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To amend the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 to modify the criteria for determining whether countries are meeting the minimum standards for the elimination of human trafficking, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. CORKER (for himself, _____) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on _____

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 “Trafficking Victims
5 Protection Reauthorization Act of 2017”.

1 **SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.**

2 Section 103 of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act
3 of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7102) is amended—

4 (1) by redesignating paragraphs (5) through
5 (15) as paragraphs (7) through (17), respectively;
6 and

7 (2) by inserting after paragraph (4) the fol-
8 lowing:

9 “(5) CONCRETE ACTIONS.—The term ‘concrete
10 actions’ means actions that demonstrate increased
11 efforts by the government of a country to meet the
12 minimum standards for the elimination of traf-
13 ficking, including any of the following:

14 “(A) Enforcement actions taken.

15 “(B) Investigations actively underway.

16 “(C) Prosecutions conducted.

17 “(D) Convictions attained.

18 “(E) Training provided.

19 “(F) Programs and partnerships actively
20 underway.

21 “(G) Efforts to prevent severe forms of
22 trafficking, including programs to reduce the
23 vulnerability of particularly vulnerable popu-
24 lations, involving survivors of trafficking in
25 community engagement and policy making, en-

1 gagement with foreign migrants, ending recruit-
2 ment fees, and other such measures.

3 “(H) Victim services offered, including im-
4 migration services and restitution.

5 “(I) The amount of money the government
6 has committed to the actions described in sub-
7 paragraphs (A) through (H).

8 “(6) CREDIBLE EVIDENCE.—The term ‘credible
9 evidence’ includes all of the following:

10 “(A) Reports by the Department of State.

11 “(B) Reports of other Federal agencies, in-
12 cluding the Department of Labor’s *List of*
13 *Goods Produced by Child Labor or Forced Labor*
14 and *List of Products Produced by Forced Labor*
15 *or Indentured Child Labor*.

16 “(C) Documentation provided by a foreign
17 country, including—

18 “(i) copies of relevant laws, regula-
19 tions, and policies adopted or modified;
20 and

21 “(ii) an official record of enforcement
22 actions taken, judicial proceedings, train-
23 ing conducted, consultations conducted,
24 programs and partnerships launched, and
25 services provided.

1 “(D) Materials developed by civil society
2 organizations.

3 “(E) Information from survivors of human
4 trafficking, vulnerable persons, and whistle-
5 blowers.

6 “(F) All relevant media and academic re-
7 ports that, in light of reason and common
8 sense, are worthy of belief.

9 “(G) Information developed by multilateral
10 institutions.

11 “(H) An assessment of the impact of the
12 actions described in subparagraphs (A) through
13 (I) of paragraph (5) on the prevalence of
14 human trafficking in the country.”.

15 **SEC. 3. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING PRIVATE SECTOR**
16 **SUPPORT TO STRENGTHEN LAW ENFORCE-**
17 **MENT AGENCIES.**

18 The President should work with the private sector to
19 explore, develop, and use technology that strengthens Fed-
20 eral law enforcement capabilities to combat traffickers and
21 criminal networks.

22 **SEC. 4. PROHIBITION ON PLACEMENT OR RECRUITMENT**
23 **FEES.**

24 Section 106(g) of the Trafficking Victims Protection
25 Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7104(g) is amended—

1 (1) by redesignating clauses (i) through (iv) as
2 paragraphs (1) through (4), respectively, and moving
3 such paragraphs 4 ems to the left; and

4 (2) in paragraph (4), as redesignated—

5 (A) by redesignating subclauses (I)
6 through (V) as subparagraphs (A) through (E),
7 respectively, and moving such subparagraphs 4
8 ems to the left;

9 (B) in subparagraph (B), as redesignated,
10 by redesignating items (aa) and (bb) as clauses
11 (i) and (ii), respectively, and moving such
12 clauses 4 ems to the left; and

13 (C) in subparagraph (D), as redesignated,
14 by striking “unreasonable placement or recruit-
15 ment fees” and all that follows through the pe-
16 riod at the end and inserting “placement or re-
17 cruitment fees.”.

