

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 1934
OFFERED BY MR. McCAUL OF TEXAS

Amend section 3 to read as follows:

1 **SEC. 3. ENHANCING REPRESENTATION AND LEADERSHIP**
2 **OF THE UNITED STATES AT INTERNATIONAL**
3 **STANDARDS-SETTING BODIES.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—The President shall establish an
5 interagency working group to work with allies and inter-
6 national partners to increase and align their engagement
7 at multilateral international organizations, such as the
8 International Telecommunications Union (ITU), that ad-
9 dress communications networks, standards, and security,
10 including 5th and future generations mobile telecommuni-
11 cations and infrastructure.

12 (b) INTERAGENCY WORKING GROUP.—The inter-
13 agency working group described in subsection (a) shall—

14 (1) be chaired by the Secretary of State or a
15 designee of the Secretary of State; and

16 (2) consist of the head (or designee) of the De-
17 partment of Commerce and each Federal depart-
18 ment or agency the President determines appro-
19 priate.

1 (c) FUNCTION.—The Secretary of State shall coordi-
2 nate with the members of the interagency working group
3 to develop and implement a strategy for diplomatic en-
4 gagement with allies and partners and monitor engage-
5 ment by the Government of the People’s Republic of China
6 and entities under its ownership, control, or influence at
7 multilateral international organizations described in sub-
8 section (a).

9 (d) BRIEFING.—Not later than 180 days after the
10 date of the enactment of this Act, the interagency working
11 group shall provide to the Committee on Foreign Affairs
12 and the Committee on Energy and Commerce of the
13 House of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign
14 Relations and the Committee on Commerce, Science, and
15 Transportation of the Senate a briefing that includes—

16 (1) a strategy for diplomatic engagement with
17 allies and partners to share security risk information
18 and findings pertaining to equipment that supports
19 or is used in 5th and future generations mobile tele-
20 communications systems and infrastructure and co-
21 operation on mitigating such risks; and

22 (2) a discussion of China’s presence and activi-
23 ties at multilateral international organizations de-
24 scribed in subsection (a) relevant to 5th and future
25 generation mobile telecommunications systems and

1 infrastructure, including information on the dif-
2 ferences in the scope and scale of China's engage-
3 ment, as well as the success rate of proposals by
4 Chinese entities adopted into standards at such or-
5 ganizations compared to the engagement and success
6 rate of proposals adopted by the United States or its
7 allies and partners, and noting any mandatory do-
8 mestic Chinese standards that are adopted at such
9 organizations.

