Narcotics Control and Law En-
9 forcement” for demand reduction, which shall
10 include bilateral and global programs; and

11 (E) funds made available pursuant to sec-
12 tion 7022 of this Act.

13 (2) Not later than 90 days after the date of en-
14 actment of this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury
15 shall submit to the Committees on Appropriations a
16 detailed spend plan for funds made available by this
17 Act under the headings “Department of the Treas-
18 ury, International Affairs Technical Assistance” in
19 title III and “Treasury International Assistance Pro-
20 grams” in title V.

21 (c) CLARIFICATION.—The spend plans referenced in
22 subsection (b) shall not be considered as meeting the noti-
23 fication requirements in this Act or under section 634A
24 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961.

1 (d) CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET JUSTIFICATION.—The
2 congressional budget justification for national security,
3 Department of State, and related programs shall be pro-
4 vided to the Committees on Appropriations concurrent
5 with the date of submission of the President’s budget for
6 fiscal year 2028: *Provided*, That the appendices for such
7 justification shall be provided to the Committees on Ap-
8 propriations not later than 10 calendar days thereafter.

9 REORGANIZATION

10 SEC. 7063. (a) PRIOR CONSULTATION AND NOTIFI-
11 CATION.—Funds appropriated by this Act, prior Acts
12 making appropriations for national security, Department
13 of State, and related programs, or any other Act may not
14 be used to implement a reorganization, redesign, or other
15 plan described in subsection (b) by the Department of
16 State or any other Federal department, agency, or organi-
17 zation funded by this Act without prior consultation by
18 the head of such department, agency, or organization with
19 the appropriate congressional committees: *Provided*, That
20 such funds shall be subject to the regular notification pro-
21 cedures of the Committees on Appropriations: *Provided*
22 *further*, That any such notification submitted to such
23 Committees shall include a detailed justification for any
24 proposed action: *Provided further*, That congressional noti-
25 fications submitted in prior fiscal years pursuant to simi-

1 lar provisions of law in prior Acts making appropriations
2 for national security, Department of State, and related
3 programs may be deemed to meet the notification require-
4 ments of this section.

5 (b) DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITIES.—Pursuant to sub-
6 section (a), a reorganization, redesign, or other plan shall
7 include any action to—

8 (1) expand, eliminate, consolidate, or downsize
9 covered departments, agencies, or organizations, in-
10 cluding bureaus and offices within or between such
11 departments, agencies, or organizations, including
12 the transfer to other agencies of the authorities and
13 responsibilities of such bureaus and offices;

14 (2) expand, eliminate, consolidate, or downsize
15 the United States official presence overseas, includ-
16 ing at bilateral, regional, and multilateral diplomatic
17 facilities and other platforms; or

18 (3) expand or reduce the size of the permanent
19 Civil Service, Foreign Service, eligible family mem-
20 ber, and locally employed staff workforce of the De-
21 partment of State from the staffing levels previously
22 justified to the Committees on Appropriations for
23 fiscal year 2027.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE MATTERS

SEC. 7064. (a) WORKING CAPITAL FUND.—Funds appropriated by this Act or otherwise made available to the Department of State for payments to the Working Capital Fund that are made available for new service centers, shall be subject to the regular notification procedures of the Committees on Appropriations.

(b) CERTIFICATION.—

(1) COMPLIANCE.—Not later than 45 days after the initial obligation of funds appropriated under titles III and IV of this Act that are made available to a Department of State bureau or office with responsibility for the management and oversight of such funds, the Secretary of State shall certify and report to the Committees on Appropriations, on an individual bureau or office basis, that such bureau or office is in compliance with Department and Federal financial and grants management policies, procedures, and regulations, as applicable.

(2) CONSIDERATIONS.—When making a certification required by paragraph (1), the Secretary of State shall consider the capacity of a bureau or office to—

(A) account for the obligated funds at the country and program level, as appropriate;

1 (B) identify risks and develop mitigation
2 and monitoring plans;

3 (C) establish performance measures and
4 indicators;

5 (D) review activities and performance; and

6 (E) assess final results and reconcile fi-
7 nances.

8 (3) PLAN.—If the Secretary of State is unable
9 to make a certification required by paragraph (1),
10 the Secretary shall submit a plan and timeline de-
11 tailing the steps to be taken to bring such bureau
12 or office into compliance.

13 (c) OTHER MATTERS.—

14 (1) In addition to amounts appropriated or oth-
15 erwise made available by this Act under the heading
16 “Diplomatic Programs”—

17 (A) as authorized by section 810 of the
18 United States Information and Educational Ex-
19 change Act, not to exceed \$5,000,000, to re-
20 main available until expended, may be credited
21 to this appropriation from fees or other pay-
22 ments received from English teaching, library,
23 motion pictures, and publication programs and
24 from fees from educational advising and coun-
25 seling and exchange visitor programs; and

1 (B) not to exceed \$15,000, which shall be
2 derived from reimbursements, surcharges, and
3 fees for use of Blair House facilities.

4 (2) Funds appropriated or otherwise made
5 available by this Act under the heading “Diplomatic
6 Programs” are available for acquisition by exchange
7 or purchase of passenger motor vehicles as author-
8 ized by law and, pursuant to section 1108(g) of title
9 31, United States Code, for the field examination of
10 programs and activities in the United States funded
11 from any account contained in title I of this Act.

12 (3) Consistent with section 204 of the Admiral
13 James W. Nance and Meg Donovan Foreign Rela-
14 tions Authorization Act, Fiscal Years 2000 and
15 2001 (22 U.S.C. 2452b), up to \$25,000,000 of the
16 amounts made available under the heading “Diplo-
17 matic Programs” in this Act may be obligated and
18 expended for United States participation in inter-
19 national fairs and expositions abroad, including for
20 construction and operation of United States pavil-
21 ions and other major exhibits.

22 (4)(A) Notwithstanding any other provision of
23 law, none of the funds appropriated or otherwise
24 made available under the heading “Diplomatic Pro-
25 grams” in this Act and prior Acts making appro-

1 priations for national security, Department of State,
2 and related programs may be made available for
3 support of a Special Envoy, Special Representative,
4 Special Coordinator, Special Negotiator, Envoy,
5 Representative, Coordinator, Special Advisor, or
6 other position performing a similar function unless
7 such Special Envoy, Special Representative, Special
8 Coordinator, Special Negotiator, Envoy, Representa-
9 tive, Coordinator, Special Advisor, or other position
10 performing a similar function—

11 (i) is expressly authorized by statute; or

12 (ii) has affirmatively received the advice
13 and consent of the Senate.

14 (B) The limitations of this paragraph shall be
15 construed to include the applicable office personnel
16 and bureau managed funds of such office.

