

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 1398) TO ESTABLISH THE CCP INITIATIVE PROGRAM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 1425) TO REQUIRE ANY CONVENTION, AGREEMENT, OR OTHER INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENT ON PANDEMIC PREVENTION, PREPAREDNESS, AND RESPONSE REACHED BY THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY TO BE SUBJECT TO SENATE RATIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 1516) TO ESTABLISH DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY FUNDING RESTRICTIONS ON INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT HAVE A RELATIONSHIP WITH CONFUCIUS INSTITUTES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 7980) TO AMEND THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 TO EXCLUDE VEHICLES THE BATTERIES OF WHICH CONTAIN MATERIALS SOURCED FROM PROHIBITED FOREIGN ENTITIES FROM THE CLEAN VEHICLE CREDIT; PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 9456) TO AMEND THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950 WITH RESPECT TO FOREIGN INVESTMENTS IN UNITED STATES AGRICULTURE, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; AND PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 9494) MAKING CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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September 10, 2024.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

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MR. LANGWORTHY, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the following

## R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. \_\_]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution \_\_\_\_, by a record vote of 9 to 4, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

### SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 1398, the Protect America's Innovation and Economic Security from CCP Act of 2024, under a structured rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their respective designees. The resolution provides that, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 118-45 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution makes in order only the amendments printed in part A of the report. Each amendment shall be considered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. All points of order against the amendments printed in part A of the report are waived. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 1425, the No WHO Pandemic Preparedness Treaty Without Senate Approval Act, under a structured rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs or their respective designees. The resolution provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 118-44 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution further makes in order only the amendments printed in part B of the report. Each amendment shall be considered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. All points of order against the amendments printed in part B of the report are waived. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 1516, the DHS Restrictions on Confucius Institutes and Chinese Entities of Concern Act, under a structured rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Homeland Security or their respective designees. The resolution provides that, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Homeland Security now printed in the bill pursuant to Part II of House Report 118-319, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 118-46 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution further makes in order only the amendments printed in part C of the report. Each amendment shall be considered only in

the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question. All points of order against the amendments printed in part C of the report are waived. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 7980, the End Chinese Dominance of Electric Vehicles in America Act of 2024, under a closed rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means or their respective designees. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 9456, the Protecting American Agriculture from Foreign Adversaries Act of 2024, under a closed rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Financial Services or their respective designees. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 9494, the Continuing Appropriations and Other Matters Act, 2025, under a closed rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that the amendment printed in part D of the report shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective designees. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit.

#### EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of H.R. 1398, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 1398, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against the amendments printed in part A of the report, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

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Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 1425, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against the amendments printed in part B of the report, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of H.R. 1516, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 1516, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against the amendments printed in part C of the report, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of H.R. 7980, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 7980, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

The waiver of all points of order against consideration of H.R. 9456 includes:  
—Clause 12 of rule XXI, which prohibits consideration of a bill or joint resolution pursuant to a special order of business reported by the Committee on Rules that has not been reported by a committee.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 9456, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of H.R. 9494, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 9494, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

## COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

### Rules Committee Record Vote No. 265

Motion by Mr. McGovern to amend the rule to make in order amendment #8 to H.R. 1516, offered by Representative Crockett, which provides that Federal Emergency Management Agency funds are not restricted or prohibited for institutions of higher learning under subsection (b). Defeated:  
4–9

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mr. Reschenthaler.....	Nay	Mr. McGovern.....	Yea
Mrs. Fischbach.....	Nay	Ms. Scanlon.....	Yea
Mr. Massie.....	Nay	Mr. Neguse.....	Yea
Mr. Norman.....	Nay	Ms. Leger Fernández.....	Yea
Mr. Roy.....	Nay		
Mrs. Houchin.....	Nay		
Mr. Langworthy.....	Nay		
Mr. Austin Scott.....	Nay		
Mr. Burgess, Chairman.....	Nay		

Rules Committee Record Vote No. 266

Motion by Mr. Langworthy to report the rule. Adopted: 9–4

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mr. Reschenthaler.....	Yea	Mr. McGovern.....	Nay
Mrs. Fischbach.....	Yea	Ms. Scanlon.....	Nay
Mr. Massie.....	Yea	Mr. Neguse.....	Nay
Mr. Norman.....	Yea	Ms. Leger Fernández.....	Nay
Mr. Roy.....	Yea		
Mrs. Houchin.....	Yea		
Mr. Langworthy.....	Yea		
Mr. Austin Scott.....	Yea		
Mr. Burgess, Chairman.....	Yea		

SUMMARY OF THE AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1398 IN PART A MADE IN ORDER

