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Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

1 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE AND TABLE OF CONTENTS.

2 (a) **SHORT TITLE.**—This Act may be cited as the
3 “U.S. Engagement in Sudanese Peace Act”.

4 (b) **TABLE OF CONTENTS.**—The table of contents for
5 this Act is as follows:

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- Sec. 207. Report on United States weapons being used in Sudan.

1 **SEC. 2. STATEMENT OF POLICY.**

2 It is the policy of the United States—

3 (1) to support an inclusive diplomatic process,
4 that meaningfully includes women and youth leaders,
5 and marginalized communities, to establish a cease
6 fire and a sustainable peace agreement in Sudan;

7 (2) to support justice and accountability for vio-
8 lations of international humanitarian law, genocide,
9 war crimes, crimes against humanity, and other seri-
10 ous human rights abuses by armed actors in Sudan,
11 especially those involved in the conflict that began
12 on April 15, 2023, those who perpetrated the Octo-
13 ber 25, 2021, coup d’etat, and those who committed
14 human rights abuses during and in the wake of the
15 state of emergency declared by the military junta
16 after the October 25, 2021, coup d’etat; and

17 (3) to pursue a strategy on Sudan that in-
18 cludes—

19 (A) leading and coordinating international
20 efforts to establish and facilitate a comprehen-
21 sive and inclusive peace process that meaning-
22 fully includes civil society and seeks a sustain-
23 able end to the country’s conflicts;

24 (B) facilitating unrestricted delivery of hu-
25 manitarian aid throughout Sudan, across mili-

1 tary lines and across international borders, in-
2 cluding through local grassroots organizations;

3 (C) developing and advancing a plan for
4 the prevention of mass atrocities and for pro-
5 tecting civilians;

6 (D) pursuing survivor-centered justice and
7 accountability for violations of international hu-
8 manitarian law, genocide, war crimes, crimes
9 against humanity, and other serious human
10 rights abuses, including conflict-related sexual
11 and gender-based violence; and

12 (E) supporting an inclusive dialogue aimed
13 at establishing a civilian-led transition to de-
14 mocracy, including by promoting mechanisms
15 that ensure the meaningful leadership and in-
16 clusion of women, youth, and traditionally
17 marginalized communities.

18 **SEC. 3. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

19 It is the sense of Congress that—

20 (1) the Secretary of State, in consultation with
21 the Attorney General and the Secretary of the
22 Treasury, should—

23 (A) sanction the leadership of the Rapid
24 Support Forces (RSF) and the Sudanese
25 Armed Forces (SAF) responsible for strategic

1 decisions that have directed or enabled the com-
2 mission of atrocities, including genocide, war
3 crimes, and crimes against humanity;

4 (B) sanction adult family members of
5 those in the leadership of the RSF and SAF
6 unless such family member has condemned the
7 sanctionable activity and taken tangible steps to
8 oppose the activity; and

9 (C) designate the RSF for sanctions;

10 (2) the United Nations should expand its arms
11 embargo to all of Sudan;

12 (3) United Nations assessed contributions
13 should be used pursuant to United Nations Security
14 Council Resolution 2719 (2023) to fund an African
15 Union force to protect civilians, support ceasefire
16 monitoring, or secure humanitarian operations in
17 Sudan if such a force is authorized; and

18 (4) the Department of State, in consultation
19 with the heads of other relevant Federal depart-
20 ments and agencies, should develop a plan to facili-
21 tate greater funding to emergency response rooms
22 and other local mutual aid organizations providing
23 humanitarian assistance in Sudan, including use of
24 market-based assistance.

1 **TITLE I—SANCTIONS**
2 **AUTHORITIES**

3 **SEC. 101. REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL CRIMES AND**
4 **BLOCKING HUMANITARIAN AID.**

5 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 90 days after the
6 date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall sub-
7 mit to the appropriate congressional committees a report
8 that identifies each foreign person that has engaged in any
9 of the following conduct in Sudan since April 2023:

10 (1) Knowingly perpetrating, directing, or
11 proactively aiding and abetting commission of geno-
12 cide, war crimes, or crimes against humanity against
13 civilians.