17 (5) PUBLIC LIBRARIES.—Subsection (a) of the
18 Passport Act of June 4, 1920 (22 U.S.C. 214(a))
19 shall be applied during fiscal year 2027 by—

20 (A) adding at the end the following new
21 paragraph:

22 “(4) The Secretary of State may authorize a
23 public library, organized as a non-governmental or-
24 ganization, non-profit, charitable organization, or
25 trust, to serve as a passport acceptance facility and

1 to collect and retain the execution fee for a passport
2 accepted by such public library, if such public library
3 is in compliance with the regulations prescribed by
4 the Secretary of State for the acceptance and execu-
5 tion of a passport application.”; and

6 (B) by substituting in subsection (a)(1) of
7 such Act (22 U.S.C. 214(a)(1)), “a State or
8 local government, the United States Postal
9 Service, or a public library which meet the re-
10 quirements described in paragraph (4)” for
11 “State officials or the United States Postal
12 Service” and by substituting “by such State or
13 local government, Service, or public library.”
14 for “by such officials or by that Service.”.

15 FOREIGN ASSISTANCE MANAGEMENT

16 SEC. 7065. (a) DISASTER SURGE CAPACITY.—Funds
17 appropriated under title III of this Act to carry out part
18 I of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, may be used,
19 in addition to funds otherwise available for such purposes,
20 for the cost (including the support costs) of individuals
21 whose primary responsibility is to carry out programs in
22 response to natural disasters or man-made disasters, sub-
23 ject to the regular notification procedures of the Commit-
24 tees on Appropriations.

1 (b) PERSONAL SERVICE AGREEMENTS.—Funds ap-
2 propriated by this Act under title III may be made avail-
3 able for the Secretary of State to exercise the authorities
4 of section 2669(c) of title 22, United States Code.

5 (c) CRISIS OPERATIONS STAFFING.—Funds made
6 available in title III of this Act pursuant to, or to carry
7 out the provisions of, part I of the Foreign Assistance Act
8 of 1961 may be made available to appoint and employ per-
9 sonnel in the excepted service to prevent or respond to
10 foreign crises and contexts with growing instability: *Pro-*
11 *vided*, That functions carried out by personnel hired under
12 the authority of this subsection shall be related to the pur-
13 pose for which the funds were appropriated: *Provided fur-*
14 *ther*, That such funds are in addition to funds otherwise
15 available for such purposes and may remain attributed to
16 any minimum funding requirement for which they were
17 originally made available.

18 AMERICA FIRST OPPORTUNITY FUND

19 SEC. 7066. (a) IN GENERAL.—Of the funds appro-
20 priated by this Act under the headings “National Security
21 Investment Programs”, “International Narcotics Control
22 and Law Enforcement”, “Security Sector Programs”, and
23 “Foreign Military Financing Program”, up to
24 \$1,500,000,000 may be made available for the America
25 First Opportunity Fund to furnish assistance that makes

1 America safer, stronger, and more prosperous by respond-
2 ing to crises, engaging proactively with strategic partners,
3 and countering threats from adversaries.

4 (b) TRANSFER AUTHORITY.—Funds appropriated by
5 this Act under the headings “International Narcotics Con-
6 trol and Law Enforcement”, “Security Sector Programs”,
7 and “Foreign Military Financing Program” and made
8 available for such Fund may be transferred to, and
9 merged with, funds appropriated under such headings:
10 *Provided*, That such transfer authority is in addition to
11 any other transfer authority provided by this Act or any
12 other Act, and is subject to the regular notification proce-
13 dures of the Committees on Appropriations.

14 (c) AVAILABILITY.—Funds made available pursuant
15 to this section may remain available until September 30,
16 2029.

17 (d) CONSULTATION.—The Secretary of State shall
18 consult with the Committees on Appropriations on the al-
19 location of funds made available pursuant to this section
20 not later than 30 days prior to the initial obligation of
21 funds.

22 ADDITIONAL LIMITATIONS ON OPERATIONS AND
23 ASSISTANCE

24 SEC. 7067. (a) None of the funds appropriated or
25 otherwise made available by this Act may be obligated or

1 expended to fly or display a flag over a facility of the
2 United States Department of State other than the—

3 (1) United States flag;

4 (2) Foreign Service flag pursuant to 2 FAM
5 154.2–1;

6 (3) POW/MIA flag;

7 (4) Hostage and Wrongful Detainee flag, pur-
8 suant to section 904 of title 36, United States Code;

9 (5) flag of a State, insular area, or the District
10 of Columbia at domestic locations;

11 (6) flag of an Indian Tribal government;

12 (7) official branded flag of a United States
13 agency; or

14 (8) sovereign flag of other countries.

15 (b) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
16 made available by this Act may be used to carry out any
17 program, project, or activity that teaches or trains any
18 idea or concept that condones an individual being discrimi-
19 nated against or receiving adverse or beneficial treatment
20 based on race or sex, that condones an individual feeling
21 discomfort, guilt, anguish, or any other form of psycho-
22 logical distress on account of that individual's race or sex,
23 as well as any idea or concept that regards one race as
24 inherently superior to another race, the United States or
25 its institutions as being systemically racist or sexist, an

1 individual as being inherently racist, sexist, or oppressive
2 by virtue of that individual's race or sex, an individual's
3 moral character as being necessarily determined by race
4 or sex, an individual as bearing responsibility for actions
5 committed in the past by other members of the same race
6 or sex, or meritocracy being racist, sexist, or having been
7 created by a particular race to oppress another race: *Pro-*
8 *vided*, That the limitation of this subsection shall be con-
9 strued to include foreign public diplomacy programs,
10 projects, and activities.

11 (c) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made
12 available by this Act may be made available in contraven-
13 tion of Executive Order 14151, relating to Ending Radical
14 and Wasteful Government DEI Programs and
15 Preferencing.

16 (d) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
17 made available by this Act may be used in contravention
18 of—

19 (1) Executive Order 14170, relating to Reforming the
20 Federal Hiring Process and Restoring Merit to Govern-
21 ment Service, including the use of funds for hiring prac-
22 tices based on gender, religion, political affiliation, or race;
23 or

24 (2) Executive Order 14173, relating to Ending Illegal
25 Discrimination and Restoring Merit-Based Opportunity.

1 (e) None of the funds made available by this Act or
2 any other Act may be made available in contravention of
3 Executive Order 14187, relating to Protecting Children
4 From Chemical and Surgical Mutilation, or shall be used
5 or transferred to another Federal agency, board, or com-
6 mission to fund any domestic or international non-govern-
7 mental organization or any other program, organization,
8 or association coordinated or operated by such non-govern-
9 mental organization that either offers counseling regard-
10 ing sex change surgeries, promotes sex change surgeries
11 for any reason as an option, conducts or subsidizes sex
12 change surgeries, promotes the use of medications or other
13 substances to halt the onset of puberty or sexual develop-
14 ment of minors, or otherwise promotes transgenderism.

15 (f) None of the funds made available by this Act or
16 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
17 Department of State, and related programs may be used
18 to implement, administer, or enforce any COVID–19 mask
19 or vaccine mandates, including for individuals traveling
20 outside of the United States.

