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

Amend section 3 to read as follows:

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

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

(b) INTERAGENCY WORKING GROUP.—The inter-
agency working group described in subsection (a) shall—
(1) be chaired by the Secretary of State or a
designee of the Secretary of State; and

(2) consist of the head (or designee) of the De-
partment of Commerce and each Federal depart-
ment or agency the President determines appro-
priate.
(c) FUNCTION.—The Secretary of State shall coordinate with the members of the interagency working group to develop and implement a strategy for diplomatic engagement with allies and partners and monitor engagement by the Government of the People’s Republic of China and entities under its ownership, control, or influence at multilateral international organizations described in subsection (a).

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

(1) a strategy for diplomatic engagement with allies and partners to share security risk information and findings pertaining to equipment that supports or is used in 5th and future generations mobile telecommunications systems and infrastructure and cooperation on mitigating such risks; and

(2) a discussion of China’s presence and activities at multilateral international organizations described in subsection (a) relevant to 5th and future generation mobile telecommunications systems and
infrastructure, including information on the differences in the scope and scale of China’s engagement, as well as the success rate of proposals by Chinese entities adopted into standards at such organizations compared to the engagement and success rate of proposals adopted by the United States or its allies and partners, and noting any mandatory domestic Chinese standards that are adopted at such organizations.