

Calendar No. 248

117TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION**S. 3468**

To provide for a limitation on the removal of the Government of Cuba
from the state sponsors of terrorism list.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 10, 2022

Mr. RISCH introduced the following bill; which was read the first time

JANUARY 18, 2022

Read the second time and placed on the calendar

A BILL

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of Cuba from the state sponsors of terrorism list.

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. LIMITATION ON REMOVING THE GOVERNMENT**

4 **OF CUBA FROM THE STATE SPONSORS OF**

5 **TERRORISM LIST.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—The President shall not rescind

7 the designation of Cuba as a state sponsor of terrorism

8 until—

1 (1) the President submits to Congress a deter-
2 mination and certification that the Government of
3 Cuba—

4 (A) is cooperating fully with United States
5 antiterrorism efforts, has ceased to provide sup-
6 port to international terrorist groups, and has
7 ceased to provide support for acts of inter-
8 national terrorism;

9 (B) has extradited or otherwise rendered
10 to the United States all persons sought by the
11 Department of Justice of the United States for
12 crimes committed in the United States; and

13 (C) has ceased to provide support, includ-
14 ing defense, intelligence, and security assist-
15 ance, to the illegitimate regime of former Presi-
16 dent Nicolas Maduro in Venezuela; and

17 (2) a joint resolution approving the determina-
18 tion and certification of the President submitted
19 under paragraph (1) is enacted into law in accord-
20 ance with the procedures described in subsection (b).

21 (b) CONGRESSIONAL PROCEDURES.—

22 (1) REFERRAL TO COMMITTEES.—Joint resolu-
23 tions described in subsection (a)(2) that are intro-
24 duced in the Senate shall be referred to the Com-
25 mittee on Foreign Relations of the Senate and joint

1 resolutions described in subsection (a)(2) that are
2 introduced in the House of Representatives shall be
3 referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the
4 House of Representatives.

5 (2) PROCEDURES.—

6 (A) SENATE.—Any joint resolution de-
7 scribed in subsection (a)(2) shall be considered
8 in the Senate in accordance with the provisions
9 of section 601(b) of the International Security
10 Assistance and Arms Export Control Act of
11 1976 (Public Law 94–329; 90 Stat. 765).

12 (B) HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.—For
13 the purpose of expediting the consideration and
14 enactment of a joint resolution described in
15 subsection (a)(2), a motion to proceed to the
16 consideration of any such joint resolution after
17 it has been reported by the appropriate com-
18 mittee shall be treated as highly privileged in
19 the House of Representatives.

20 (C) LIMITATION.—Not more than one joint
21 resolution described in subsection (a)(2) may be
22 considered in the Senate and the House of Rep-
23 resentatives during the 6-month period begin-
24 ning on the date on which the President sub-

- 1 mits to Congress a determination and certifi-
- 2 cation under subsection (a)(1).

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