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S. 5290

To require an evaluation of the implementation of the STOP Act of 2018,
and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 15, 2022

Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself, Mr. PORTMAN, and Mrs. CAPITO) introduced the
following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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Act of 2018, and for other purposes.

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 “STOP Act 2.0”.

5 **SEC. 2. EVALUATION OF IMPLEMENTATION OF STOP ACT**
6 **OF 2018.**

7 Not later than one year after the date of the enact-
8 ment of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United
9 States shall submit to Congress a report evaluating the
10 implementation of the provisions of and amendments

1 made by the STOP Act of 2018 (subtitle A of title VIII
2 of Public Law 115–271; 132 Stat. 4073) that includes—

3 (1) an identification of potential areas of risk
4 with respect to the entry of illicit fentanyl, other
5 synthetic opioids, and other narcotics and
6 psychoactive substances into the United States by
7 mail, including any openings that drug traffickers
8 have found in the system established under the
9 STOP Act of 2018; and

10 (2) an assessment of—

11 (A) the use of the authority provided under
12 subclause (II) of section 343(a)(3)(K)(vi) of the
13 Trade Act of 2002 (19 U.S.C.
14 1415(a)(3)(K)(vi)), as amended by section 8003
15 of the STOP Act of 2018, to exclude countries
16 from the requirement under subclause (I) of
17 that section that advance information be pro-
18 vided for 100 percent of international mail ship-
19 ments; and

20 (B) whether the use of that authority
21 should be decreased.

22 **SEC. 3. PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP REGARDING POST-**
23 **AL DATA.**

24 The Secretary of Homeland Security and the Admin-
25 istrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration may

1 enter into a public-private partnership with private parcel
2 services to develop technology and processes for identi-
3 fying information that could be used to identify the origin
4 of fentanyl, other synthetic opioids, and other narcotics
5 and psychoactive substances, and precursors to such sub-
6 stances, including information on the origin of parcels and
7 shipping information.

8 **SEC. 4. INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATION.**

9 The Secretary of State, in coordination with the Sec-
10 retary of Homeland Security and the Administrator of the
11 Drug Enforcement Administration, are authorized to
12 share and receive information, consistent with existing
13 law, on best practices regarding the detection of illicit
14 fentanyl, other synthetic opioids, and other narcotics and
15 psychoactive substances, and precursors to such sub-
16 stances, including such substances moving through the
17 mail.

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