AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 117-13

OFFERED BY MR. NORMAN OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Add at the end of title LX of division E the following:

SEC. 6013. PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS TO PURCHASE GOODS OR SERVICES FROM COMMUNIST CHINESE MILITARY COMPANIES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds authorized to be appropriated or otherwise made available for fiscal year 2021 and available for obligation as of the date of the enactment of this Act, or authorized to be appropriated or otherwise made available for fiscal year 2022 or any fiscal year thereafter, may be obligated or expended to purchase goods or services from a person on the list required by section 1237(b) of the Strom Thurmond National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1999 (Public Law 105–261; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note).

(b) APPLICATION TO PRIVATE ENTITIES AND STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—The prohibition under subsection (a) includes a prohibition on the obligation or expenditure of funds described in that subsection...
for the purchase of goods or services from persons
described in that subsection by a private entity or a
State or local government that received such funds
through a grant or any other means.

(2) Certification required to receive future funds.—

(A) Certification.—

(i) In general.—Except as provided
in clause (ii), on and after the date of the
enactment of this Act, the head of an exec-
utive agency shall ensure that funds de-
scribed in subsection (a) are not provided
to a private entity or a State or local gov-
ernment unless the entity or government
certifies that the entity or government, as
the case may be, is not purchasing goods
or services from a person described in sub-
section (a).

(ii) Exception.—The limitation on
funds under clause (i) shall not apply with
respect to the purchase of goods or services
from a person described in subsection (a)
in an amount less than $10,000.

(B) Review.—The head of an executive
agency shall conduct a review of the use of
funds described in subsection (a) that are pro-
vided to a private entity or a State or local gov-
ernment to ensure compliance with the require-
ments of subparagraph (A).

(c) Report.—

(1) In general.—Not later than 180 days
after the date of the enactment of this Act, and an-
ually thereafter, the head of each of the Federal
departments and agencies described in paragraph
(2) shall submit to the appropriate congressional
committees a report that contains a complete list of
grant and other funding programs administered by
the department or agency with respect to which the
head of the department or agency determines are
most vulnerable to exploitation by persons described
in subsection (a).

(2) Federal departments and agencies
described.—The Federal departments and agen-
cies described in this paragraph are the following:

(A) The Department of Energy.

(B) The Department of the Interior.

(C) The Department of Agriculture.

(D) The Federal Communications Commiss-
ion.

(E) The Department of Transportation.
(F) The Department of Defense.

(G) The Department of Homeland Security.

(H) The Department of Commerce.

(3) FORM.—The report required by paragraph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified form but may contain a classified annex.

(d) Definitions.—In this section:

(1) Appropriate Congressional Committees.—The term “appropriate congressional committees” means—

(A) the Committee on Homeland Security and other relevant committees of jurisdiction of the House of Representatives; and

(B) the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs and other relevant committees of jurisdiction of the Senate.

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