18 **SEC. 5. MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR THE ELIMINATION OF**

19 **TRAFFICKING.**

20 Section 108(b) of the Trafficking Victims Protection
21 Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7106(b)) is amended—

22 (1) in paragraph (1)—

23 (A) by inserting “and without bias” after
24 “vigorously”; and

1 (B) by striking “if the government” and
2 inserting the following: “if—

3 “(A) the government”;

4 (C) by striking “such acts and the Sec-
5 retary” and inserting the following: “such acts;

6 “(B) the Secretary”; and

7 (D) by striking “such data.” and inserting
8 the following: “such data; and

9 “(C) the Secretary has included a descrip-
10 tion of such data and a description of such good
11 faith efforts to collect such data in the annual
12 Trafficking in Persons Report.”; and

13 (2) in paragraph (7)—

14 (A) by inserting “and without bias” after
15 “vigorously”;

16 (B) by inserting “or enable” after “con-
17 done”; and

18 (C) by striking “if the government” and
19 inserting the following: “if—

20 “(A) the government”;

21 (D) by striking “such acts and the Sec-
22 retary” and inserting the following: “such acts;

23 “(B) the Secretary”; and

24 (E) by striking “such data.” and inserting
25 the following: “such data; and

1 “(C) the Secretary has included a descrip-
2 tion of such data in the annual Trafficking in
3 Persons Report.”.

4 **SEC. 6. ACTIONS AGAINST GOVERNMENTS FAILING TO**
5 **MEET MINIMUM STANDARDS.**

6 Section 110(b) of the Trafficking Victims Protection
7 Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7107) is amended—

8 (1) in paragraph (1)—

9 (A) by striking “The report should” and
10 inserting “The report shall, to the extent con-
11 current reporting data is available, cover efforts
12 and activities taking place during the period be-
13 tween April 1 of the year preceding the report
14 and March 31 of the year in which the report
15 is made, and should”;

16 (B) in subparagraph (A), by inserting
17 “based only on concrete actions taken by the
18 country that are recorded during the reporting
19 period” after “such standards”;

20 (C) in subparagraph (B) by inserting
21 “based only on concrete actions taken by the
22 country (excluding any commitments by the
23 country to take additional future steps during
24 the next year) that are recorded during the re-
25 porting period” after “compliance”;

1 (D) by amending subparagraph (C) to read
2 as follows:

3 “(C) a list of those countries, if any, to
4 which the minimum standards for the elimi-
5 nation of trafficking are applicable, and whose
6 governments—

7 “(i) do not fully comply with such
8 standards and are not making significant
9 efforts to bring themselves into compliance;

10 “(ii) tolerate trafficking in govern-
11 ment-funded programs; or

12 “(iii) have a government-supported
13 practice of—

14 “(I) trafficking;

15 “(II) facilitating the use of
16 forced labor (such as in agriculture,
17 forestry, mining, or construction);

18 “(III) permitting sexual slavery
19 in government camps, compounds, or
20 outposts; or

21 “(IV) employing child soldiers;”.

22 (E) in subparagraph (F), by striking
23 “and” at the end;

24 (F) in subparagraph (G), by striking the
25 period at the end and inserting “; and”; and

1 (G) by adding at the end the following:

2 “(H) for each country included in a dif-
3 ferent list than the country had been placed in
4 the previous annual report, a detailed expla-
5 nation of how the concrete actions (or lack of
6 such actions) undertaken (or not undertaken)
7 by the country during the previous reporting
8 period contributed to such change, including a
9 clear linkage between such actions and the min-
10 imum standards enumerated in section 108.”;

11 (2) in paragraph (2)—

12 (A) in subparagraph (A)(iii)—

13 (i) in subclause (I), by adding “or” at
14 the end;

15 (ii) in subclause (II), by striking “;
16 or” and inserting a period; and

17 (iii) by striking subclause (III);

18 (B) in subparagraph (B), by striking “the
19 last annual report” and inserting “April 1 of
20 the previous year”;