21 (g) None of the funds appropriated under title III
22 and under the headings “International Narcotics Control
23 and Law Enforcement”, “Nonproliferation, Anti-ter-
24 rorism, Demining and Related Programs”, “Security Sec-
25 tor Programs”, “Peacekeeping Operations”, and “Inter-

1 national Organizations and Programs”, in this Act and
2 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
3 Department of State, and related programs may be made
4 available in contravention of the rules published in the
5 Federal Register on January 27, 2026, entitled “Com-
6 bating Gender Ideology in Foreign Assistance” (91 Fed.
7 Reg. 3332 et seq.) and “Combating Discriminatory Equity
8 Ideology in Foreign Assistance” (91 Fed. Reg. 3345 et
9 seq.).

10 (h) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise
11 made available by this Act may be made available in con-
12 travention of Executive Order 14172, relating to Restor-
13 ing Names That Honor American Greatness, including to
14 create, procure, or display any map that inaccurately de-
15 picts the Gulf of America.

16 (i)(1) Notwithstanding section 7 of title 1, United
17 States Code, section 1738C of title 28, United States
18 Code, or any other provision of law, none of the funds
19 provided by this Act shall be used in whole or in part to
20 take any discriminatory action against a person, wholly
21 or partially, on the basis that such person speaks, or acts,
22 in accordance with a sincerely held religious belief, or
23 moral conviction, that marriage is, or should be recognized
24 as, a union of one man and one woman.

1 (2) As used in paragraph (1), a discriminatory action
2 means any action taken by the Federal Government to—

3 (A) alter in any way the Federal tax treatment of,
4 or cause any tax, penalty, or payment to be assessed
5 against, or deny, delay, or revoke an exemption from tax-
6 ation under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code
7 of 1986 of, any person referred to in paragraph (1);

8 (B) disallow a deduction for Federal tax purposes of
9 any charitable contribution made to or by such person;

10 (C) withhold, reduce the amount or funding for, ex-
11 clude, terminate, or otherwise make unavailable or deny,
12 any Federal grant, contract, subcontract, cooperative
13 agreement, guarantee, loan, scholarship, license, certifi-
14 cation, accreditation, employment, or other similar posi-
15 tion or status from or to such person;

16 (D) withhold, reduce, exclude, terminate, or otherwise
17 make unavailable or deny, any entitlement or benefit
18 under a Federal benefit program, including admission to,
19 equal treatment in, or eligibility for a degree from an edu-
20 cational program, from or to such person; or

21 (E) withhold, reduce, exclude, terminate, or otherwise
22 make unavailable or deny access or an entitlement to Fed-
23 eral property, facilities, educational institutions, speech
24 forum (including traditional, limited and nonpublic

1 forum), or charitable fundraising campaigns from or to
2 such person.

3 (3) The Federal Government shall consider accred-
4 ited, licensed, or certified for purposes of Federal law any
5 person that would be accredited, licensed, or certified, re-
6 spectively, for such purposes but for a determination
7 against such person wholly or partially on the basis that
8 the person speaks, or acts, in accordance with a sincerely
9 held religious belief or moral conviction described in para-
10 graph (1).

11 RESCISSIONS

12 (INCLUDING RESCISSIONS OF FUNDS)

13 SEC. 7068. (a) CONSULAR AND BORDER SECURITY
14 PROGRAMS.—Of the unobligated balances from amounts
15 made available under the heading “Consular and Border
16 Security Programs” from prior Acts making appropria-
17 tions for national security, Department of State, and re-
18 lated programs, \$458,100,000 are permanently rescinded.

19 (b) INTERNATIONAL DISASTER ASSISTANCE.—Of the
20 unobligated balances from amounts made available under
21 the heading “International Disaster Assistance” from
22 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
23 Department of State, and related programs,
24 \$1,000,000,000 are permanently rescinded.

1 (c) MILLENNIUM CHALLENGE CORPORATION.—Of
2 the unobligated balances from amounts made available
3 under the heading “Millennium Challenge Corporation”
4 from prior Acts making appropriations for national secu-
5 rity, Department of State, and related programs,
6 \$385,000,000 are permanently rescinded.

7 (d) RESTRICTION.—No amounts may be rescinded
8 from amounts that were previously designated by the Con-
9 gress as an emergency requirement pursuant to a concur-
10 rent resolution on the budget or section 251(b)(2)(A)(i)
11 of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control
12 Act of 1985.

13 LIMITATION ON THE USE OF FUNDS MADE AVAILABLE
14 FOR CERTAIN ONLINE SPEECH-RELATED ACTIVITIES

15 SEC. 7069. (a) PROHIBITION.—None of the funds ap-
16 propriated or otherwise made available by this Act, or
17 prior Acts making appropriations for national security,
18 Department of State, and related programs, may be made
19 available, directly or indirectly, to carry out any activity
20 the purpose of which is to—

21 (1) deplatform, deboost, demonetize, suppress, or oth-
22 erwise penalize what in the United States would constitute
23 lawful online speech, a lawful news outlet, or lawful social
24 media account activity;

1 (2) induce, encourage, coordinate with, or assist any
2 social media company or online platform or intermediary
3 to adopt or enforce any policy or practice that could be
4 expected to deplatform, deboost, demonetize, suppress or
5 otherwise penalize what in the United States would con-
6 stitute lawful online speech from any news entity or social
7 media account;

8 (3) induce, encourage, coordinate with, or assist any
9 foreign government, regulator, policymaker, judicial offi-
10 cer, administrative body, supranational body, or inter-
11 national organization to adopt, interpret, or enforce any
12 law, regulation, order, mechanism, or other measure that
13 could be expected to deplatform, deboost, demonetize, sup-
14 press, or otherwise penalize what in the United States
15 would constitute lawful online speech from any news entity
16 or social media account;

17 (4) induce, encourage, coordinate with, fund, or sup-
18 port any person or entity in the online advertising or
19 monetization ecosystem to cut off, reduce, redirect, or oth-
20 erwise interfere with advertising, sponsorship, payment, or
21 other revenue on the basis of lawful online speech, news
22 production, editorial viewpoint, political viewpoint, or so-
23 cial media activity;

24 (5) fund, participate in, coordinate with, or support
25 any “platform accountability”, “information integrity”,

1 “brand safety”, “disinformation”, “misinformation”,
2 “hate speech”, “trust and safety”, “media literacy”, “dig-
3 ital literacy” or similar program or initiative if the purpose
4 or foreseeable effect is to impose legal, regulatory, finan-
5 cial, reputational, commercial, or political costs on a
6 United States-based technology company, United States-
7 based social media platform, United States-based online
8 intermediary, or United States-based digital publisher for
9 carrying speech protected from governmental abridgment
10 by the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United
11 States;

12 (6) support, fund, facilitate, coordinate with, or assist
13 any entity in supporting, drafting, promoting, defending,
14 implementing, interpreting, enforcing, or operationalizing
15 any foreign law, regulation, code, judicial or administra-
16 tive structure, or enforcement mechanism that imposes
17 costs on a United States-based technology company or
18 United States-based social media platform for hosting
19 speech that would be protected from government action
20 under the First Amendment to the Constitution of the
21 United States; or

22 (7) create, disseminate, share, or operationalize any
23 blacklist or similar designation system that is used, or is
24 reasonably likely to be used, to support an activity prohib-
25 ited under paragraphs (1) through (6).

