

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 5300
OFFERED BY MR. BERA OF CALIFORNIA

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

1 **SEC. ____.** **UNITED STATES-INDIA STRATEGIC PARTNER-**
2 **SHIP.**

3 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS ON UNITED STATES INDIA
4 STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP.—It is the sense of Congress
5 that—

6 (1) India is one of the United States’ most im-
7 portant strategic partners in the Indo-Pacific, shar-
8 ing values of democracy, economic opportunity, and
9 rule of law, and playing a critical role in regional
10 stability and global security;

11 (2) over decades, United States and Indian gov-
12 ernments of all political parties have built deep dip-
13 lomatic, economic, defense, and cultural ties, which
14 have strengthened global supply chains, advanced
15 technological innovation, and reinforced democratic
16 norms;

17 (3) the United States has strategic interests in
18 maintaining and strengthening this relationship, in-
19 cluding countering malign influence, ensuring access
20 to critical technologies and resources, cooperating on

1 health security, and supporting peace and stability
2 in the Indo-Pacific region;

3 (4) cooperation through multilateral frame-
4 works such as the Quad represent a vital mechanism
5 for advancing shared interests in maritime security,
6 disaster response, technological innovation, supply-
7 chain resilience, and upholding a free and open
8 Indo-Pacific; and

9 (5) the Indian diaspora in the United States
10 strengthens United States innovation, economic
11 prosperity, and serves as a bridge that deepens mu-
12 tual understanding and cooperation between both
13 nations.

14 (b) REPORTS TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 60 days
15 after the date of enactment of this section and biennially
16 thereafter, the Secretary of State shall submit to the ap-
17 propriate congressional committees a report assessing the
18 current state of the United States–India partnership, in-
19 cluding cooperation on—

- 20 (1) defense and security;
21 (2) trade and supply chain resilience;
22 (3) critical and emerging technologies;
23 (4) space;
24 (5) diplomatic and cultural exchanges; and

1 (6) multilateral partnerships including the
2 Quad and other Indo-Pacific frameworks.

3 (c) FORM.—The report required under subsection (a)
4 shall be submitted in unclassified form, but may include
5 a classified annex.

6 (d) SUNSET.—The reporting requirement under this
7 subsection shall terminate on the date that is 5 years after
8 the date of enactment of this Act.