21 (C) in subparagraph (D)—

22 (i) in clause (i), by striking “2008,”
23 and all that follows and inserting—

24 “2008—

1 “(I) shall be included on the list
2 of countries described in paragraph
3 (1)(C); and

4 “(II) shall be required to meet
5 the requirements specified in para-
6 graph (1)(B) before the country may
7 be removed from the list of countries
8 described in paragraph (1)(C).”; and

9 (ii) in clause (ii), by striking “2
10 years” and inserting “1 year”; and

11 (D) in subparagraph (E)—

12 (i) in the subparagraph heading, by
13 striking “PUBLIC” and inserting “CON-
14 GRESSIONAL”; and

15 (ii) by striking “shall provide” and all
16 that follows and inserting the following:
17 “shall—

18 “(i) provide a detailed description of
19 the credible evidence supporting such de-
20 termination on a publicly available website
21 maintained by the Department of State;
22 and

23 “(ii) offer to brief the Committee on
24 Foreign Relations of the Senate and the
25 Committee on Foreign Affairs of the

1 House of Representatives on any written
2 plan submitted by the country under sub-
3 paragraph (D)(ii)(I), with an opportunity
4 to review the written plan.”;

5 (3) in paragraph (3)—

6 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
7 “and” at the end;

8 (B) in subparagraph (C), by striking the
9 semicolon at the end and inserting a period;
10 and

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

12 “(D) the extent to which the government
13 of the country is devoting sufficient budgetary
14 resources—

15 “(i) to investigate and prosecute acts
16 of severe trafficking in persons;

17 “(ii) to convict and sentence persons
18 responsible for such acts; and

19 “(iii) to obtain restitution for victims
20 of human trafficking;

21 “(E) the extent to which the government
22 of the country is devoting sufficient budgetary
23 resources—

24 “(i) to protect and rehabilitate victims
25 of trafficking in persons; and

1 “(ii) to prevent severe forms of traf-
2 ficking in persons; and

3 “(F) the extent to which the government of
4 the country has consulted with domestic and
5 international civil society organizations to im-
6 prove the provision of services to victims of
7 trafficking in persons.”; and

8 (4) by adding at the end the following:

9 “(4) ACTION PLANS FOR COUNTRIES UPGRADED
10 TO TIER 2 WATCHLIST.—

11 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90
12 days after the release of the annual Trafficking
13 in Persons Report, the Ambassador-at-Large of
14 the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking
15 and the Assistant Secretary of the appropriate
16 regional bureau, in consultation with appro-
17 priate officials from the government of each
18 country described in paragraph (2)(A)(ii),
19 shall—

20 “(i) prepare an action plan for each
21 country upgraded from Tier 3 to Tier 2
22 Watchlist to further improve such coun-
23 try’s tier ranking under this subsection;
24 and

1 “(ii) present the relevant action plan
2 to the government of each such country.

3 “(B) COORDINATION.—The United States
4 Ambassador or Charge d’Affaires of the country
5 for which an action plan is being prepared, in
6 consultation with the Ambassador-at-Large of
7 the Office to Monitor and Combat Trafficking
8 in Persons, shall be responsible for coordinating
9 all necessary diplomatic engagement to prepare
10 such plan.

11 “(C) CONTENTS.—Each action plan pre-
12 pared under this paragraph—

13 “(i) shall include specific concrete ac-
14 tions to be taken by the country to sub-
15 stantively address deficiencies preventing
16 the country from meeting Tier 2 stand-
17 ards, based on credible evidence; and

18 “(ii) should be focused on short-term
19 and multiyear goals.

20 “(D) BRIEFINGS.—The Ambassador-at-
21 Large of the Office to Monitor and Combat
22 Trafficking and all appropriate regional Assist-
23 ant Secretaries shall make themselves available
24 to brief the Committee on Foreign Relations of
25 the Senate, the Committee on Appropriations of

1 the Senate, the Committee on Foreign Affairs
2 of the House of Representatives, and the Com-
3 mittee on Appropriations of the House of Rep-
4 resentatives on the implementation of each ac-
5 tion plan prepared under this paragraph.