1 (b) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-
2 tion may be construed to prohibit the use of funds for
3 the investigation or reporting of conduct constituting a
4 Federal criminal offense, foreign terrorist activity, espio-
5 nage, sanctions evasion, unlawful foreign intelligence ac-
6 tivity, child sexual abuse material, or human trafficking,
7 if such activity is not used as a pretext for conduct other-
8 wise prohibited by this section.

9 (c) REPORTING REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 60
10 days after the date of enactment of this Act, and every
11 120 days thereafter until September 30, 2027, the head
12 of each department, agency or organization funded in the
13 Act shall submit to the Committees on Appropriations a
14 report, in unclassified form, that—

15 (1) identifies each grant, subgrant, contract,
16 subaward, cooperative agreement, fellowship, consultancy,
17 working group, coalition, or partnership funded in whole
18 or in part with amounts covered by this section;

19 (2) identifies whether any such activity concerns con-
20 tent moderation, misinformation, disinformation, platform
21 governance, platform accountability, advertiser pressure,
22 brand safety, monetization, or foreign digital-services reg-
23 ulation;

24 (3) describes the steps taken to ensure compliance
25 with this section;

1 (4) lists each foreign law, regulation, judicial or ad-
2 ministrative proceeding, and policy initiative on which
3 each department, agency or organization funded in the
4 Act, or any recipient of funds made available to such de-
5 partment, agency or organization, has provided financial
6 support, technical assistance, policy advocacy, research
7 support, expert consultation, judicial education, or imple-
8 mentation support; and

9 (5) to the extent that such reporting requirements
10 might reasonably be expected to compromise the physical
11 security of individual grantees or recipients operating in
12 dangerous regions or conflict zones, the requirements of
13 subsections (c)(1)-(4) herein may be submitted using
14 anonymized records or information for such sensitive pro-
15 grams.

16 NO SANCTUARY FOR CHILD TRAFFICKERS

17 SEC. 7070. None of the funds in this Act shall be
18 used to remove or waive sanctions imposed on an indi-
19 vidual against whom credible allegations of child traf-
20 ficking exist, as determined by the Office of Foreign As-
21 sets Control or a Federal court of competent jurisdiction,
22 unless the Secretary of State has certified in writing to
23 the Committees on Appropriations not less than 60 days
24 in advance of sanctions removal that this waiver is nec-

1 essary for the national security of the United States, and
2 provided written justification of this certification.

3 **TITLE VIII—ADDITIONAL GENERAL PROVISION**

4 **SPENDING REDUCTION ACCOUNT**

5 SEC. 8001. \$0.

6 SEC. 8002. None of the funds appropriated or other-
7 wise made available by this Act may be used to furnish
8 military education and training absent reimbursement
9 pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2347(b).

10 This division may be cited as the “National Security,
11 Department of State, and Related Programs Appropria-
12 tions Act, 2027”.

13 **DIVISION B—SAFEGUARD AMER-**
14 **ICAN VOTER ELIGIBILITY ACT**

15 **SEC. 101. SHORT TITLE.**

16 This division may be cited as the “Safeguard Amer-
17 ican Voter Eligibility Act” or the “SAVE America Act”.

18 **SEC. 102. ENSURING ONLY CITIZENS ARE REGISTERED TO**

19 **VOTE IN ELECTIONS FOR FEDERAL OFFICE.**

20 (a) **DEFINITION OF DOCUMENTARY PROOF OF**
21 **UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP.**—Section 3 of the National
22 Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20502) is
23 amended—

24 (1) by striking “As used” and inserting “(a) IN
25 GENERAL.—As used”; and

1 (2) by adding at the end the following:

2 “(b) DOCUMENTARY PROOF OF UNITED STATES
3 CITIZENSHIP.—As used in this Act, the term ‘documen-
4 tary proof of United States citizenship’ means, with re-
5 spect to an applicant for voter registration, any of the fol-
6 lowing:

7 “(1) A form of identification issued consistent
8 with the requirements of the REAL ID Act of 2005
9 that indicates the applicant is a citizen of the United
10 States.

11 “(2) A valid United States passport.

12 “(3) The applicant’s official United States mili-
13 tary identification card, together with a United
14 States military record of service showing that the
15 applicant’s place of birth was in the United States.

16 “(4) A valid government-issued photo identifica-
17 tion card issued by a Federal, State or Tribal gov-
18 ernment showing that the applicant’s place of birth
19 was in the United States.

20 “(5) A valid government-issued photo identifica-
21 tion card issued by a Federal, State or Tribal gov-
22 ernment other than an identification described in
23 paragraphs (1) through (4), but only if presented to-
24 gether with one or more of the following:

1 “(A) A certified birth certificate issued by
2 a State, a unit of local government in a State,
3 or a Tribal government which—

4 “(i) was issued by the State, unit of
5 local government, or Tribal government in
6 which the applicant was born;

7 “(ii) was filed with the office respon-
8 sible for keeping vital records in the State;

9 “(iii) includes the full name, date of
10 birth, and place of birth of the applicant;

11 “(iv) lists the full names of one or
12 both of the parents of the applicant;

13 “(v) has the signature of an individual
14 who is authorized to sign birth certificates
15 on behalf of the State, unit of local govern-
16 ment, or Tribal government in which the
17 applicant was born;

18 “(vi) includes the date that the certifi-
19 cate was filed with the office responsible
20 for keeping vital records in the State; and

21 “(vii) has the seal of the State, unit
22 of local government, or Tribal government
23 that issued the birth certificate.

24 “(B) An extract from a United States hos-
25 pital Record of Birth created at the time of the

1 applicant's birth which indicates that the appli-
2 cant's place of birth was in the United States.

3 “(C) A final adoption decree showing the
4 applicant's name and that the applicant's place
5 of birth was in the United States.

6 “(D) A Consular Report of Birth Abroad
7 of a citizen of the United States or a certifi-
8 cation of the applicant's Report of Birth of a
9 United States citizen issued by the Secretary of
10 State.

11 “(E) A Naturalization Certificate or Cer-
12 tificate of Citizenship issued by the Secretary of
13 Homeland Security or any other document or
14 method of proof of United States citizenship
15 issued by the Federal government pursuant to
16 the Immigration and Nationality Act.

17 “(F) An American Indian Card issued by
18 the Department of Homeland Security with the
19 classification ‘KIC’.”.

20 (b) APPLICATION OF REQUIREMENTS.—Section 4 of
21 the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C.
22 20503) is amended by striking subsection (b) and insert-
23 ing the following:

24 “(b) REQUIRING APPLICANTS TO PRESENT DOCU-
25 MENTARY PROOF OF UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP.—

1 Under any method of voter registration in a State, the
2 State shall not accept and process an application to reg-
3 ister to vote in an election for Federal office unless the
4 applicant presents documentary proof of United States
5 citizenship with the application.”.

