

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 119-33**  
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At the end of subtitle B of title XVII, insert the following:

1 **SEC. 17\_\_\_ . TAIWAN ENERGY SECURITY AND ANTI-EMBAR-**  
2 **GO ACT.**

3 (a) PROMOTION OF UNITED STATES ENERGY EX-  
4 PORTS AND ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE RESILIENCE FOR  
5 TAIWAN.—The Taiwan Enhanced Resilience Act (22  
6 U.S.C. 3351 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end  
7 the following:

8 **“PART 8—PROMOTION OF UNITED STATES EN-**  
9 **ERGY EXPORTS AND ENERGY INFRASTRUC-**  
10 **TURE RESILIENCE FOR TAIWAN**

11 **“SEC. 5540A. DEFINITIONS.**

12 “In this part:

13 “(1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-  
14 TEES.—The term ‘appropriate congressional com-  
15 mittees’ means—

16 “(A) the Committee on Foreign Relations,  
17 the Committee on Commerce, Science, and

1           Transportation, and the Committee on Energy  
2           and Natural Resources of the Senate; and

3                   “(B) the Committee on Foreign Affairs,  
4           the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and  
5           the Committee on Natural Resources of the  
6           House of Representatives.

7                   “(2) ASYMMETRIC THREAT.—The term ‘asym-  
8           metric threat’ means a threat posed by unconven-  
9           tional means, including a cyberattack, sabotage, or  
10          economic coercion, designed to undermine or disrupt  
11          the operation of critical infrastructure.

12   **“SEC. 5540B. PROMOTION OF UNITED STATES ENERGY EX-**  
13                   **PORTS TO TAIWAN.**

14                   “(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of State, in co-  
15          ordination with the Secretary of Commerce and the Sec-  
16          retary of Energy, may prioritize efforts to support and fa-  
17          cilitate—

18                   “(1) United States energy exports to Taiwan;  
19          and

20                   “(2) the development of energy projects that di-  
21          versify Taiwan’s energy sources.

22                   “(b) ACTIVITIES.—In carrying out subsection (a), the  
23          Secretaries may—

24                   “(1) engage with United States liquefied nat-  
25          ural gas producers, exporters, and infrastructure en-

1       tities to identify and address barriers to liquefied  
2       natural gas exports and storage projects intended  
3       for the market of Taiwan;

4             “(2) facilitate coordination between United  
5       States private sector entities, relevant governing au-  
6       thorities, and private sector stakeholders in Taiwan,  
7       including to promote investment in energy projects  
8       in Taiwan and the export of United States tech-  
9       nologies to Taiwan;

10            “(3) provide diplomatic and technical support  
11       for liquefied natural gas exports, exports of other  
12       United States energy resources and technologies,  
13       and storage and related infrastructure for any rel-  
14       evant energy projects linked to Taiwan;

15            “(4) consult with Taiwan to assess and  
16       strengthen liquefied natural gas import and storage  
17       capabilities; and

18            “(5) coordinate interagency efforts to ensure  
19       cohesive and sustained United States support for  
20       Taiwan’s energy security.

21       “(c) ASSESSMENT REQUIRED.—Not later than one  
22       year after the date of the enactment of the Taiwan Energy  
23       Security and Anti-Embargo Act of 2026, the National  
24       Academy of Sciences shall submit to the appropriate con-  
25       gressional committees an assessment of—

1           “(1) potential opportunities for boosting exports  
2 of liquefied natural gas produced in the United  
3 States to Taiwan, including by redirecting exports of  
4 such gas that flow to the People’s Republic of China  
5 as of such date of enactment;

6           “(2) potential ways the United States could  
7 shift the flow of such exports toward Taiwan; and

8           “(3) potential ways the United States could  
9 support efforts to redirect such exports to Taiwan.

10 **“SEC. 5540C. ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURE RESILIENCE CA-**  
11 **PACITY BUILDING.**

12           “(a) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 180 days after  
13 the date of the enactment of the Taiwan Energy Security  
14 and Anti-Embargo Act of 2026, the Secretary of State,  
15 in coordination with the Secretary of Defense and the Sec-  
16 retary of Energy, may seek to engage with appropriate  
17 officials of Taiwan for the purpose of cooperating with the  
18 Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of the Interior,  
19 the Ministry of Defense, and the head of any other appli-  
20 cable ministry of Taiwan for capacity building to enhance  
21 energy infrastructure resilience, including defensive mili-  
22 tary cybersecurity activities.

23           “(b) IDENTIFICATION OF ACTIVITIES.—In carrying  
24 out subsection (a), the Secretary of State may identify co-  
25 operative activities—

1           “(1) to enhance cybersecurity programs to pro-  
2           tect grid operating systems, liquefied natural gas  
3           and other energy storage terminals, and supervisory  
4           control and data acquisition systems;

5           “(2) to support physical security improvements,  
6           operational redundancy, and continuity-of-operations  
7           planning;

8           “(3) to engage in joint training exercises and  
9           scenario-based planning with relevant agencies in  
10          Taiwan; and

11          “(4) to support workforce development, emer-  
12          gency response planning, and institutional mod-  
13          ernization of energy sector operators.