6 “(E) SAVINGS PROVISION.—Nothing in
7 this paragraph may be construed as modi-
8 fying—

9 “(i) minimum standards for the elimi-
10 nation of trafficking under section 108; or

11 “(ii) the actions against governments
12 failing to meet minimum standards under
13 this section or the criteria for placement
14 on the Special Watch List under para-
15 graph (2).”.

16 **SEC. 7. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

17 Section 113 of the Trafficking Victims Prevention
18 Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7110) is amended—

19 (1) by striking subsection (a) and inserting the
20 following:

21 “(a) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS IN SUP-
22 PORT OF THE TASK FORCE.—There are authorized to be
23 appropriated to the Department of State, for each of the
24 fiscal years 2018 through 2023, \$12,500,000 for Diplo-
25 matic and Consular Programs of the Office to Monitor and

1 Combat Trafficking in Persons, which shall be used to
2 carry out sections 105(e), 105(f), and 110, including for
3 additional personnel.”;

4 (2) by striking subsection (c) and inserting the
5 following:

6 “(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
7 DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—

8 “(1) ASSISTANCE TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING.—

9 There are authorized to be appropriated to the De-
10 partment of State, for each of the fiscal years 2018
11 through 2023, \$64,800,000, which shall be used—

12 “(A) to carry out sections 106 and 107(a);

13 “(B) to carry out section 134 of the For-
14 eign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2152d);

15 “(C) to assist countries in meeting the
16 minimum standards described in section 108;
17 and

18 “(D) for programs and activities on pre-
19 vention, protection, and prosecution to combat
20 all forms of trafficking in persons internation-
21 ally, including training activities for law en-
22 forcement officers, prosecutors, and members of
23 the judiciary with respect to trafficking in per-
24 sons at the International Law Enforcement
25 Academies.

1 “(2) END MODERN SLAVERY INITIATIVE.—

2 “(A) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized
3 to be appropriated to the Department of State,
4 for each of the fiscal years 2021 through 2023,
5 \$37,500,000, which shall be used to reduce the
6 prevalence of modern slavery globally.

7 “(B) USE OF FUNDS.—The Secretary of
8 State may obligate amounts appropriated pur-
9 suant to subparagraph (A), on an incremental
10 basis—

11 “(i) to carry out the grant program
12 authorized under section 1298(b) of the
13 National Defense Authorization Act for
14 Fiscal Year 2017 (22 U.S.C. 7114 note);
15 and

16 “(ii) to ensure the effective and effi-
17 cient implementation of program activi-
18 ties.”;

19 (3) by striking subsection (e); and

20 (4) by redesignating subsections (f), (g), (h),
21 and (i) as subsections (e), (f), (g), and (h), respec-
22 tively.

1 **SEC. 8. REQUIREMENTS FOR STRATEGIES TO PREVENT**
2 **TRAFFICKING.**

3 (a) REPORT ON NEW PRACTICES TO COMBAT TRAF-
4 FICKING.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days
6 after the date of the enactment of this Act, and an-
7 nually thereafter for 7 years, the Secretary of State,
8 in consultation with the Administrator of the United
9 States Agency for International Development, shall
10 submit a report to the Committee on Foreign Rela-
11 tions of the Senate and the Committee on Foreign
12 Affairs of the House of Representatives that—

13 (A) describes any practices adopted by the
14 Department or the Agency—

15 (i) to better combat trafficking in per-
16 sons, in accordance with the results of the
17 study conducted under section 101(b) of
18 the Trafficking Victims Protection Reau-
19 thorization Act of 2005 (Public Law 109–
20 164); and

21 (ii) to reduce the risk of trafficking in
22 post-conflict or post-disaster areas; or

23 (B) includes a strategy to reduce the risk
24 of trafficking in the areas referred to in sub-
25 paragraph (A)(ii), if none of the practices re-

1 ferred to in subparagraph (A) have been adopt-
2 ed.

3 (2) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—Each report sub-
4 mitted under paragraph (1) shall be posted on a
5 publicly available website of the Department of
6 State.