6 (c) REGISTRATION WITH APPLICATION FOR MOTOR
7 VEHICLE DRIVER’S LICENSE.—Section 5 of the National
8 Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20504) is
9 amended—

10 (1) in subsection (a)(1), by striking “Each
11 State motor vehicle driver’s license application” and
12 inserting “Subject to the requirements under section
13 8(j), each State motor vehicle driver’s license appli-
14 cation”;

15 (2) in subsection (c)(1), by striking “Each
16 State shall include” and inserting “Subject to the
17 requirements under section 8(j), each State shall in-
18 clude”;

19 (3) in subsection (c)(2)(B)—

20 (A) in clause (i), by striking “and” at the
21 end;

22 (B) in clause (ii), by adding “and” at the
23 end; and

24 (C) by adding at the end the following new
25 clause:

1 “(iii) verify that the applicant is a citizen
2 of the United States;”;

3 (4) in subsection (c)(2)(C)(i), by striking “(in-
4 cluding citizenship)” and inserting “, including the
5 requirement that the applicant provides documentary
6 proof of United States citizenship”; and

7 (5) in subsection (c)(2)(D)(iii), by striking “;
8 and” and inserting the following: “, other than as
9 evidence in a criminal proceeding or immigration
10 proceeding brought against an applicant who know-
11 ingly attempts to register to vote and knowingly
12 makes a false declaration under penalty of perjury
13 that the applicant meets the eligibility requirements
14 to register to vote in an election for Federal office;
15 and”.

16 (d) REQUIRING DOCUMENTARY PROOF OF UNITED
17 STATES CITIZENSHIP WITH NATIONAL MAIL VOTER
18 REGISTRATION FORM.—Section 6 of the National Voter
19 Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20505) is amended—

20 (1) in subsection (a)(1)—

21 (A) by striking “Each State shall accept
22 and use” and inserting “Subject to the require-
23 ments under section 8(j), each State shall ac-
24 cept and use”; and

1 (B) by striking “Federal Election Commis-
2 sion” and inserting “Election Assistance Com-
3 mission”;

4 (2) in subsection (b), by adding at the end the
5 following: “The chief State election official of a
6 State shall take such steps as may be necessary to
7 ensure that residents of the State are aware of the
8 requirement to provide documentary proof of United
9 States citizenship to register to vote in elections for
10 Federal office in the State.”;

11 (3) in subsection (c)(1)—

12 (A) in subparagraph (A), by striking
13 “and” at the end;

14 (B) in subparagraph (B) by striking the
15 period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

16 (C) by adding at the end the following new
17 subparagraph:

18 “(C) the person did not provide documen-
19 tary proof of United States citizenship when
20 registering to vote.”; and

21 (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-
22 section:

23 “(e) ENSURING PROOF OF UNITED STATES CITIZEN-
24 SHIP.—

1 “(1) PRESENTING PROOF OF UNITED STATES
2 CITIZENSHIP TO ELECTION OFFICIAL.—An applicant
3 who submits the mail voter registration application
4 form prescribed by the Election Assistance Commis-
5 sion pursuant to section 9(a)(2) or a form described
6 in paragraph (1) or (2) of subsection (a) shall not
7 be registered to vote in an election for Federal office
8 unless—

9 “(A) the applicant presents documentary
10 proof of United States citizenship in person to
11 the office of the appropriate election official not
12 later than the deadline provided by State law
13 for the receipt of a completed voter registration
14 application for the election; or

15 “(B) in the case of a State which permits
16 an individual to register to vote in an election
17 for Federal office at a polling place on the day
18 of the election and on any day when voting, in-
19 cluding early voting, is permitted for the elec-
20 tion, the applicant presents documentary proof
21 of United States citizenship to the appropriate
22 election official at the polling place not later
23 than the date of the election.

24 “(2) NOTIFICATION OF REQUIREMENT.—Upon
25 receiving an otherwise completed mail voter registra-

1 tion application form prescribed by the Election As-
2 sistance Commission pursuant to section 9(a)(2) or
3 a form described in paragraph (1) or (2) of sub-
4 section (a), the appropriate election official shall
5 transmit a notice to the applicant of the requirement
6 to present documentary proof of United States citi-
7 zenship under this subsection, and shall include in
8 the notice instructions to enable the applicant to
9 meet the requirement.

10 “(3) ACCESSIBILITY.—Each State shall, in con-
11 sultation with the Election Assistance Commission,
12 ensure that reasonable accommodations are made to
13 allow an individual with a disability who submits the
14 mail voter registration application form prescribed
15 by the Election Assistance Commission pursuant to
16 section 9(a)(2) or a form described in paragraph (1)
17 or (2) of subsection (a) to present documentary
18 proof of United States citizenship to the appropriate
19 election official.”.

20 (e) REQUIREMENTS FOR VOTER REGISTRATION
21 AGENCIES.—Section 7 of the National Voter Registration
22 Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20506) is amended—

23 (1) in subsection (a)—

24 (A) in paragraph (4)(A), by adding at the
25 end the following new clause:

1 “(iv) Receipt of documentary proof of
2 United States citizenship of each applicant to
3 register to vote in elections for Federal office in
4 the State.”; and

5 (B) in paragraph (6)—

6 (i) in subparagraph (A)(i)(I), by strik-
7 ing “(including citizenship)” and inserting
8 “, including the requirement that the ap-
9 plicant provides documentary proof of
10 United States citizenship”;

11 (ii) by redesignating subparagraphs
12 (B) and (C) as subparagraphs (C) and
13 (D), respectively; and

14 (iii) by inserting after subparagraph
15 (A) the following new subparagraph:

16 “(B) ask the applicant the question, ‘Are you a
17 citizen of the United States?’ and if the applicant
18 answers in the affirmative require documentary
19 proof of United States citizenship prior to providing
20 the form under subparagraph (C);”; and

21 (2) in subsection (c)(1), by inserting “who are
22 citizens of the United States” after “for persons”.

23 (f) REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO ADMINISTRA-
24 TION OF VOTER REGISTRATION.—Section 8 of the Na-

1 tional Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20507)

2 is amended—

3 (1) in subsection (a)—

4 (A) by striking “In the administration of
5 voter registration” and inserting “Subject to
6 the requirements of subsection (j), in the ad-
7 ministration of voter registration”; and

8 (B) in paragraph (3)—

9 (i) in subparagraph (B), by striking
10 “or” at the end; and

11 (ii) by adding at the end the following
12 new subparagraphs:

13 “(D) based on documentary proof or
14 verified information that the registrant is not a
15 United States citizen; or

16 “(E) the registration otherwise fails to
17 comply with applicable State law;”;

18 (2) by redesignating subsection (j) as sub-
19 section (l); and

20 (3) by inserting after subsection (i) the fol-
21 lowing new subsections:

22 “(j) ENSURING ONLY CITIZENS ARE REGISTERED TO
23 VOTE.—

24 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other
25 provision of this Act, a State may not register an in-

1 dividual to vote in elections for Federal office held
2 in the State unless, at the time the individual ap-
3 plies to register to vote, the individual provides docu-
4 mentary proof of United States citizenship.

