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To modify the Iran Nuclear Weapons Capability and Terrorism Monitoring
Act of 2022.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 14, 2023

Mr. GRAHAM (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. BLUMENTHAL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Select Committee on Intelligence

A BILL

To modify the Iran Nuclear Weapons Capability and
Terrorism Monitoring Act of 2022.

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 “Iranian Enrichment
5 Monitoring Act of 2023”.

6 **SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.**

7 In this Act:

8 (1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-
9 TEES.—The term “appropriate congressional com-
10 mittees” means—

1 (A) the Committee on Armed Services, the
 2 Committee on Foreign Relations, the Select
 3 Committee on Intelligence, the Committee on
 4 Appropriations, and the Committee on Energy
 5 and Natural Resources of the Senate; and

6 (B) the Committee on Armed Services, the
 7 Committee on Foreign Affairs, the Permanent
 8 Select Committee on Intelligence, the Com-
 9 mittee on Appropriations, and the Committee
 10 on Energy and Commerce of the House of Rep-
 11 resentatives.

12 (2) CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP.—The term
 13 “congressional leadership” means—

14 (A) the majority leader of the Senate;

15 (B) the minority leader of the Senate;

16 (C) the Speaker of the House of Rep-
 17 resentatives; and

18 (D) the minority leader of the House of
 19 Representatives.

20 (3) SIGNIFICANT ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY.—The
 21 term “significant enrichment activity” means—

22 (A) any enrichment of any amount of ura-
 23 nium-235 to a purity percentage that is 5 per-
 24 cent higher than the purity percentage indi-

1 cated in the prior notification to Congress
2 under section 3(a); or

3 (B) any enrichment of uranium-235 in a
4 quantity exceeding 10 kilograms.

5 **SEC. 3. NOTIFICATION TO CONGRESS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 48 hours after the
7 Director of National Intelligence determines that the Is-
8 lamic Republic of Iran has produced or possesses any
9 amount of uranium-235 enriched to greater than 60 per-
10 cent purity, the Director of National Intelligence shall sub-
11 mit to the appropriate congressional committees and con-
12 gressional leadership a notification of such determination.

13 (b) CLASSIFIED NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF CON-
14 GRESS.—Not later than 24 hours after the submission of
15 the notification under subsection (a), the Director of Na-
16 tional Intelligence shall submit to Congress a 1-page docu-
17 ment with respect to the determination, which shall be—

18 (1) made available to any member of the Senate
19 or the House of Representatives; and

20 (2) classified at the Top Secret/Sensitive Com-
21 partmented Information level.

22 (c) SUBSEQUENT NOTIFICATIONS.—If the Director
23 of National Intelligence determines that the Islamic Re-
24 public of Iran has engaged in significant enrichment activ-
25 ity subsequent to the submission of a notification under

1 subsection (a), the Director of National Intelligence shall
2 submit to the appropriate congressional committees and
3 congressional leadership—

4 (1) not later than 48 hours after making a de-
5 termination that such significant enrichment activity
6 has occurred, a notification of the determination;
7 and

8 (2) not later than 24 hours after the submis-
9 sion of the notification under paragraph (1), a 1-
10 page document with respect to the determination.

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