117TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 3011

To modify the definition of a communist Chinese military company for purposes of the imposition of certain sanctions, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 7, 2021

Mr. Banks (for himself, Mr. Steube, and Mr. Wilson of South Carolina) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Holding Chinese Mili-
- 5 tary Companies Accountable Act".

1	SEC. 2. MODIFICATIONS TO APPLICATIONS OF IEEPA AU-
2	THORITIES TO COMMUNIST CHINESE MILI-
3	TARY COMPANIES.
4	Section 1237(b)(4)(B) of the Strom Thurmond Na-
5	tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1999 (50
6	U.S.C. 1701 note) is amended—
7	(1) by striking clause (ii);
8	(2) in the matter preceding clause (i), by strik-
9	ing "that—" and inserting "that is engaged in pro-
10	viding commercial services, manufacturing, pro-
11	ducing, or exporting and—";
12	(3) in clause (i), by striking "; and" and insert-
13	ing "; or"; and
14	(4) by adding at the end the following new
15	clause:
16	"(ii)(I) is owned or controlled by, or
17	affiliated with, the Chinese Communist
18	Party or any person who has ever been a
19	delegate of a National People's Congress of
20	the Chinese Communist Party; and
21	"(II) is engaged in significant invest-
22	ment in the sectors of fifth-generation
23	wireless communications, artificial intel-
24	ligence, advanced computing, 'big data'
25	analytics, autonomy, robotics, directed en-
26	erey, hypersonics, or biotechnology.".

1 SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF AUTHORITY.

- 2 Notwithstanding section 1061(i)(6) of the National
- 3 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017 (10
- 4 U.S.C. 111 note), the submission required by subsection
- 5 (b) of section 1237 of the Strom Thurmond National De-
- 6 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1999—
- 7 (1) shall not terminate on December 31, 2021;
- 8 and
- 9 (2) shall continue in effect until December 31,
- 10 2026.

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