14          “(c) UNITED STATES-TAIWAN ENERGY SECURITY  
15          CENTER.—The Secretary of State, in coordination with  
16          the Secretary of Energy, may establish a joint United  
17          States-Taiwan Energy Security Center in the United  
18          States, leveraging the expertise of institutions of higher  
19          education and private sector entities to foster dialogue and  
20          collaboration for academic cooperation in energy security  
21          and resilience.

22          “(d) AUTHORIZATION OF ASSISTANCE.—The Sec-  
23          retary of State, in coordination with the Secretary of De-  
24          fense and the Secretary of Energy, may provide technical

1 assistance to support the activities described in subsection  
2 (b) or the center described in subsection (c).

3 “(e) IMPLEMENTATION.—

4 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Assistance under this sec-  
5 tion shall be provided through the American Insti-  
6 tute in Taiwan and in consultation with relevant au-  
7 thorities in Taiwan, consistent with the Taiwan Re-  
8 lations Act (22 U.S.C. 3301 et seq.).

9 “(2) NOTIFICATION.—Any assistance provided  
10 by the Department of State pursuant this section  
11 shall be subject to the regular notification require-  
12 ments of section 634A of the Foreign Assistance Act  
13 of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2394–1).

14 “(f) BRIEFINGS.—Not later than 180 days after the  
15 date of the enactment of the Taiwan Energy Security and  
16 Anti-Embargo Act of 2026, the Secretary of State, in co-  
17 ordination with the Secretary of Defense and the Sec-  
18 retary of Energy, shall provide to the appropriate congres-  
19 sional committees a briefing on the implementation of this  
20 section.

21 **“SEC. 5540D. ANNUAL REPORT.**

22 “(a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after  
23 the date of the enactment of the Taiwan Energy Security  
24 and Anti-Embargo Act of 2026, and annually thereafter  
25 for 3 years, the Secretary of State, in coordination with

1 the Secretary of Commerce, the Secretary of Energy, and  
2 the Secretary of Defense, shall submit to the appropriate  
3 congressional committees a report that—

4 “(1) describes actions taken under this part;

5 “(2) identifies barriers to—

6 “(A) increased United States energy ex-  
7 ports to Taiwan;

8 “(B) increased investment in Taiwan’s en-  
9 ergy sector that would strengthen Taiwan’s en-  
10 ergy resilience;

11 “(C) energy infrastructure security co-  
12 operation; and

13 “(D) enhancing the resilience of Taiwan’s  
14 energy supply against economic coercion and  
15 supply chain disruptions, with due consideration  
16 for national security implications;

17 “(3) evaluates the effectiveness of capacity  
18 building and technical assistance activities carried  
19 out under section 5540C; and

20 “(4) provides recommendations to expand and  
21 diversify Taiwan’s energy sources and improve fu-  
22 ture bilateral energy cooperation between the United  
23 States and Taiwan.

1           “(b) FORM.—Each report required by subsection (a)  
2 shall be submitted in unclassified form but may include  
3 a classified annex.”.

4           (b) TRAINING TO IMPROVE TAIWAN’S CRITICAL EN-  
5 ERGY       INFRASTRUCTURE       PROTECTION.—Section  
6 5504(a)(3) of the Taiwan Enhanced Resilience Act (22  
7 U.S.C. 3353(a)(3)) is amended by inserting after “capa-  
8 bilities” the following: “and critical energy infrastructure  
9 protection”.

10          (c) INSURANCE FOR VESSELS TRANSPORTING VITAL  
11 GOODS TO STRATEGIC PARTNERS.—Section 53902 of title  
12 46, United States Code, is amended by adding at the end  
13 the following:

14          “(d) VESSELS TRANSPORTING VITAL GOODS TO  
15 STRATEGIC PARTNERS.—

16               “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Transpor-  
17 tation may provide insurance and reinsurance under  
18 this chapter for any vessel engaged in commerce  
19 transporting critical energy, humanitarian, or other  
20 goods to Taiwan or another strategic partner of the  
21 United States that is facing coercive maritime  
22 threats if the Secretary determines, in consultation  
23 with the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of  
24 State, and the Director of National Intelligence, that  
25 providing such insurance or reinsurance is necessary

1 to support vital strategic commerce or to deter coer-  
2 cive maritime behavior that undermines regional se-  
3 curity.

4 “(2) NONAPPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN CONDI-  
5 TION.—The condition under section 53902(c) shall  
6 not apply with respect to a vessel described in para-  
7 graph (1).”.

8 (d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION REGARDING CONTIN-  
9 UED UNITED STATES POLICY TOWARD TAIWAN AND THE  
10 GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.—  
11 Nothing in this section or the amendments made by this  
12 section may be construed to change the One China Policy  
13 of the United States, which is guided by the Taiwan Rela-  
14 tions Act (22 U.S.C. 3301 et seq.), the three United  
15 States-People’s Republic of China Joint Communiqués,  
16 and the Six Assurances.

