

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 117-13
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At the end of title LX of division E, add the following:

1 **SEC. 6013. REPORT ON ALL COMPREHENSIVE SANCTIONS**
2 **IMPOSED ON FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General
5 of the United States, in consultation with the President,
6 the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Treasury, the
7 Secretary of Commerce, the Administrator of the United
8 States Agency for International Development, the United
9 States Ambassador to the United Nations, and relevant
10 nongovernmental organizations, shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report on all comprehensive sanctions imposed on de jure or de facto governments of foreign countries, and all comprehensive and targeted sanctions imposed on non-state actors, including individuals, organizations, or other entities, that exercise significant de facto governmental control over a foreign civilian population, under any provision of law.

18 (b) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report required by subsection (a) shall include—
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1 (1) an assessment of the effect of sanctions im-
2 posed on the government of each foreign country
3 and each non-state actor that exercises governmental
4 control over a foreign civilian population described in
5 subsection (a) on—

6 (A) the ability of civilian population of the
7 country to access water, food, sanitation, and
8 public health services, including all humani-
9 tarian aid and supplies related to the preven-
10 tion, diagnosis, and treatment of COVID-19;

11 (B) the changes to the general mortality
12 rate, maternal mortality rate, life expectancy,
13 and literacy;

14 (C) the environmental impacts experienced
15 by the country that may be associated with the
16 sanctions, to include fossil fuel usage;

17 (D) the delivery of economic aid and devel-
18 opment projects in the country;

19 (E) the extent to which there is an in-
20 crease in refugees or migration to or from the
21 country or an increase in internally displaced
22 people in the country;

23 (F) the economic, political, and military
24 impacts on the country;

1 (G) the reactions of the country to the im-
2 posed sanctions, including policy changes and
3 internal sentiment;

4 (H) the degree of international compliance
5 and non-compliance of the country; and

6 (I) the licensing of transactions to allow
7 access to essential goods and services to vulner-
8 able populations (including women, children, el-
9 derly individuals, and individuals with disabili-
10 ties), including the number of licenses applied
11 for, approved, or denied and reasons why such
12 licenses were denied, and average time to re-
13 ceive a decision; and

14 (2) a description of the purpose of sanctions
15 imposed on the government of each foreign country
16 described in subsection (a) and the required legal or
17 political authority, including—

18 (A) an assessment of United States na-
19 tional security;

20 (B) an assessment of whether the stated
21 foreign policy goals of the sanctions are being
22 met;

23 (C) the degree of international support or
24 opposition that can be anticipated;

1 (D) an assessment of such sanctions on
2 United States businesses, consumers, and fi-
3 nancial institutions;

4 (E) criteria for lifting the sanctions; and

5 (F) prospects for commitment to enforcing
6 the sanctions.

7 (c) UPDATES OF REPORT.—The President shall sub-
8 mit to Congress an updated report under subsection (a)—

9 (1) not later than one year after the date of the
10 enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter for
11 10 years; and

12 (2) with respect to a new comprehensive sanc-
13 tion imposed on a government of a foreign country
14 under any provision of law, not later than 180 days
15 after the date on which the sanctions are imposed on
16 the government.

17 (d) FORM.—The report required by subsection (a)
18 shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may contain
19 a classified annex. The unclassified portion of the report
20 shall be published on a publicly-available website of the
21 Government of the United States.

22 (e) REVIEW BY CONGRESS.—Upon receipt of the re-
23 port required by subsection (a), Congress shall examine
24 the report with a focus on the humanitarian impacts of
25 comprehensive sanctions described in the report, including

1 with respect to human rights, medical services, food and
2 malnutrition and access to water, sanitation, and hygiene
3 services.

4 (f) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

5 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-
6 TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional com-
7 mittees” means—

8 (A) the Committee on Foreign Affairs, the
9 Committee on Financial Services, and the Com-
10 mittee on Ways and Means of the House of
11 Representatives; and

12 (B) the Committee on Foreign Relations,
13 the Committee on Banking, Housing, and
14 Urban Affairs, and the Committee on Finance
15 of the Senate.

16 (2) COMPREHENSIVE SANCTION.—The term
17 “comprehensive sanction” means any prohibition on
18 significant commercial and financial activity with a
19 foreign government that is imposed by the United
20 States for reasons of foreign policy or national secu-
21 rity.

