117TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. R. 6994

To prohibit United States Government recognition of the Russian Federation's claim of sovereignty over any part of Ukraine (to include Crimea), its airspace, or its territorial waters, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 8, 2022

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} Mr. \end{tabular} \begin{tabular}{ll} PERRY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs \\ \end{tabular}$

A BILL

- To prohibit United States Government recognition of the Russian Federation's claim of sovereignty over any part of Ukraine (to include Crimea), its airspace, or its territorial waters, and 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,
 - 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
 - 4 This Act may be cited as the "Ukraine Sovereignty
 - 5 Act".

| 1 | SEC. 2. PROHIBITION AGAINST UNITED STATES RECOGNI- |
|----|---|
| 2 | TION OF THE RUSSIAN FEDERATION'S CLAIM |
| 3 | OF SOVEREIGNTY. |
| 4 | (a) Statement of Policy.—It is the policy of the |
| 5 | United States not to recognize the Russian Federation's |
| 6 | claim of sovereignty over any part of Ukraine (to include |
| 7 | Crimea), its airspace, or its territorial waters. |
| 8 | (b) Prohibition.—In accordance with subsection |
| 9 | (a), no Federal department or agency may take any action |
| 10 | or extend any assistance that implies recognition of— |
| 11 | (1) the Russian Federation's claim of sov- |
| 12 | ereignty over any part of Ukraine (to include Cri- |
| 13 | mea), its airspace, or its territorial waters; and |
| 14 | (2) the claims of sovereignty of the "Donetsk |
| 15 | People's Republic", the "Luhansk People's Repub- |
| 16 | lic", or any other closely related successor entities. |

 \bigcirc