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At the appropriate place in subtitle C of title XVIII,
insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

2 Congress—

3 (1) calls on major United States companies still
4 operating in the Russian Federation to reconsider
5 their continued presence given Russia's full-scale in-
6 vasion of Ukraine;

7 (2) supports and encourages United States indi-
8 viduals who choose to exercise their free speech
9 rights by boycotting companies that do not provide
10 lifesaving or health-related goods and services to the
11 Russian people yet continue to operate in Russia;

12 (3) condemns companies that continue to oper-
13 ate in Russia and provide financial benefits to the
14 Putin regime that enable his ability to continue wag-
15 ing war in Ukraine;

16 (4) encourages United States companies who
17 provide goods and services to democracy activists in
18 Russia to create specific programs to continue to

1 make those goods and services available to support
2 democracy-promotion initiatives;

3 (5) commends companies that have already sus-
4 pended operations in or withdrawn from markets in
5 Russia in response to the Putin regime's unlawful
6 invasion of Ukraine; and

7 (6) calls on the Department of State to issue a
8 business advisory to inform individuals, businesses,
9 financial institutions, and other persons of the
10 heightened risks associated with conducting business
11 in Russia, particularly business activity that could
12 benefit the Putin regime, and include a list of the
13 types of risks associated with continued business, in-
14 cluding Russian state agencies, State-owned and af-
15 filiated businesses, and oligarchs.