5 “(2) REQUIREMENT IN CASES OF NAME DIS-
6 CREPANCIES IN DOCUMENTATION.—Notwithstanding
7 any other provision of law, a State shall accept and
8 process an application to register to vote in an elec-
9 tion for Federal office if the applicant—

10 “(A) presents with the application docu-
11 mentation that would constitute documentary
12 proof of United States citizenship, except that
13 the name on the documentation is not the name
14 of the applicant; and

15 “(B) provides, through a process estab-
16 lished by the State (which shall be subject to
17 any relevant guidance adopted by the Election
18 Assistance Commission)—

19 “(i) additional documentation as nec-
20 essary to establish that the name on the
21 documentation is a previous name of the
22 applicant; or

23 “(ii) an affidavit signed by the appli-
24 cant attesting that the name on the docu-

1 mentation is a previous name of the appli-
2 cant.

3 “(3) ADDITIONAL PROCESSES IN CERTAIN
4 CASES.—

5 “(A) PROCESS FOR THOSE WITHOUT DOC-
6 UMENTARY PROOF.—

7 “(i) IN GENERAL.—Subject to any rel-
8 evant guidance adopted by the Election As-
9 sistance Commission, each State shall es-
10 tablish a process under which an applicant
11 who cannot provide documentary proof of
12 United States citizenship under paragraph
13 (1) may, if the applicant signs an attesta-
14 tion under penalty of perjury that the ap-
15 plicant is a citizen of the United States
16 and eligible to vote in elections for Federal
17 office, submit such other evidence to the
18 appropriate State or local official dem-
19 onstrating that the applicant is a citizen of
20 the United States and such official shall
21 make a determination as to whether the
22 applicant has sufficiently established
23 United States citizenship for purposes of
24 registering to vote in elections for Federal
25 office in the State.

1 “(ii) AFFIDAVIT REQUIREMENT.—If a
2 State or local official makes a determina-
3 tion under clause (i) that an applicant has
4 sufficiently established United States citi-
5 zenship for purposes of registering to vote
6 in elections for Federal office in the State,
7 such determination shall be accompanied
8 by an affidavit developed under clause (iii)
9 signed by the official swearing or affirming
10 the applicant sufficiently established
11 United States citizenship for purposes of
12 registering to vote.

13 “(iii) DEVELOPMENT OF AFFIDAVIT
14 BY THE ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMIS-
15 SION.—The Election Assistance Commis-
16 sion shall develop a uniform affidavit for
17 use by State and local officials under
18 clause (ii), which shall—

19 “(I) include an explanation of the
20 minimum standards required for a
21 State or local official to register an
22 applicant who cannot provide docu-
23 mentary proof of United States citi-
24 zenship to vote in elections for Fed-
25 eral office in the State; and

1 “(II) require the official to ex-
2 plain the basis for registering such
3 applicant to vote in such elections.

4 “(B) PROCESS IN CASE OF CERTAIN DIS-
5 CREPANCIES IN DOCUMENTATION.—Subject to
6 any relevant guidance adopted by the Election
7 Assistance Commission, each State shall estab-
8 lish a process under which an applicant can
9 provide such additional documentation to the
10 appropriate election official of the State as may
11 be necessary to establish that the applicant is
12 a citizen of the United States in the event of a
13 discrepancy with respect to the applicant’s doc-
14 umentary proof of United States citizenship.

15 “(4) STATE REQUIREMENTS.—Not later than
16 30 days after the date of the enactment of this sub-
17 section:

18 “(A) Each State shall take affirmative
19 steps, on an ongoing basis, to ensure that only
20 United States citizens are registered to vote
21 under the provisions of this Act, and such af-
22 firmative steps shall include the establishment
23 of a program described in subparagraphs (B)
24 and (C).

“(B) Each State shall submit the complete, official list of individuals registered as eligible voters for Federal office in the State to the Department of Homeland Security for comparison through the Systematic Alien Verification for Entitlements (‘SAVE’) system for the purposes of identifying individuals who are not citizens of the United States and taking the necessary steps to remove such individuals who are not citizens from the official list, after notice is given to such individuals and such individuals are given the opportunity to provide documentary proof of United States citizenship, but a State with a memorandum of agreement for such purposes with the Department of Homeland Security on the date of the enactment of this subsection may comply with this subparagraph by carrying out such purposes under the memorandum.

“(C) Each State may utilize such other sources of data available to the State for the purposes of identifying individuals who are not citizens of the United States and removing such individuals from the official list of eligible vot-

ers for Federal office in the State, including
(but not limited to) the following:

“(i) State agencies that supply State
identification cards or driver’s licenses
where the agency confirms the United
States citizenship status of applicants.

“(ii) Other sources, including data-
bases and information provided pursuant
to an agreement with the Commissioner of
Social Security under section 205(r)(9) of
the Social Security Act, which can be used
to confirm United States citizenship sta-
tus, except that any such information pro-
vided by the Commissioner may not be the
sole grounds for the removal of an indi-
vidual from the official list of eligible vot-
ers for elections for Federal office in a
State.

“(5) AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—At the request of a
State election official (including a request re-
lated to a process established by a State under
paragraph (3)(A) or (3)(B)), any head of a
Federal department or agency possessing infor-
mation relevant to determining the eligibility of

1 an individual to vote in elections for Federal of-
2 fice shall, not later than 24 hours after receipt
3 of such request, provide the official with such
4 information as may be necessary to enable the
5 official to verify that an applicant for voter reg-
6 istration in elections for Federal office held in
7 the State or a registrant on the official list of
8 eligible voters in elections for Federal office
9 held in the State is a citizen of the United
10 States, which shall include providing the official
11 with such batched information as may be re-
12 quested by the official.

13 “(B) USE OF SAVE SYSTEM.—The Sec-
14 retary of Homeland Security may respond to a
15 request received under paragraph (1) by using
16 the system for the verification of immigration
17 status under the applicable provisions of section
18 1137 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
19 1320b–7), as established pursuant to section
20 121(c) of the Immigration Reform and Control
21 Act of 1986 (Public Law 99–603).

22 “(C) SHARING OF INFORMATION.—The
23 heads of Federal departments and agencies
24 shall share information with each other with re-
25 spect to an individual who is the subject of a

1 request received under paragraph (A) in order
2 to enable them to respond to the request.

3 “(D) INVESTIGATION FOR PURPOSES OF
4 REMOVAL.—The Secretary of Homeland Secu-
5 rity shall conduct an investigation to determine
6 whether to initiate removal proceedings under
7 section 239 of the Immigration and Nationality
8 Act (8 U.S.C. 1229) if it is determined pursu-
9 ant to subparagraph (A) or (B) that an alien
10 (as such term is defined in section 101 of the
11 Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
12 1101)) is unlawfully registered to vote in elec-
13 tions for Federal office.

