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S. 2835

To terminate authorizations for the use of military force and declarations of war no later than 10 years after the enactment of such authorizations or declarations.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 23, 2021

Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. LEAHY, and Mr. OSSOFF) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Accountability for
5 Endless Wars Act of 2021”.

1 **SEC. 2. TERMINATION OF AUTHORIZATIONS FOR THE USE**
2 **OF MILITARY FORCE AND DECLARATIONS OF**
3 **WAR.**

4 (a) FUTURE AUTHORIZATIONS FOR THE USE OF
5 MILITARY FORCE AND DECLARATIONS OF WAR.—Any au-
6 thorization for the use of military force or declaration of
7 war enacted into law after the date of enactment of this
8 Act shall terminate on the date that is 10 years after the
9 date of enactment of such authorization or declaration.

10 (b) EXISTING AUTHORIZATIONS FOR THE USE OF
11 MILITARY FORCE AND DECLARATIONS OF WAR.—Any au-
12 thorization for the use of military force or declaration of
13 war enacted before the date of the enactment of this Act
14 shall terminate on the date that is 6 months after the date
15 of such enactment.

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