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IN THE SENATE

APRIL #, 2021

Mr. Adith Manikandan Uttara Suryaganesh (for himself),
introduced the following bill; which was subsequently referred to
the Senate:

AN ACT

To restore American hegemony in global affairs and bring security to tense regions of the world, to realign American diplomatic and military policy orientations, to fight terrorism throughout the world, to bolster the defenses of American allies, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of
America in Congress assembled,*

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE, ETC.

- (a) This Act may be cited as the “American Global Hegemony Act of 2021”.
- (b) This Act shall be enacted thirty days upon its passage.
- (c) If any provision of this Act is unconstitutional or unenforceable, the rest of the Act shall pass into law unless stated otherwise.

SEC. 2. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

The table of contents for this Act shall be as follows:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE, ETC.

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TITLE I—EXTENDING UNWAVERING RESOLVE IN THE OVERSIGHT AND PROTECTION OF EUROPE ACT OF 2021

SEC. 101. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the “Extending Unwavering Resolve in the Oversight and Protection of Europe Act of 2021” or the “EUROPE Act of 2021”.

SEC. 102. SENSE OF CONGRESS.

It is the sense of Congress that:

- (i) ensuring friendly and proper relations with the countries of Europe is paramount to the defense of democracy;
- (ii) ensuring economic viability of the United Kingdom, European Union, and other European countries is paramount to the growth of the global economy; and
- (iii) ensuring the defense of Europe, and more specifically Eastern Europe, is paramount as a check to the growing aggression of the Russian Federation.

SUBTITLE A—UNITED KINGDOM RELATIONS

SEC. 103. SHORT TITLE.

This subtitle may be cited as the “United Kingdom Relations Act”.

SEC. 104. SENSE OF CONGRESS.

- (a) It is the sense of Congress that the United States shares a special relationship with the United Kingdom in heritage, democratic values, a common unity against terror and extremism, and close allies on the issues of defense and trade.
- (b) It is further the sense of Congress that the United States must further enhance this relationship with the United Kingdom especially after the latter’s exit from the European Union.

SEC. 105. TRADE AND IMMIGRATION IN A NEW ERA

- (a) The United States shall commit to negotiating a free trade agreement between the European Union and the United Kingdom.
- (b) The United States shall strive to protect free movement between the United Kingdom and the European Union.
- (c) All COVID-19 related restrictions on the entry of British nationals to the United States shall be lifted immediately upon enactment of this Title.

SUBTITLE B—ENHANCING RELATIONS WITH WESTERN EUROPE

SEC. 106. SHORT TITLE.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Enhancing Relations With Western Europe Act”.

SEC. 107. DEFINITIONS.

- (a) For the purposes of this subtitle alone, the term “Western European” shall refer to a national of a country within the Schengen Area.
- (b) The Schengen Area shall be defined as the area comprising 26 European countries that function as a single entity, without border control and immigration controls between them, as created by the 1985 Schengen Agreement.

SEC. 108. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- (a) All COVID-19 related restrictions on the entry of Western European nationals to the United States shall be lifted immediately upon enactment of this Title.
- (b) The United States shall diplomatically pursue the expansion of the Schengen Area, so as to further improve free movement and migration.

TITLE II—AMPLIFYING FOREIGN RELATIONS IN THE COUNTRIES OF AFRICA ACT OF 2021

SEC. 201. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the “Amplifying Foreign Relations in the Countries of Africa Act of 2021” or the “AFRICA Act of 2021”.

SEC. 202. SENSE OF CONGRESS.

- (a) It is the sense of Congress that the countries of Africa are nations in which democracy and freedom are able to blossom, once properly nurtured and defended against terrorism.

SUBTITLE A—AUTHORIZATION OF SOMALI COUNTERTERRORISM SUPPORT ACT

SEC. 203. SHORT TITLE.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Authorization of Somali Counterterrorism Support Act”.

SEC. 204. FINDINGS

This Congress finds,

1. That militant groups in the Federal Republic of Somalia pose a direct threat to the United States of America,
 - a. By funding the terrorist group al-Qaeda;
 - b. By threatening American troops and interests in the Somalian and Indian Ocean region.
2. That [al-Shabaab has pledged support for Al Qaeda](#), a sworn enemy of the United States.

3. That the United States of America has an obligation to fight terrorism worldwide.
4. That the deployment of ground troops to foreign soil would constitute an extension of endless wars.
5. That the use of air troops alone, in conjunction with local troops, is the best compromise between efficacy and prevention of entanglements abroad.

SEC. 205. DEFINITIONS

1. “Harakat al-Shabaab al-Mujahideen”, commonly known as “al-Shabaab”, is a terrorist organization based primarily in Somalia that has commonly resorted to bombings, assassinations, and extortion to fuel a reign of terror over central and southern Somalia in support of al-Qaeda.
2. “Air troops” shall refer to airborne divisions of the United States Air Force, United States Army, United States Marine Corps, and United States Navy used in special operations on Somali soil.

