

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 7120, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. GAETZ OF FLORIDA

Page 99, insert after line 12 the following (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

1 **SEC. 367. PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS TO PURCHASE**
2 **DRONES MANUFACTURED IN THE PEOPLE’S**
3 **REPUBLIC OF CHINA OR BY CHINESE STATE-**
4 **CONTROLLED ENTITIES.**

5 (a) **SHORT TITLE.**—This section may be cited as the
6 “Securing Our Skies Against Chinese Technology Act of
7 2020”.

8 (b) **PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS FOR CERTAIN**
9 **DRONES.**—No funds appropriated or otherwise made
10 available for fiscal year 2020 and available for obligation
11 as of the date of the enactment of this Act, and no funds
12 appropriated or otherwise made available for fiscal year
13 2021 or any fiscal year thereafter, may be obligated or
14 expended to purchase a drone described in subsection (b).

15 (c) **DRONES DESCRIBED.**—A drone described in this
16 subsection is a drone manufactured in the People’s Repub-
17 lic of China or by an entity owned or controlled by the
18 Government of the People’s Republic of China.

1 (d) APPLICATION TO PRIVATE ENTITIES AND STATE
2 AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.—

3 (1) IN GENERAL.—The prohibition under sub-
4 section (a) includes a prohibition on the obligation
5 or expenditure of funds described in that subsection
6 for the purchase of a drone described in subsection
7 (b) by a private entity or a State or local govern-
8 ment (including a law enforcement agency) that re-
9 ceived such funds through a grant or any other
10 means.

11 (2) CERTIFICATION REQUIRED TO RECEIVE FU-
12 TURE FUNDS.—On and after the date of the enact-
13 ment of this Act, the head of an executive agency
14 may not provide funds described in subsection (a) to
15 a private entity or a State or local government un-
16 less the entity or government certifies that the entity
17 or government, as the case may be, is not using
18 drones described in subsection (b).

19 (e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

20 (1) DRONE.—The term “drone” has the mean-
21 ing given the term “unmanned aircraft” in section
22 44801 of title 49, United States Code.

1 (2) EXECUTIVE AGENCY.—The term “executive
2 agency” has the meaning given that term in section
3 133 of title 41, United States Code.

