

AMENDMENT IN THE NATURE OF A SUBSTITUTE
TO H.R. 7669
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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. REPORT.

2 Not later than 90 days after the date of the enact-
3 ment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall submit to
4 the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Rep-
5 resentatives and Committee on Foreign Relations of the
6 Senate a report that—

7 (1) describes the current restrictions imposed
8 by the Taliban on women and girls in Afghanistan
9 since August 2021; and

10 (2) includes a determination as to whether the
11 restrictions described in paragraph (1) are—

12 (A) crimes against humanity;

13 (B) torture, as defined in the United
14 States Reservations, Declarations, and Under-
15 standings to the Convention against Torture
16 and Other Cruel, Inhumane, or Degrading
17 Treatment; or

1 (C) gross violations of internationally rec-
2 ognized human rights, as defined in the Foreign
3 Assistance Act of 1961.

4 **SEC. 2. DATABASE.**

5 (a) COLLECTION OF INFORMATION.—The Secretary
6 of State shall collect the following information with respect
7 to abuses of internationally-recognized human rights by
8 the Taliban against women and girls in Afghanistan since
9 August 2021:

10 (1) Incidents of such abuses.

11 (2) Such other information as the Secretary
12 shall prescribe.

13 (b) DATABASE.—The Secretary of State shall estab-
14 lish and maintain a database containing the information
15 collected under subsection (a). Information contained in
16 such a database may be classified to the extent necessary
17 and shall protect intelligence sources and methods.

18 (c) AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION.—The Secretary
19 of State shall make available on an internet website of the
20 Department the information from the database described
21 in subsection (b) with respect to abuses of internationally
22 recognized human rights by the Taliban against women
23 and girls, except—

24 (1) information that would compromise law en-
25 forcement or intelligence sources or methods; or

1 (2) information that would expose witnesses or
2 survivors to harm or retaliation.

3 (d) INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO CONGRESS.—Infor-
4 mation omitted from the public database pursuant to sub-
5 section (c) shall be made available to the Committee on
6 Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives and the
7 Committee on Foreign Relations of the Senate upon re-
8 quest.