7 (b) CHILD PROTECTION STRATEGIES IN WATCH
8 LIST COUNTRIES.—The Administrator of the United
9 States Agency for International Development shall incor-
10 porate into the relevant country development cooperation
11 strategy for each country on the special watch list de-
12 scribed in paragraph (2)(A) of section 110(b) of the Traf-
13 ficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C.
14 7107(b)) or on the list described in paragraph (1)(C) of
15 such section, strategies for the protection of children and
16 the reduction of the risk of trafficking.

17 **SEC. 9. CHILD SOLDIER PREVENTION.**

18 (a) SHORT TITLE.—This section may be cited as the
19 “Child Soldier Prevention Act of 2017”.

20 (b) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

21 (1) The recruitment or use of children in armed
22 conflict is unacceptable for any government or gov-
23 ernment-supported entity receiving United States as-
24 sistance.

1 (2) The recruitment or use of children in armed
2 conflict, including direct combat, support roles, and
3 sexual slavery, occurred during 2015 and 2016 in
4 Afghanistan, South Sudan, Sudan, Burma, the
5 Democratic Republic of the Congo, Iraq, Nigeria,
6 Rwanda, Somalia, Syria, and Yemen.

7 (3) Entities of the Government of Afghanistan,
8 particularly the Afghan Local Police and the Afghan
9 National Police, continue to recruit children to serve
10 as combatants or as servants, including as sex
11 slaves.

12 (4) Police forces of the Government of Afghani-
13 stan participate in counterterrorism operations, di-
14 rect and indirect combat, and security operations,
15 fight alongside regular armies, and are targeted for
16 violence by the Taliban and by other opposition
17 groups.

18 (5) In February 2016, a 10-year-old boy was
19 assassinated by the Taliban after he had been pub-
20 lically honored by Afghan local police forces for his
21 assistance in combat operations against the Taliban.

22 (6) The recruitment and use of children in
23 armed conflict by government forces continued dur-
24 ing 2016 in South Sudan with the return to hos-
25 tilities.

1 (7) At least 650 children have been recruited
2 and used in armed conflict in South Sudan during
3 2016, and at least 16,000 children have been re-
4 cruited since that country’s civil war began in 2013.

5 (c) AMENDMENTS TO THE CHILD SOLDIERS PRE-
6 VENTION ACT OF 2008.—

7 (1) DEFINITIONS.—Section 402 of the Child
8 Soldiers Prevention Act of 2008 (22 U.S.C. 2370c)
9 is amended—

10 (A) in paragraph (2)—

11 (i) in subparagraph (A), by inserting
12 “, police, or other security forces” after
13 “governmental armed forces” each place
14 such phrase appears; and

15 (ii) in subparagraph (B), by striking
16 “clauses” and inserting “clause”; and

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

18 “(3) NONLETHAL SUPPLIES.—The term ‘non-
19 lethal supplies’ means property, other than real
20 property, of the Department of Defense that is not
21 a weapon, ammunition, or other equipment or mate-
22 rial that is designed to inflict serious bodily harm or
23 death.”.

24 (2) PROHIBITION.—Section 404 of such Act
25 (22 U.S.C. 2370c–1) is amended—

21

1 (A) in subsection (a)—

2 (i) by inserting “, police, other secu-
3 rity forces,” after “governmental armed
4 forces”; and

5 (ii) by striking “recruit and use child
6 soldiers” and inserting “recruit or use
7 child soldiers”;

8 (B) in subsection (b), by amending para-
9 graph (2) to read as follows:

10 “(2) NOTIFICATION.—

11 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 45
12 days after the submission of each report re-
13 quired under section 110(b) of the Trafficking
14 Victims Protection Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C.
15 7107(b)), the Secretary of State shall formally
16 notify each government included in the list re-
17 quired under paragraph (1) of its inclusion on
18 such list.