1. Gottheimer (NJ): Amends bill report to include information about public and private sector cooperation. (10 minutes)
2. Gottheimer (NJ): Amends bill report to include information about CCP's financial intelligence capabilities. (10 minutes)
3. Molinaro (NY): Adds to the annual report an assessment on the economic loss to the United States as a result of hacking and trade secret theft by the Chinese Communist Party. (10 minutes)
4. Molinaro (NY): Adds to section 2 a requirement to identify intellectual property theft of small businesses by the Chinese Communist Party. (10 minutes)
5. Donalds (FL): Includes an analysis of national security risks on CCP unmanned aircraft and associated elements in the national airspace system. (10 minutes)
6. Mills (FL): Requires the CCP Initiative to investigate investments made by Chinese companies and subsidiaries listed on the Bureau of Industry and Security's Entity List and the DOD's PRC Military Companies list. (10 minutes)

SUMMARY OF THE AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1425 IN PART B MADE IN ORDER

1. Ogles (TN): Offers a statement of policy in support of Taiwan's full participation at the WHO. (10 minutes)
2. Foxx (NC): Clarifies that no WHO convention, agreement, or treaty should have force or effect in U.S. law before or unless the Senate ratifies said treaty. (10 minutes)
3. Massie (KY): Adds to the findings of Congress an outline of the constitutional role for the legislative and executive branches in the treaty-making process. (10 minutes)

SUMMARY OF THE AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1516 IN PART C MADE IN ORDER

1. Gottheimer (NJ): Adds the Delegitimization of U.S.-Taiwan Relations to List of Qualifications for "Entities of Concern." (10 minutes)
2. Stauber (MN): Amends the definition of "Chinese entities of concern" in Section 2 to include "aides, abets, or enables the detention, imprisonment, persecution, or forced labor of Uyghur Muslims." (10 minutes)
3. Crockett (TX): Adds engaging in efforts to interfere in U.S. federal, state, and local elections to List of Qualifications for "Entities of Concern." (10 minutes)
4. Huizenga (MD): Requires the Secretary of Homeland Security to report to Congress any institution of higher education that has a relationship with a Confucius Institute or Chinese entity of concern and receives funds from the Department of Homeland Security. (10 minutes)

5. Cline (VA): Adds the Chinese Academy of Sciences to the bill's definition of a "Chinese entity of concern." (10 minutes)
6. Nunn (IA): Adds the Thousand Talents Program to the list of restricted, Chinese Entities of Concern. (10 minutes)

SUMMARY OF THE AMENDMENT TO H.R. 9494 IN PART D  
CONSIDERED AS ADOPTED

1. Cole (OK): Extends the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program for the duration of the continuing resolution.

PART A—TEXT OF AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1398 MADE IN ORDER

1. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
GOTTHEIMER OF NEW JERSEY OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE  
FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 4, line 6, strike “and” at the end.

Page 4, line 8, strike the period at the end and insert “; and”.

Page 4, insert after line 8 the following:

(6) the level and effectiveness of coordination and information sharing between Government agencies and private companies about economic espionage threats.



2. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
GOTTHEIMER OF NEW JERSEY OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE  
FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 4, line 4, insert “and the financial intelligence capabilities of” after  
“the status of efforts by”.

3. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
MOLINARO OF NEW YORK OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR  
10 MINUTES

Page 4, line 6, strike “and” at the end.

Page 4, line 8, strike the period at the end and insert “; and”.

Page 4, insert after line 8 the following:

(6) an assessment of the economic loss to the United States as a result of hacking and trade secret theft by the Chinese Communist Party.

4. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
MOLINARO OF NEW YORK OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR  
10 MINUTES

Page 2, line 16, strike “and” at the end.

Page 2, line 20, strike the period at the end and insert “; and”.

Page 2, insert after line 20, the following:

(C) identifying Chinese Communist Party theft of intellectual  
property from small businesses.

5. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE DONALDS OF FLORIDA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 4, line 6, strike “; and” and insert a semicolon.

Page 4, after line 6, insert the following (and redesignate accordingly):

( ) an analysis of the use of unmanned aircraft and associated elements (including communication links and the components that control the unmanned aircraft required for the operator to operate safely and efficiently in the national airspace system) by the CCP; and

6. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE MILLS OF FLORIDA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 2, line 12, strike “and” at the end.

Page 2, line 20, strike the period at the end and insert “; and”.

Page 2, insert after line 20 the following:

(7) investigate investments made by Chinese companies included on the Entity List maintained by the Bureau of Industry and Security of the Department of Commerce or the People’s Republic of China Military Companies list maintained by the Department of Defense, and report to the Secretary of Commerce and the Secretary of Defense on any findings of such investigations, including findings related to subsidiaries or other entities controlled by such companies, whether or not such subsidiaries or other entities are registered in or operate in the People’s Republic of China.

PART B—TEXT OF AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1425 MADE IN ORDER

1. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE OGLES OF TENNESSEE OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES

Redesignate section 4 as section 5 and insert after section 3 the following:

**SEC. 4. STATEMENT OF POLICY.**

It is the policy of the United States to unequivocally support Taiwan's full participation in the World Health Organization.

2. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE FOXX  
OF NORTH CAROLINA OR HER DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10  
MINUTES

Add at the end the following:

**SEC. 5. NO FORCE OR EFFECT TO TREATY PRIOR TO RATIFICATION.**

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any convention, agreement, or other international instrument on pandemic prevention, preparedness, and response deemed to be a treaty by section 4—

(1) shall have no force or effect under the laws of the United States before the date on which such treaty is ratified with the advice and consent of the Senate; and

(2) may not be used, prior to such date, to establish or demonstrate the existence of a violation of United States law or an offense against the law of nations in United States courts, including—

(A) to establish standing, a cause of action, or damages as a matter of law; or

(B) to demonstrate whether an action by a Federal agency is arbitrary or capricious, an abuse of discretion, or otherwise not in accordance with law.

3. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
MASSIE OF KENTUCKY OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10  
MINUTES

Page 6, after line 17, insert the following:

(12) Article II, Section 2 of the United States Constitution provides that the President “shall have Power, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Senate, to make Treaties, provided two-thirds of the Senators present concur”.

(13) Alexander Hamilton writes in Federalist Paper #75 regarding the Treaty Making Powers of the Executive that “Its objects are CONTRACTS with foreign nations, which have the force of law, but derive it from the obligations of good faith. They are not rules prescribed by the sovereign to the subject, but agreements between sovereign and sovereign. The power in question seems therefore to form a distinct department, and to belong, properly, neither to the legislative nor to the Executive. The qualities elsewhere detailed as indispensable in the management of foreign negotiations, point out the Executive as the most fit agent in those transactions; while the vast importance of the trust, and the operation of treaties as laws, plead strongly for the participation of the whole or a portion of the legislative body in the office of making them”.

(14) If any provisions of a treaty are to have legal bearing on United States citizens those provisions must pass both the United States House of Representatives and the Senate and be presented to the President, as all Federal laws must.

(15) The United States Constitution establishes a clear framework for making treaties by the Executive and with the advice and consent of the Senate. This process is indispensable for the Founders’ vision of constitutional government.

(16) The United States House of Representatives does not vote for, ratify, affirm, or consent to treaties.



PART C—TEXT OF AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1516 MADE IN ORDER

1. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
GOTTHEIMER OF NEW JERSEY OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE  
FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 2, line 3, strike “or”.

Page 2, line 7, strike the period and insert “; or”.

Page 2, beginning line 8, insert the following:

(F) purposefully undermines the United States’ relationship  
with Taiwan.

2. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
STAUBER OF MINNESOTA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR  
10 MINUTES

Page 2, line 3, strike “or”.

Page 2, line 7, strike the period and insert “; or”.

Page 2, beginning line 8, insert the following:

(F) aids, abets, or enables the detention, imprisonment,  
persecution, or forced labor of Uyghur Muslims in the People’s  
Republic of China.

3. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
CROCKETT OF TEXAS OR HER DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10  
MINUTES

Page 2, line 3, strike “or”.

Page 2, line 7, strike the period and insert “; or”.

Page 2, beginning line 8, insert the following:

(F) willfully and knowingly engages in malicious activities, including online disinformation campaigns and propaganda, for the purpose of interfering with United States Federal, State, or local elections.

4. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE  
HUIZENGA OF MICHIGAN OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR  
10 MINUTES

Add at the end of section 2 the following:

(c) REPORT.—The Secretary of Homeland Security shall submit to the Committee on Homeland Security of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate a report containing information regarding any institution of higher education that has a relationship with a Confucius Institute or Chinese entity of concern and receives funds from the Department of Homeland Security.

5. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE CLINE  
OF VIRGINIA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES

Page 2, line 3, strike “or”.

Page 2, line 7, strike the period and insert “; or”.

Page 2, beginning line 8, insert the following:

(F) is affiliated with the Chinese Academy of Sciences.

6. AN AMENDMENT TO BE OFFERED BY REPRESENTATIVE NUNN  
OF IOWA OR HIS DESIGNEE, DEBATABLE FOR 10 MINUTES

In section 2(a), add at the end the following:

(5) THOUSAND TALENTS PROGRAM.—The term “Thousand Talents Program” means any technological or educational program funded or administered by the Chinese Communist Party’s Ministry of Industry and Information Technology.

In section 2(b), insert “, Thousand Talents Program,” after “Confucius Institute” each place such term appears.

PART D—TEXT OF AMENDMENT TO H.R. 9494 CONSIDERED AS  
ADOPTED

Page 23, after line 5, insert the following new section:

SEC. \_\_\_\_\_. Activities authorized by part A of title IV (other than under section 403(c) or 418) and section 1108(b) of the Social Security Act shall continue through the date specified in section 106(3), in the manner authorized for fiscal year 2024, and out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated such sums as may be necessary for such purpose.