

To reauthorize the United States Anti-Doping Agency, and for other purposes.

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Mr. THOMPSON of California (for himself, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, and Ms. DEGETTE) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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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,*

4 This Act may be cited as the “United States Anti-
5 Doping Agency Reauthorization Act of 2021”.

7 Congress makes the following findings:

(1) The United States Anti-Doping Agency—
(A) is the independent national anti-doping
organization of the United States; and

1 (B) manages the anti-doping program, re-
2 sults management processes, drug reference re-
3 sources, and athlete education for all United
4 States Olympic Committee-recognized national
5 governing bodies and the athletes and events of
6 such national governing bodies.

7 (2) The United States Anti-Doping Agency con-
8 tributes to the advancement of clean sport through
9 scientific research, anti-doping education, and out-
10 reach programs, and the mission of the United
11 States Anti-Doping Agency is to preserve the integ-
12 rity of competition and protect the rights of athletes.

13 (3) Participation in youth sports has the poten-
14 tial to equip young athletes with important skills
15 and values necessary for success in life, and it is es-
16 sential that the culture of youth sports emphasizes
17 such skills and values.

18 (4) The TrueSport program of the United
19 States Anti-Doping Agency partners with youth
20 sport organizations across the United States to pro-
21 mote sportsmanship, character building, and healthy
22 performance through the use of targeted educational
23 materials designed to promote a positive youth sport
24 experience.

1 (5) In modifying the authority of the United
2 States Anti-Doping Agency to include the promotion
3 of the positive values of youth sport, Congress sends
4 a strong signal that the goals of youth sport should
5 include instilling in young athletes the values of in-
6 tegrity, respect, teamwork, courage, and responsi-
7 bility.

8 (6) Due to the unique leadership position of the
9 United States in the global community, adequate
10 funding of the anti-doping and clean sport programs
11 of the United States Anti-Doping Agency is impera-
12 tive to the preparation for the 2028 Summer Olym-
13 pic Games, which will be held in Los Angeles, Cali-
14 fornia.

15 (7) Increased appropriations for fiscal years
16 2022 through 2030 would enable the United States
17 Anti-Doping Agency to directly affect the integrity
18 and well-being of sport, both domestically and inter-
19 nationally.

20 **SEC. 3. MODIFICATIONS OF AUTHORITY.**

21 Section 701 of the Office of National Drug Control
22 Policy Reauthorization Act of 2006 (21 U.S.C. 2001) is
23 amended—

24 (1) in subsection (b)—

1 (A) by amending paragraph (1) to read as
2 follows:

3 “(1)(A) serve as the independent anti-doping
4 organization for the amateur athletic competitions
5 recognized by the United States Olympic and
6 Paralympic Committee;

7 “(B) be responsible for certifying in advance
8 any testing conducted by international organizations
9 under the World Anti-Doping Code for international
10 amateur athletes and athletic competitions occurring
11 within the jurisdiction of the United States; and

12 “(C) be recognized worldwide as the inde-
13 pendent national anti-doping organization for the
14 United States;”;

15 (B) in paragraph (4), by striking the pe-
16 riod at the end and inserting “; and”; and

17 (C) by adding at the end the following:

18 “(5) promote a positive youth sport experience
19 by using a portion of the funding of the United
20 States Anti-Doping Agency to provide educational
21 materials on sportsmanship, character building, and
22 healthy performance for the athletes, parents, and
23 coaches who participate in youth sports.”; and

24 (2) by adding at the end the following:

1 “(c) DUE PROCESS IN ARBITRATION PRO-
 2 CEEDINGS.—Any action taken by the United States Anti-
 3 Doping Agency to enforce a policy, procedure, or require-
 4 ment of the United States Anti-Doping Agency against a
 5 person with respect to a violation of Federal law, including
 6 an investigation, a disciplinary action, a sanction, or any
 7 other administrative action, shall be carried out in a man-
 8 ner that provides due process protection to the person.”.

9 **SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

10 Section 703 of the Office of National Drug Control
 11 Policy Reauthorization Act of 2006 (21 U.S.C. 2003) is
 12 amended to read as follows:

13 **“SEC. 703. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

14 “There are authorized to be appropriated to the
 15 United States Anti-Doping Agency—

16 “(1) for fiscal year 2022, \$15,500,000;

17 “(2) for fiscal year 2023, \$16,200,000;

18 “(3) for fiscal year 2024, \$16,900,000;

19 “(4) for fiscal year 2025, \$17,700,000;

20 “(5) for fiscal year 2026, \$18,500,000;

21 “(6) for fiscal year 2027, \$19,800,000;

22 “(7) for fiscal year 2028, \$22,100,000;

23 “(8) for fiscal year 2029, \$24,900,000; and

24 “(9) for fiscal year 2030, \$23,700,000.”.

1 **SEC. 5. INFORMATION SHARING.**

2 Except as otherwise prohibited by law and except in
3 cases in which the integrity of a criminal investigation
4 would be affected, pursuant to the obligation of the United
5 States under Article 7 of the United Nations Educational,
6 Scientific, and Cultural Organization International Con-
7 vention Against Doping in Sport done at Paris October
8 19, 2005, and ratified by the United States in 2008, the
9 Attorney General, the Secretary of Homeland Security,
10 and the Commissioner of Food and Drugs shall provide
11 to the United States Anti-Doping Agency any relevant in-
12 formation relating to the prevention of the use of perform-
13 ance-enhancing drugs or the prohibition of performance-
14 enhancing methods.

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