14 (2) Knowingly and systematically blocking of
15 and interference with the delivery of humanitarian
16 aid to civilians.

17 (b) **UPDATE.**—The President shall submit to the ap-
18 propriate congressional committees an update of the re-
19 port required by subsection (a) for each of the 3 calendar
20 years following the calendar year in which the initial re-
21 port is submitted.

1 **SEC. 102. REPORT ON FOREIGN INDIVIDUALS VIOLATING**
2 **THE UNITED NATIONS ARMS EMBARGO ON**
3 **DARFUR.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
5 date of enactment of this Act, the President shall submit
6 to the appropriate congressional committees a report that
7 identifies each foreign individual determined to be vio-
8 lating the United Nations arms embargo on Darfur im-
9 posed pursuant to United Nations Security Council Reso-
10 lutions 1556 (July 30, 2004) and 1591 (March 29, 2005).

11 (b) UPDATE.—The President shall submit to the ap-
12 propriate congressional committees an update of the re-
13 port required by subsection (a) for each of the 3 calendar
14 years following the calendar year in which the initial re-
15 port is submitted.

16 **SEC. 103. SDGT DETERMINATION.**

17 (a) REVIEW.—Not later than 90 days after the date
18 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State and
19 the Secretary of Treasury shall jointly conduct a com-
20 prehensive review of whether any parties to the war in
21 Sudan meet the criteria for designation as a Specially Des-
22 ignated Global Terrorist Organization pursuant to Execu-
23 tive Order 13224 (66 Fed. Reg. 49079; relating to block-
24 ing property and prohibiting transactions with persons
25 who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism).

1 (b) SUBMISSION OF RESULTS AND DETERMINA-
2 TION.—Not later than 90 days after the date of the enact-
3 ment of this Act, the Secretary of State and the Secretary
4 of Treasury shall submit to the appropriate congressional
5 committees—

6 (1) the results of the comprehensive review set
7 forth in subsection (a); and

8 (2) the determination of the Secretaries wheth-
9 er to so designate any parties to the war in of
10 Sudan.

11 **SEC. 104. SANCTIONS REQUIRED.**

12 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 60 days after the
13 date on which the President—

14 (1) submits the report or update to the report
15 required by section 101, the President shall impose
16 5 or more of the sanctions described in paragraphs
17 (1) through (7) of subsection (b) on each foreign
18 person identified in the report; and

19 (2) submits the report or update to the report
20 required by section 102, the President shall impose
21 3 or more of the sanctions described in paragraphs
22 (2), (3), (4), (6), and (7) of subsection (b) on each
23 foreign individual identified in the report.

24 (3) submits the review required by section 103,
25 the President shall impose the sanctions described in

1 paragraph (1) of subsection (b) and may impose ad-
2 ditional any of the sanctions set forth in paragraphs
3 (2) through (7) of subsection (b) upon an affirma-
4 tive indication that any party to the war meets the
5 criteria for designation as a Specially Designated
6 Global Terrorist Organization.

7 (b) SANCTIONS DESCRIBED.—The sanctions de-
8 scribed in this subsection are the following:

9 (1) BLOCKING OF PROPERTY.—The President
10 shall pursuant to the International Emergency Eco-
11 nomic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.), block
12 and prohibit all transactions in all property and in-
13 terests in property of the foreign person if such
14 property and interests in property are in the United
15 States, come within the United States, or are or
16 come within the possession or control of a United
17 States person.

18 (2) EXPORT-IMPORT BANK ASSISTANCE FOR
19 EXPORTS TO SANCTIONED PERSONS.—The President
20 shall direct the Export-Import Bank of the United
21 States not to give approval to the issuance of any
22 guarantee, insurance, extension of credit, or partici-
23 pation in the extension of credit in connection with
24 the export of any goods or services to the foreign
25 person.