14 “(E) PROHIBITING FEES.—The head of a
15 Federal department or agency may not charge
16 a fee for responding to a State’s request under
17 paragraph (A).

18 “(k) REMOVAL OF NONCITIZENS FROM REGISTRA-
19 TION ROLLS.—A State shall remove an individual who is
20 not a citizen of the United States from the official list
21 of eligible voters for elections for Federal office held in
22 the State at any time upon receipt of documentation or
23 verified information that a registrant is not a United
24 States citizen.”.

1 (g) CLARIFICATION OF AUTHORITY OF STATE TO
2 REMOVE NONCITIZENS FROM OFFICIAL LIST OF ELIGI-
3 BLE VOTERS.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 8(a)(4) of the Na-
5 tional Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C.
6 20507(a)(4)) is amended—

7 (A) by striking “or” at the end of subpara-
8 graph (A);

9 (B) by adding “or” at the end of subpara-
10 graph (B); and

11 (C) by adding at the end the following new
12 subparagraph:

13 “(C) documentary proof or verified infor-
14 mation that the registrant is not a United
15 States citizen;”.

16 (2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
17 8(c)(2)(B)(i) of such Act (52 U.S.C.
18 20507(c)(2)(B)(i)) is amended by striking “(4)(A)”
19 and inserting “(4)(A) or (C)”.

20 (h) REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO FEDERAL
21 MAIL VOTER REGISTRATION FORM.—

22 (1) CONTENTS OF MAIL VOTER REGISTRATION
23 FORM.—Section 9(b) of such Act (52 U.S.C.
24 20508(b)) is amended—

1 (A) in paragraph (2)(A), by striking “(in-
2 cluding citizenship)” and inserting “(including
3 an explanation of what is required to present
4 documentary proof of United States citizen-
5 ship)”;

6 (B) in paragraph (3), by striking “and” at
7 the end;

8 (C) in paragraph (4), by striking the pe-
9 riod at the end and inserting “; and”; and

10 (D) by adding at the end the following new
11 paragraph:

12 “(5) shall include a section, for use only by a
13 State or local election official, to record the type of
14 document the applicant presented as documentary
15 proof of United States citizenship, including the date
16 of issuance, the date of expiration (if any), the office
17 which issued the document, and any unique identi-
18 fication number associated with the document.”.

19 (2) INFORMATION ON MAIL VOTER REGISTRA-
20 TION FORM.—Section 9(b)(4) of such Act (52
21 U.S.C. 20508(b)(4)) is amended—

22 (A) by redesignating clauses (i) through
23 (iii) as subparagraphs (A) through (C), respec-
24 tively; and

1 (B) in subparagraph (C) (as so redesignated and as amended by paragraph (1)(C)), by
2 striking “; and” and inserting the following: “,
3 other than as evidence in a criminal proceeding
4 or immigration proceeding brought against an
5 applicant who attempts to register to vote and
6 makes a false declaration under penalty of per-
7 jury that the applicant meets the eligibility re-
8 quirements to register to vote in an election for
9 Federal office; and”.

11 (i) PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION.—Section 11(b)(1) of
12 the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C.
13 20510(b)(1)) is amended by striking “a violation of this
14 Act” and inserting “a violation of this Act, including the
15 act of an election official who registers an applicant to
16 vote in an election for Federal office who fails to present
17 documentary proof of United States citizenship,”.

18 (j) CRIMINAL PENALTIES.—Section 12(2) of such
19 Act (52 U.S.C. 20511(2)) is amended—

20 (1) by striking “or” at the end of subparagraph
21 (A);

22 (2) by redesignating subparagraph (B) as sub-
23 paragraph (D); and

24 (3) by inserting after subparagraph (A) the fol-
25 lowing new subparagraphs:

1 “(B) in the case of an officer or employee
2 of the executive branch, providing material as-
3 sistance to a noncitizen in attempting to reg-
4 ister to vote or vote in an election for Federal
5 office;

6 “(C) registering an applicant to vote in an
7 election for Federal office who fails to present
8 documentary proof of United States citizenship;
9 or”.

10 (k) SPECIAL RULE FOR STATES NOT REQUIRING
11 VOTER REGISTRATION.—Section 4 of the National Voter
12 Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20503), as amended
13 by subsection (b), is amended by adding at the end the
14 following:

15 “(c) SPECIAL RULE FOR STATES NOT REQUIRING
16 VOTER REGISTRATION.—In the case of a State or jurisdic-
17 tion that does not require voter registration as a require-
18 ment to vote in an election for Federal office on or after
19 the date of the enactment of this subsection, the State
20 or jurisdiction shall be deemed to meet the requirements
21 of this Act if the State or jurisdiction establishes a system
22 for confirming the citizenship of individuals voting in an
23 election for Federal office prior to the first day for voting
24 with respect to such election and provides such confirma-

tion of citizenship status for each eligible voter to election officials at the polling places during the voting period.”.

(l) ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION GUIDANCE.—Not later than 10 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Election Assistance Commission shall adopt and transmit to the chief State election official of each State guidance with respect to the implementation of the requirements under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20501 et seq.), as amended by this section.

(m) INAPPLICABILITY OF PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT.—Subchapter I of chapter 35 of title 44 (commonly referred to as the “Paperwork Reduction Act”) shall not apply with respect to the development or modification of voter registration materials under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C. 20501 et seq.), as amended by this section, including the development or modification of any voter registration application forms.

(n) DUTY OF SECRETARY OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO NOTIFY ELECTION OFFICIALS OF NATURALIZATION.—Upon receiving information that an individual has become a naturalized citizen of the United States, the Secretary of Homeland Security shall promptly provide notice of such information to the appropriate chief election official of the State in which such individual is domiciled.

1 (o) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION REGARDING PROVI-
2 SIONAL BALLOTS.—Nothing in this section or in any
3 amendment made by this section may be construed to
4 supercede, restrict, or otherwise affect the ability of an
5 individual to cast a provisional ballot in an election for
6 Federal office or to have the ballot counted in the election
7 if the individual is verified as a citizen of the United
8 States pursuant to section 8(j) of the National Voter Reg-
9 istration Act of 1993 (as added by subsection (f)).

10 (p) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION REGARDING EFFECT
11 ON STATE EXEMPTIONS FROM OTHER FEDERAL LAWS.—
12 Nothing in this section or in any amendment made by this
13 section may be construed to affect the exemption of a
14 State from any requirement of any Federal law other than
15 the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 (52 U.S.C.
16 20501 et seq.).

17 (q) EXCEPTION FOR ABSENT UNIFORMED SERVICES
18 VOTERS.—The requirements in this section shall not apply
19 with respect to an applicant who is an absent uniformed
20 services voter, as defined in section 107(1) of the Uni-
21 formed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (52
22 U.S.C. 20310(1)).

