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# H. R. 1176

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 24, 2023

Mr. CONNOLLY (for himself, Mr. CURTIS, Mr. BERA, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Ms. TITUS, Mr. BARR, Mr. FITZPATRICK, and Mrs. MCCLAIN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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## 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,*

1   **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2       This Act may be cited as the “Taiwan International  
3   Solidarity Act”.

4   **SEC. 2. CLARIFICATION REGARDING UNITED NATIONS GEN-  
5                   ERAL ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 2758 (XXVI).**

6       Subsection (a) of section 2 of the Taiwan Allies Inter-  
7   national Protection and Enhancement Initiative (TAIPEI)  
8   Act of 2019 (Public Law 116–135) (relating to diplomatic  
9   relations with Taiwan) is amended by adding at the end  
10   the following new paragraphs:

11           “(10) United Nations General Assembly Reso-  
12   lution 2758 (XXVI) established the representatives  
13   of the Government of the People’s Republic of China  
14   as the only lawful representatives of China to the  
15   United Nations. The resolution did not address the  
16   issue of representation of Taiwan and its people in  
17   the United Nations or any related organizations, nor  
18   did the resolution take a position on the relationship  
19   between the People’s Republic of China and Taiwan  
20   or include any statement pertaining to Taiwan’s sov-  
21   ereignty.

22           “(11) The United States opposes any initiative  
23   that seeks to change Taiwan’s status without the  
24   consent of the people.”.

1   **SEC. 3. UNITED STATES ADVOCACY FOR INTERNATIONAL**  
2                   **ORGANIZATIONS TO RESIST THE PEOPLE'S**  
3                   **REPUBLIC OF CHINA'S EFFORTS TO DISTORT**  
4                   **THE "ONE CHINA" POSITION.**

5         Section 4 of the Taiwan Allies International Protec-  
6 tion and Enhancement Initiative (TAIPEI) Act of 2019  
7 (relating to the policy of the United States regarding Tai-  
8 wan's participation in international organizations) is  
9 amended—

10               (1) in paragraph (3), by striking “and” after  
11 the semicolon at the end;

12               (2) in paragraph (4), by striking the period at  
13 the end and inserting “; and”; and

14               (3) by adding at the end the following new  
15 paragraph:

16               “(5) to instruct, as appropriate, representatives  
17 of the United States Government in all organizations  
18 described in paragraph (1) to use the voice, vote,  
19 and influence of the United States to advocate such  
20 organizations to resist the People's Republic of Chi-  
21 na's efforts to distort the decisions, language, poli-  
22 cies, or procedures of such organizations regarding  
23 Taiwan.”.

1   **SEC. 4. OPPOSING THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA'S**  
2                   **EFFORTS TO UNDERMINE TAIWAN'S TIES AND**  
3                   **PARTNERSHIPS INTERNATIONALLY.**

4       Subsection (a) of section 5 of the Taiwan Allies Inter-  
5   national Protection and Enhancement Initiative (TAIPEI)  
6   Act of 2019 (relating to strengthening ties with Taiwan)  
7   is amended—

8                   (1) in paragraph (3), by striking “and” after  
9   the semicolon at the end;

10                  (2) in paragraph (4), by striking the period at  
11   the end and inserting “; and”; and

12                  (3) by adding at the end the following new  
13   paragraph:

14                  “(5) encourage, as appropriate, United States  
15   allies and partners to oppose the People's Republic  
16   of China's efforts to undermine Taiwan's official  
17   diplomatic relationships and its partnerships with  
18   countries with which it does not maintain diplomatic  
19   relations.”.

20   **SEC. 5. REPORT ON THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA'S**  
21                   **ATTEMPTS TO PROMOTE ITS “ONE CHINA”**  
22                   **POSITION.**

23       (a) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (b) of section 5 of the  
24   Taiwan Allies International Protection and Enhancement  
25   Initiative (TAIPEI) Act of 2019 (relating to strength-  
26   ening ties with Taiwan) is amended by inserting before

1 the period at the end the following: “, as well as informa-  
2 tion relating to any prior or ongoing attempts by the Peo-  
3 ple’s Republic of China to undermine Taiwan’s member-  
4 ship or observer status in all organizations described in  
5 section (4)(1) and Taiwan’s ties and relationships with  
6 other countries in accordance with subsection (a) of this  
7 section”.

8 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
9 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of the enact-  
10 ment of this Act and apply beginning with the first report  
11 required under subsection (b) of section 5 of the Taiwan  
12 Allies International Protection and Enhancement Initia-  
13 tive (TAIPEI) Act of 2019, as amended by subsection (a),  
14 that is required after such date.