19 “(B) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION.—As
20 soon as practicable after making all of the noti-
21 fications required under subparagraph (A) with
22 respect to a report, the Secretary of State shall
23 notify the appropriate congressional committees
24 that the requirements under subparagraph (A)
25 have been completed.”; and

1 (C) in subsection (e)(1), in the matter pre-
2 ceding subparagraph (A), by striking “to a
3 country” and all that follows through “sub-
4 section (a)” and inserting “under section 541
5 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22
6 U.S.C. 2347) through the Defense Institute for
7 International Legal Studies or the Center for
8 Civil-Military Relations at the Naval Post-Grad-
9 uate School, and may provide nonlethal supplies
10 to a country subject to the prohibition under
11 subsection (a)”.

12 (3) REPORTS.—Section 405 of such Act (22
13 U.S.C. 2370c-2) is amended—

14 (A) in subsection (c)—

15 (i) in the matter preceding paragraph

16 (1)—

17 (I) by striking “, during any of
18 the 5 years following the date of the
19 enactment of this Act,”; and

20 (II) by striking “wavier” and in-
21 serting “waiver”;

22 (ii) by redesignating paragraphs (2),
23 (3), and (4) as paragraphs (3), (4), and
24 (5), respectively;

1 (iii) by inserting after paragraph (1)
2 the following:

3 “(2) a description and the amount of any as-
4 sistance withheld under this title pursuant to the ap-
5 plication of the prohibition under section 404(a) to
6 those countries;”; and

7 (iv) in paragraph (5), as redesignated,
8 by inserting “and the amount” after “a de-
9 scription”; and

10 (B) by adding at the end the following:

11 “(d) INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN ANNUAL
12 TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS REPORT.—If a country is noti-
13 fied pursuant to section 404(b)(2), or if a waiver is grant-
14 ed pursuant to section 404(c)(1), the Secretary of State
15 shall include, in each report required under section 110(b)
16 of the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000 (22
17 U.S.C. 7107(b)), the information required to be included
18 in the annual report under subsection (c).”.

19 **SEC. 10. UNITED STATES SUPPORT FOR INTEGRATION OF**
20 **ANTI-TRAFFICKING INTERVENTIONS IN MUL-**
21 **TILATERAL DEVELOPMENT BANKS.**

22 (a) REQUIREMENTS.—The Secretary of the Treasury,
23 in consultation with the Department of State’s Amba-
24 sador at Large for Monitoring and Combating Trafficking
25 in Persons, shall instruct the United States Executive Di-

1 rector of each multilateral development bank to initiate
2 discussions with the other executive directors and manage-
3 ment of the respective multilateral development bank to—

4 (1) further develop anti-human trafficking pro-
5 visions in relevant project development, safeguards,
6 procurement, and evaluation policies;

7 (2) employing a risk-based approach, require
8 human trafficking risk assessments and integration
9 plans as a routine part of developing projects
10 through existing, forthcoming or new mechanisms
11 and processes;

12 (3) support analyses of the impact of severe
13 forms of trafficking in persons on key indicators of
14 economic and social development and of the benefits
15 of reducing human trafficking on economic and so-
16 cial development;

17 (4) support the proactive integration of effective
18 anti-trafficking interventions into projects with the
19 objectives of enhancing development outcomes and
20 reducing the incidence of severe forms of trafficking
21 in project areas;

22 (5) increase the capacity of multilateral devel-
23 opment banks and of recipient governments to con-
24 duct human trafficking risk assessments and inte-
25 grate anti-trafficking interventions into projects;

1 (6) support the development of meaningful risk
2 mitigation and reduction policies, regulations, and
3 strategies within the multilateral development banks
4 to reduce the incidence and prevalence of severe
5 forms of trafficking in persons and enhance develop-
6 ment outcomes that may be improved by reducing
7 the incidence and prevalence of human trafficking;
8 and

9 (7) support the inclusion of human trafficking
10 risk analysis in the development of relevant country
11 strategies by each multilateral development bank.

12 (b) BRIEFINGS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall
13 make relevant officials available to brief the Committee
14 on Foreign Relations and the Committee on Appropria-
15 tions of the Senate and the Committee on Foreign Affairs
16 and the Committee on Appropriations of the House of
17 Representatives on the implementation of this section.