23 (r) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amend-
24 ments made by this section shall take effect on the date
25 of the enactment of this section, and shall apply with re-

1 spect to applications for voter registration which are sub-
2 mitted on or after such date.

3 **SEC. 103. REQUIRING VOTERS TO PROVIDE PHOTO IDENTI-**
4 **FICATION.**

5 (a) REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE PHOTO IDENTIFICA-
6 TION AS CONDITION OF CASTING BALLOT.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—Title III of the Help Amer-
8 ica Vote Act of 2002 (52 U.S.C. 21081 et seq.) is
9 amended by inserting after section 303 the following
10 new section:

11 **“SEC. 303A. PHOTO IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS.**

12 “(a) PROVISION OF IDENTIFICATION REQUIRED AS
13 CONDITION OF CASTING BALLOT.—

14 “(1) INDIVIDUALS VOTING IN PERSON.—

15 “(A) REQUIREMENT TO PROVIDE IDENTI-
16 FICATION.—Notwithstanding any other provi-
17 sion of law and except as provided in subpara-
18 graph (B), the appropriate State or local elec-
19 tion official may not provide a ballot for an
20 election for Federal office to an individual who
21 desires to vote in person unless the individual
22 presents to the official a valid physical photo
23 identification.

24 “(B) AVAILABILITY OF PROVISIONAL BAL-
25 LOT.—

1 “(i) IN GENERAL.—If an individual
2 does not present the identification required
3 under subparagraph (A), the individual
4 shall be permitted to cast a provisional bal-
5 lot with respect to the election under sec-
6 tion 302(a), except that the appropriate
7 State or local election official may not
8 make a determination under section
9 302(a)(4) that the individual is eligible
10 under State law to vote in the election un-
11 less, not later than 3 days after casting the
12 provisional ballot, the individual presents
13 to the official—

14 “(I) the identification required
15 under subparagraph (A); or

16 “(II) an affidavit developed and
17 made available to the individual by
18 the State attesting that the individual
19 does not possess the identification re-
20 quired under subparagraph (A) be-
21 cause the individual has a religious
22 objection to being photographed.

23 “(ii) NO EFFECT ON OTHER PROVI-
24 SIONAL BALLOTING RULES.—Nothing in
25 clause (i) may be construed to apply to the

1 casting of a provisional ballot pursuant to
2 section 302(a) or any State law for reasons
3 other than the failure to present the identi-
4 fication required under subparagraph (A).

5 “(2) INDIVIDUALS VOTING OTHER THAN IN
6 PERSON.—

7 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any
8 other provision of law and except as provided in
9 subparagraph (B), the appropriate State or
10 local election official may not accept any ballot
11 for an election for Federal office provided by an
12 individual who votes other than in person unless
13 the individual submits with the ballot—

14 “(i) a copy of a valid photo identifica-
15 tion; or

16 “(ii) the last four digits of the individ-
17 ual’s Social Security number and an affi-
18 davit developed and made available to the
19 individual by the State attesting that the
20 individual is unable to obtain a copy of a
21 valid photo identification after making rea-
22 sonable efforts to obtain such a copy.

23 “(B) EXCEPTIONS.—Subparagraph (A)
24 does not apply with respect to a ballot provided
25 by—

1 “(i) an absent uniformed services
2 voter, as defined in section 107(1) of the
3 Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee
4 Voting Act (52 U.S.C. 20310(1)); or

5 “(ii) an individual provided the right
6 to vote otherwise than in person under sec-
7 tion 3(b)(2)(B)(ii) of the Voting Accessi-
8 bility for the Elderly and Handicapped Act
9 (52 U.S.C. 20102(b)(2)(B)(ii)).

10 “(b) PROVIDING PUBLIC ACCESS TO DIGITAL IMAG-
11 ING DEVICES.—With respect to each State, the appro-
12 priate State or local government official of the State shall
13 ensure, to the extent practicable, public access to a digital
14 imaging device, which shall include a printer, copier,
15 image scanner, or multifunction machine, at State and
16 local government buildings in the State, including courts,
17 libraries, and police stations, for the purpose of allowing
18 individuals to use such a device at no cost to the individual
19 to make a copy of a valid photo identification.

20 “(c) VALID PHOTO IDENTIFICATIONS DESCRIBED.—
21 For purposes of this section, a ‘valid photo identification’
22 means, with respect to an individual who seeks to vote in
23 a State, any of the following:

1 “(1) A valid State-issued motor vehicle driver’s
2 license that includes a photo of the individual and an
3 expiration date.

4 “(2) A valid State-issued identification card
5 that includes a photo of the individual and an expi-
6 ration date issued by a State motor vehicle author-
7 ity.

8 “(3) A valid United States passport for the in-
9 dividual.

10 “(4) A valid military identification for the indi-
11 vidual.

12 “(5) A valid identification document issued by
13 a Tribal government that includes a photo of the in-
14 dividual and an expiration date.

15 “(d) NOTIFICATION OF IDENTIFICATION REQUIRE-
16 MENT TO APPLICANTS FOR VOTER REGISTRATION.—

17 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Each State shall ensure
18 that, at the time an individual applies to register to
19 vote in elections for Federal office in the State, the
20 appropriate State or local election official notifies
21 the individual of the photo identification require-
22 ments of this section.

23 “(2) SPECIAL RULE FOR INDIVIDUALS APPLY-
24 ING TO REGISTER TO VOTE ONLINE.—Each State
25 shall ensure that, in the case of an individual who

1 applies to register to vote in elections for Federal of-
2 fice in the State online, the online voter registration
3 system notifies the individual of the photo identifica-
4 tion requirements of this section before the indi-
5 vidual completes the online registration process.

6 “(e) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section shall take ef-
7 fect on the date of the enactment of this section, and shall
8 apply with respect to elections for Federal office held on
9 or after such date.”.

10 (2) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of con-
11 tents of such Act is amended by inserting after the
12 item relating to section 303 the following new item:

“Sec. 303A. Photo identification requirements.”.

13 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT RELATING TO VOL-
14 UNTARY GUIDANCE BY ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMIS-
15 SION.—Section 311(b) of such Act (52 U.S.C. 21101(b))
16 is amended—

17 (1) by striking “and” at the end of paragraph
18 (2);

19 (2) by striking the period at the end of para-
20 graph (3) and inserting “; and”; and

21 (3) by adding at the end the following new
22 paragraph:

23 “(4) in the case of the recommendations with
24 respect to section 303A, October 1, 2025.”.

1 (c) CONFORMING AMENDMENT RELATING TO EN-
2 FORCEMENT.—Section 401 of such Act (52 U.S.C. 21111)
3 is amended by striking “sections 301, 302, 303, and 304”
4 and inserting “subtitle A of title III”.

5 (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amend-
6 ments made by this section shall take effect on the date
7 of the enactment of this section, and shall apply with re-
8 spect to elections for Federal office held on or after such
9 date.

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Attest:

Clerk.

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Making appropriations for national security, Department of State, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2027, and for other purposes.