1 (3) LOANS FROM UNITED STATES FINANCIAL
2 INSTITUTIONS.—The President shall prohibit any
3 United States financial institution from making
4 loans or providing credits to the foreign person total-
5 ing more than \$10,000,000 in any 12-month period
6 unless the person is primarily engaged in activities
7 to relieve human suffering and the loans or credits
8 are provided for such activities.

9 (4) LOANS FROM INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL
10 INSTITUTIONS.—The President shall direct the
11 United States executive director to each inter-
12 national financial institution to use the voice and
13 vote of the United States to oppose any loan from
14 the international financial institution that would
15 benefit the foreign person.

16 (5) LOANS FROM THE INTERNATIONAL DEVEL-
17 OPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION AND THE UNITED
18 STATES TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY.—The
19 President shall direct the Chief Executive Officer of
20 the United States International Development Fi-
21 nance Corporation and the Director of the United
22 States Trade and Development Agency to prohibit
23 any loan, loan guarantee, equity investment, project
24 assistance, or any other type of support to a listed
25 foreign person.

1 (6) PROCUREMENT SANCTION.—The United
2 States Government may not procure, or enter into
3 any contract for the procurement of, any goods or
4 services from the foreign person.

5 (7) EXCLUSION OF FOREIGN INDIVIDUALS.—

6 (A) IN GENERAL.—The President shall di-
7 rect the Secretary of State to deny a visa to,
8 and the Secretary of Homeland Security to ex-
9 clude from the United States, any individual
10 identified in the report required by subsection
11 (a).

12 (B) VISAS, ADMISSION, OR PAROLE.—An
13 alien who the Secretary of State or the Sec-
14 retary of Homeland Security (or a designee of
15 one of such Secretaries) knows, or has reason
16 to believe, is described in subparagraph (A) is—

17 (i) inadmissible to the United States;

18 (ii) ineligible for a visa or other docu-
19 mentation to enter the United States; and

20 (iii) otherwise ineligible to be admitted
21 or paroled into the United States or to re-
22 ceive any other benefit under the Immigra-
23 tion and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101 et
24 seq.).

25 (C) CURRENT VISAS REVOKED.—

1 (i) IN GENERAL.—The issuing con-
2 sular officer, the Secretary of State, or the
3 Secretary of Homeland Security (or a des-
4 ignee of one of such Secretaries) shall, in
5 accordance with section 221(i) of the Im-
6 migration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C.
7 1201(i)), revoke any visa or other entry
8 documentation issued to an alien described
9 in subparagraph (A) regardless of when
10 the visa or other entry documentation is
11 issued.

12 (ii) EFFECT OF REVOCATION.—A rev-
13 ocation under clause (i)—

14 (I) shall take effect immediately;

15 and

16 (II) shall automatically cancel
17 any other valid visa or entry docu-
18 mentation that is in the alien's pos-
19 session.

20 (c) EXCEPTIONS.—

21 (1) EXCEPTION TO COMPLY WITH INTER-
22 NATIONAL OBLIGATIONS.—Sanctions under sub-
23 section (b)(7) shall not apply with respect to the ad-
24 mission of an alien if admitting or paroling the alien
25 into the United States is necessary to permit the

1 United States to comply with the Agreement regard-
2 ing the Headquarters of the United Nations, signed
3 at Lake Success June 26, 1947, and entered into
4 force November 21, 1947, between the United Na-
5 tions and the United States, or other applicable
6 international obligations.

7 (2) EXCEPTION RELATING TO THE PROVISION
8 OF HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE.—Sanctions under
9 this section may not be imposed with respect to
10 transactions or the facilitation of transactions for—

11 (A) the sale of agricultural commodities,
12 food, medicine, or medical devices;

13 (B) the provision of humanitarian assist-
14 ance;

15 (C) financial transactions relating to hu-
16 manitarian assistance; or

17 (D) transporting goods or services that are
18 necessary to carry out operations relating to
19 humanitarian assistance.

