

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5300
OFFERED BY MR. AMO OF RHODE ISLAND

At the end of the bill, add the following:

1 **TITLE VIII—AUKUS**
2 **IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2025**

3 **SEC. 801. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This title may be cited as the “AUKUS Improvement
5 Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 802. FLEXIBILITY WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN ARMS**
7 **EXPORT CONTROL ACT AND OTHER ARMS**
8 **TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS.**

9 Section 38(l) of the Arms Export Control Act (22
10 U.S.C. 2778(l)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
11 lowing new paragraph:

12 “(8) EXEMPTION FROM CERTAIN REQUIRE-
13 MENTS.—

14 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Defense articles sold
15 by the United States under this Act may be re-
16 exported, retransferred or temporarily imported
17 exclusively between the Government of Aus-
18 tralia, the Government of the United Kingdom,
19 or entities eligible under section 126.7(b)(2) of
20 title 22 of the Code of Federal Regulations, or

1 successor regulations. Such transfers shall not
2 require the consent of the President under sec-
3 tion 3(a)(2) of this Act, or under section
4 505(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of
5 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2314(a)(1)(B)).

6 “(B) INTRA-COMPANY, INTRA-ORGANIZA-
7 TIONAL, AND INTRA-GOVERNMENTAL TRANS-
8 FERS.—Intra-company, intra-organization, and
9 intra-governmental transfers related to defense
10 articles and defense services described under
11 subparagraph (A) are authorized between offi-
12 cers, employees, and agents who satisfy section
13 120.64 of title 22 of the Code of Federal Regu-
14 lations, or successor regulations, including dual
15 or third country nationals who satisfy section
16 126.18 of title 22 of the Code of Federal Regu-
17 lations, or successor regulations.”.

18 **SEC. 803. ELIMINATION OF CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENT**
19 **FOR COMMERCIAL TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE**
20 **OR MANUFACTURING LICENSE AGREEMENTS**
21 **INVOLVING AUSTRALIA AND THE UNITED**
22 **KINGDOM.**

23 Section 36(d)(2) of the Arms Export Control Act (22
24 U.S.C. 2776(d)(2)) is amended—

1 (1) by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and
2 (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively;

3 (2) by striking “A certification” and inserting
4 “(A) A certification”;

5 (3) in clause (i), as redesignated by paragraph
6 (1), by striking “North Atlantic Treaty Organization
7 or Australia, Japan” and inserting “North Atlantic
8 Treaty Organization (excluding the United King-
9 dom) or Japan”; and

10 (4) by adding at the end the following new sub-
11 paragraph:

12 “(B) A certification under this subsection shall
13 not be required in the case of an agreement for or
14 in Australia or the United Kingdom.”.