SEC. 206. GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. \$20,000,000 from the discretionary budget of the Department of Defense is hereby appropriated towards the funding of training programs for the Somali Army.
 - a. Training programs shall fall under the supervision of the Secretary of Defense, and shall focus on counterterrorism (especially against al-Shabaab) and counterpiracy.
 - b. A maximum of 1000 American troops may be deployed to Somali soil for the purpose of this training program.
2. A pool of 10 General Dynamics F-16 Fighting Falcons is to be established to be sold to the Somali Air Force.
 - a. The United States Air Force shall purchase them for resale to the Somali Air Force at a subsidized rate of 49% of the base price, at \$20,000,000 per aircraft.
 - i. This price is to be achieved by means of cost-cutting on avionics and weapons guidance systems within the aircraft.
 - b. \$230,000,000 shall be appropriated towards this acquisition and resulting miscellaneous costs.

SEC. 207. AUTHORIZATION OF MILITARY FORCE AGAINST AI-SHABAAB

1. It is the sense of Congress that the use of limited air strikes and CAS (Close Air Support) for Somali troops is effective in counterterrorism.

2. Hence, the President is hereby authorized to use the air troops and support divisions to wage an airborne campaign against terrorists in Somalia.

SEC. 208: ENACTMENT

1. The provisions of this Title shall come into effect immediately upon passage into law.

TITLE III—PIVOT TO ASIA ACT OF 2021

SEC. 301. SHORT TITLE

This title shall be known as the “Pivot to Asia Act of 2021”.

SEC. 302. FINDINGS

(a) Congress finds that:

- (i) the continent of Asia is the largest continent by population and land area;
- (ii) Asia is the fastest growing economic region and is home to several growing markets for American goods; and
- (iii) the United States must deepen her relationship with key allies and partners in Asia, including but not limited to the Republic of India, the Republic of Taiwan, Malaysia, Japan, the Republic of Korea, Vietnam, Mauritius, and Indonesia.

SUBTITLE A—CLOSER RELATIONS WITH INDIA ACT

SEC. 303. SHORT TITLE.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Closer Relations with India Act”.

SEC. 304. SENSE OF CONGRESS.

It is the sense of Congress that improving ties with the Republic of India will work as a counterweight to the growing threat of China, increase cooperation for counterterrorism efforts, and provide a stable democratic future for the Indo-Pacific region.

SEC. 305. INDO-US FREE TRADE AGREEMENT.

Congress urges the President or the Secretary of State to negotiate with the Government of India to establish a free trade agreement between the Republic of India and the United States.

SEC. 306. COUNTERTERRORISM AND DEFENSE FUNDING.

- (a) The President shall be authorized to provide funding through the discretionary funds of the Department of State to the Government of India for the purposes of India purchasing arms and equipment from the United States and private entities

within the United States for the purposes of expanding the defense and counterterrorism capabilities of India.

(b) Not more than \$1,000,000,000 may be allocated for the purposes of this section.

(c) SPECIFIC ALLOCATION.—

- (i) No funds provided under this section may be implemented for any purposes other than those under this section.
- (ii) No funds provided under this section may be implemented for the purchasing of arms and equipment from other countries or private entities under such countries.
- (iii) No funds provided under this section may be implemented for the payment of persons employed under the Government of India or any private entity situated in India.
- (iv) If funds are implemented in violation of this subsection, such funding shall be withdrawn.

SEC. 307. HUMANITARIAN AID.

(a) The President shall be authorized to provide funding through the discretionary funds of the Department of State to the Government of India for the purposes of:

- (i) the development of sanitation infrastructure;
- (ii) the improvement of agriculture methods and the provision of food to persons living in poverty; and
- (iii) the development of housing that are up to local standards.

(b) Not more than \$100,000,000 may be allocated for the purposes of this section.

(c) SPECIFIC ALLOCATION.—

- (i) No funds provided under this section may be implemented for any purposes other than those under this section.
- (ii) No funds provided under this section may be implemented for the payment of persons employed under the Government of India or any private entity situated in India: *Provided, however,* That due payments of persons or entities that are under contract by the Government of India for the purposes of development under paragraph (i) or paragraph (iii) of subsection (a) shall not be held in violation of this subsection.
- (iii) If funds are implemented in violation of this subsection, such funding shall be withdrawn.

SEC. 308. AUDITING.

The Inspector General of the Department of State shall audit, investigate, and oversee the obligation and expenditure of such amounts provided under this subtitle.

SUBTITLE B—RELATIONS WITH PAKISTAN ACT

SEC. 309. SHORT TITLE.

This subtitle may be cited as the “Relations with Pakistan Act”.

SEC. 310. FINDINGS.