20 (3) EXCEPTION FOR INTELLIGENCE, LAW EN-
21 FORCEMENT, AND NATIONAL SECURITY ACTIVI-
22 TIES.—Sanctions under this section shall not apply
23 to any authorized intelligence, law enforcement, or
24 national security activities of the United States.

1 (4) CLASSIFIED INFORMATION.—In any judicial
2 review of a determination made under this section,
3 if the determination was based on classified informa-
4 tion (as defined in section 1(a) of the Classified In-
5 formation Procedures Act) such information may be
6 submitted to the reviewing court ex parte and in
7 camera. This paragraph does not confer or imply
8 any right to judicial review.

9 (d) NATIONAL INTEREST WAIVER.—The President
10 may waive the imposition of sanctions under subsection
11 (b) with respect to a person if the President—

12 (1) determines that such a waiver is vital to the
13 national interests of the United States; and

14 (2) not more than 15 days after issuing the
15 waiver, submits to the appropriate congressional
16 committees a notification of the waiver and the rea-
17 sons for the waiver.

18 **SEC. 105. TERMINATION OF SANCTIONS.**

19 (a) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subsection
20 (b), the President may terminate the application of sanc-
21 tions under this section with respect to a person if the
22 President determines and reports to the appropriate con-
23 gressional committees not later than 15 days before the
24 termination of the sanctions that—

1 (1) credible information exists that the person
2 did not engage in the activity for which sanctions
3 were imposed;

4 (2) the person has credibly demonstrated a sig-
5 nificant change in behavior, has paid an appropriate
6 consequence for the activity for which sanctions were
7 imposed, and has credibly committed to not engage
8 in an activity described in subsection (a) in the fu-
9 ture; or

10 (3) the termination of the sanctions is in the
11 vital national interests of the United States.

12 (b) **SANCTIONS RELATING TO BLOCKING THE PROVI-**
13 **SION OF HUMANITARIAN AID TO CIVILIANS.**—The author-
14 ity to impose sanctions under section 101(3) shall termi-
15 nate if a comprehensive agreement to end the conflict is
16 reached and implemented between the warring parties in
17 Sudan.

18 **SEC. 106. DEFINITIONS.**

19 In this title—

20 (1) the term “appropriate congressional com-
21 mittees” means—

22 (A) the Committee on Foreign Affairs and
23 the Committee on Financial Services of the
24 House of Representatives; and

1 (B) the Committee on Foreign Relations
2 and the Committee on Banking, Housing, and
3 Urban Affairs of the Senate;

4 (2) the term “foreign individual” means a nat-
5 ural person that is not a United States person;

6 (3) the term “foreign person” means an indi-
7 vidual or entity that is not a United States person;
8 and

9 (4) the term “United States person” means—

10 (A) a United States citizen;

11 (B) a permanent resident alien of the
12 United States; or

13 (C) an entity organized under the laws of
14 the United States or of any jurisdiction within
15 the United States, including a foreign branch of
16 such an entity.

17 **TITLE II—OTHER PROVISIONS**

18 **SEC. 201. STRATEGY.**

19 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days after the
20 date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall sub-
21 mit to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House
22 of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign Rela-
23 tions of the Senate a strategy to support the protection
24 of civilians, the delivery of humanitarian assistance, and

1 progress towards a sustainable peace in Sudan that in-
2 cludes—

3 (1) plans for establishing and leading a diplo-
4 matic mechanism for negotiations that lead to a
5 comprehensive ceasefire and a sustainable peace;

6 (2) actions in multilateral fora and with re-
7 gional institutions in support of protection of civil-
8 ians, sustained and unimpeded humanitarian access,
9 enforcement of the United Nations arms embargo
10 and the expansion of the United Nations arms em-
11 bargo to include all of Sudan;

