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S. 2846

To amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to modify treatment activities for assistance to combat HIV/AIDS.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 17 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 16), 2025

Ms. ROSEN (for herself, Mr. KAINE, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. CORTEZ MASTO, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BOOKER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. HEINRICH, and Mr. SANDERS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

A BILL

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

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “HIV Medication Access
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. MODIFICATION OF PREVENTION ACTIVITIES FOR**
7 **ASSISTANCE TO COMBAT HIV/AIDS.**

8 Section 104A(d) of the Foreign Assistance Act of
9 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2151b–2(d)) is amended—

1 (1) in paragraph (1)—

2 (A) in the matter preceding subparagraph
3 (A), by inserting “, which shall be considered to
4 be core life-saving humanitarian assistance,”
5 before “including”;

6 (B) in subparagraph (J), by striking the
7 period at the end and inserting a semicolon;

8 (C) in subparagraph (K)(viii), by striking
9 the period at the end and inserting “; and”;
10 and

11 (D) by adding at the end the following:

12 “(L) assistance to provide HIV pre-expo-
13 sure prophylaxis (PrEP) medications.”;

14 (2) in paragraph (2)—

15 (A) subparagraph (D), by adding “and” at
16 the end; and

17 (B) in subparagraph (E), by striking the
18 semicolon at the end and inserting a period;
19 and

20 (3) in paragraph (3)(A)—

21 (A) by inserting “, including at-risk popu-
22 lations in accordance with a scientific-based
23 analysis designated by the World Health Orga-
24 nization,” after “specific populations”;

1 (B) by striking “efforts to reduce the risk
2 of HIV/AIDS infection including” and inserting
3 “efforts to reduce the risk of HIV/AIDS infec-
4 tion, which shall be considered to be core life-
5 saving humanitarian assistance, including pre-
6 and”; and

7 (C) by inserting “, which shall be consid-
8 ered to be core life-saving humanitarian assist-
9 ance” before the period at the end.

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