AMENDMENT TO DIVISION G OF RULES
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At the end of division G (before the short title), add the following new section:

LIMITATION ON USE OF FUNDS FOR FOREIGN MILITARY SALES TO THE UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

Sec. ___. (a) None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to enter into any foreign military sale (as authorized under chapter 2 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2761 et seq.)) for the transfer of defense articles or defense services to the United Arab Emirates unless the Secretary of State certifies to Congress that the United Arab Emirates has taken concrete measures and made significant progress towards achieving the release of all United States citizens found to be in violation of financial insolvency laws.

(b) The Secretary of State shall develop and submit to Congress a plan to require the United Arab Emirates to disclose to the United States the number of United States citizens that are being held in the United Arab Emirates against their will and the country’s plan to adjudicate and reduce that population.
(c) In this section, the terms “defense article” and “defense service” have the meanings given those terms, respectively, in section 47 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2794).