(a) Congress finds that:

- (i) the Islamic Republic of Pakistan has long failed to curb terrorism within its territory, with the Inter-Services Intelligence often provided support in arms, ammunition, and funding from the Pakistani government.
- (ii) the Islamic Republic of Pakistan served as the final asylum for the reviled terror leader Osama bin Laden before the United States Armed Forces brought him to justice in the city of Abbottabad.
- (iii) the Islamic Republic of Pakistan has recently begun working with the government of the People’s Republic of China in the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor to subvert U.S. interests and threaten the economic balance of Asia and the economies of U.S. allies in the region.
- (iv) it is important to develop Pakistan and its people into a thriving country without the present and pervasive elements of corruption and terrorism.

SEC. 311. SHORT TITLE, TABLE OF CONTENTS, ETC.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—Subsection (a) of section 1 of the Enhanced Partnership with Pakistan Act of 2009 ([22 USC § 8401 et seq.](#)) shall be amended to read:

“(a) This Act may be cited as the “Relations with Pakistan Act”.”

(b) DEFINITION.—Unless otherwise specified, “the Act” refers to the “Relations with Pakistan Act” as amended under subsection (a).

(c) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—Subsection (b) of section 1 of the Act shall be amended to read:

“(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

“Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

“Sec. 2. Definitions.

“Sec. 3. Findings.

“Sec. 4. Statement of principles.

“TITLE I—DEMOCRATIC, ECONOMIC, AND DEVELOPMENT
ASSISTANCE FOR PAKISTAN

“Sec. 101. Authorization of assistance.

“Sec. 102. Authorization of appropriations.

“Sec. 103. Auditing.

“TITLE II—SECURITY ASSISTANCE FOR PAKISTAN

“Sec. 201. Purposes of assistance.

“Sec. 202. Authorization of assistance.

“Sec. 203. Limitations on certain assistance.

“Sec. 204. Requirements for civilian control of certain assistance.

“TITLE III—STRATEGY, ACCOUNTABILITY, MONITORING,
AND OTHER PROVISIONS

“Sec. 301. Strategy Reports.

“Sec. 302. Monitoring Reports.

“Sec. 303. Sanctions.

“Sec. 304. Authorization of funding withdrawals.”

SEC. 312. DEFINITIONS.

Section 2 of the Act ([22 USC § 8401](#)) shall be amended to read:

“In this Act:

“(1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES.—Except as otherwise provided in this Act, the term “appropriate congressional committees” means the Committee on Commerce, Finance, Labor, and Pensions and the Committee on Veterans Affairs, Foreign Relations, and Armed Services of the Senate and the Committee on Ways and Means, Finance, and Appropriations and the Committee on Armed Services and Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives.

“(2) COUNTERINSURGENCY.—The term “counterinsurgency” means efforts to defeat organized movements that seek to overthrow the duly constituted Governments of Pakistan and Afghanistan through violent means.

“(3) COUNTERTERRORISM.—The term “counterterrorism” means efforts to combat al Qaeda and other foreign terrorist organizations that are designated by the Secretary of State in accordance with section 219 of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189), or other individuals and entities engaged in terrorist activity or support for such activity.

“(4) KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA.—The term “Khyber Pakhtunkhwa” means the Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Province of Pakistan, which has Peshawar as its provincial capital.

“(6) IMPACT EVALUATION RESEARCH.—The term “impact evaluation research” means the application of research methods and statistical analysis to measure the extent to which change in a population-based outcome can be attributed to program intervention instead of other environmental factors.

“(7) MAJOR DEFENSE EQUIPMENT.—The term “major defense equipment” has the meaning given the term in section 47(6) of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2794(6)).

SEC. 313. APPROPRIATING FUNDS.

1. A sum of \$512,000,000.00 is appropriated to the Department of State’s discretionary budget for use in diplomatic aid as follows.
 - a. \$100,000,000 for use in food security and sanitation programs in Pakistan, and Bangladesh;
 - b. \$400,000,000 to be used as financial stimulus for urban infrastructure in the Republic of Maldives and the Republic of Mauritius:
 - i. The Secretary of State shall ensure to the best of their ability that these funds are allocated with improving sustainability of existing infrastructure and reducing the environmental footprint of future infrastructure in mind.
 - c. \$12,000,000 to be used towards programs in the Islamic Republic of Pakistan to enhance
 - i. Voting access and transparency in election processes;
 - ii. Freedom of the press;

- iii. Gender equality, education for women, and women empowerment;
- iv. Specific goals for the objectives outlined in Section 303 (1) (c)(i-iii) may be defined by the Secretary of State.

SEC. 314: STATEMENT OF POLICY

1. It shall be the policy of the United States of America to pursue closer ties with like-minded Asian nations in order to achieve peace, stability, and prosperity in the region.
2. It shall be the policy of the United States to cooperate with like-minded Asian governments in the War on Terror.
3. The United States shall support any and all Asian nations engaged in conflict with the People's Republic of China.
4. The United States shall aid developing Asian nations in growing their economies and protecting free markets.