Suspend the Rules and Pass the Bill, H.R. 5932, with Amendments

(The amendments strike all after the enacting clause and insert a new text and a new title)

^{116TH CONGRESS} 2D SESSION H.R. 5932

To ensure greater transparency about the terms and conditions of financing provided by China to member states of the international financial institutions.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 21, 2020

Mr. HILL of Arkansas introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

A BILL

- To ensure greater transparency about the terms and conditions of financing provided by China to member states of the international financial institutions.
 - 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 "Ensuring Chinese Debt
- 5 Transparency Act of 2020".

1 SEC. 2. ENSURING CHINESE DEBT TRANSPARENCY.

2 (a) UNITED STATES POLICY AT THE INTERNATIONAL 3 FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall instruct the United States Executive Director at 4 5 each international financial institution (as defined in section 1701(c)(2) of the International Financial Institutions 6 7 Act) that it is the policy of the United States to use the 8 voice and vote of the United States at the respective insti-9 tution to seek to secure greater transparency with respect to the terms and conditions of financing provided by the 10 11 government of the People's Republic of China to any member state of the respective institution that is a recipient 12 13 of financing from the institution, consistent with the rules and principles of the Paris Club. 14

(b) REPORT REQUIRED.—The Chairman of the National Advisory Council on International Monetary and Financial Policies shall include in the annual report required
by section 1701 of the International Financial Institutions
Act—

20 (1) a description of progress made toward ad21 vancing the policy described in subsection (a) of this
22 section; and

(2) a discussion of financing provided by entities owned or controlled by the government of the
People's Republic of China to the member states of
international financial institutions that receive fi-

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1	nancing from the international financial institutions,
2	including any efforts or recommendations by the
3	Chairman to seek greater transparency with respect
4	to the former financing.
5	(c) SUNSET.—Subsections (a) and (b) of this section
6	shall have no force or effect after the earlier of—
7	(1) the date that is 7 years after the date of the
8	enactment of this Act; or
9	(2) 30 days after the date that the Secretary
10	reports to the Committee on Financial Services of
11	the House of Representatives and the Committee on
12	Foreign Relations of the Senate that the People's
13	Republic of China is in substantial compliance with
14	the rules and principles of the Paris Club.

Amend the title so as to read: "A bill to ensure greater transparency regarding the terms and conditions of financing provided by the People's Republic of China to member states of the international financial institutions.".