12 (3) plans to support an inclusive civilian polit-
13 ical dialogue, including activities to improve and in-
14 crease women's and youth's meaningful leadership
15 and participation in political negotiations, related to
16 the development of a constitutional framework and
17 a pathway that will lead to civilian rule;

18 (4) efforts to support grassroots organizations
19 that are currently providing humanitarian and
20 peacebuilding assistance to the Sudanese people in
21 conflict-affected areas that traditional implementing
22 partners cannot reach, including through the devel-
23 opment of mechanisms through which to fund orga-
24 nizations and the facilitation of electronic means and
25 other technology enabling communication;

1 (5) efforts to provide training and other sup-
2 port for doctors, lawyers, and other human rights
3 defenders, as well as those working at the grassroots
4 providing humanitarian assistance, on activities un-
5 dertaken to—

6 (A) support accountability for human
7 rights abuses, including gathering witness testi-
8 mony and preservation of forensic evidence; and

9 (B) provide psychosocial support for Suda-
10 nese civilians who experienced violence, particu-
11 larly victims of conflict related sexual and gen-
12 der-based violence; and

13 (6) a comprehensive sanctions strategy focused
14 on deterring genocide, war crimes and crimes
15 against humanity, ending hostilities, and supporting
16 accountability.

17 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
18 on which the strategy required by subsection (a) is sub-
19 mitted to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House
20 of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign Rela-
21 tions of the Senate, and every 180 days thereafter for 4
22 years, the Secretary of State shall submit to such commit-
23 tees a report on implementation of the strategy that in-
24 cludes substantive updates of the matters described in
25 paragraphs (1) through (5) of subsection (a).

1 **SEC. 202. SPECIAL ENVOY FOR SUDAN.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 7204 of the National De-
3 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2025 (Public Law
4 118–159) is amended—

5 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “with the ad-
6 vice and consent of the Senate” and inserting “con-
7 sistent with section 1(j) of the State Department
8 Basic Authorities Act of 1956 (22 U.S.C.
9 2651a(j))”; and

10 (2) in subsection (d), by striking “shall termi-
11 nate on the date that is 2 years after the date of the
12 enactment of this Act” and inserting “shall termi-
13 nate on the date that is 5 years after the date of the
14 enactment of this Act”.

15 (b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is
16 authorized to be appropriated \$4,000,000 for each of fis-
17 cal years 2025 through 2029 to carry out the amendments
18 made by subsection (a).

19 **SEC. 203. USE OF UNITED STATES INFLUENCE AT THE**
20 **UNITED NATIONS.**

21 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of State and the
22 United States Permanent Representative to the United
23 Nations shall use the voice, vote, and influence of the
24 United States at the United Nations and other multilat-
25 eral bodies to—

1 (1) advocate for unimpeded humanitarian ac-
2 cess and an immediate end to bureaucratic impedi-
3 ments to humanitarian assistance in Sudan;

4 (2) support the documentation of atrocities in-
5 cluding possible genocide, war crimes, and crimes
6 against humanity;

7 (3) ensure development of plans for protection
8 of civilians in Sudan; and

9 (4) advocate for an end to hostilities in Sudan.

10 (b) ADDITIONAL ACTIONS.—The Secretary of State,
11 in coordination with the United States Permanent Rep-
12 resentative to the United Nations, shall—

13 (1) take immediate steps with the United Na-
14 tions General Assembly’s Credentials Committee to
15 trigger Rule 29 of the Rules of Procedure to
16 delegitimize the presence of the Sudanese represen-
17 tation in international bodies as legitimate rep-
18 resentatives of the Republic of Sudan, until such
19 time as the Secretary determines Sudan has
20 transitioned to a civilian-led or democratically elect-
21 ed government;

22 (2) seek to expand the United Nations Security
23 Council arms embargo against Darfur to be a na-
24 tionwide, whole-of-Sudan arms embargo; and

1 (3) identify impediments to local community-
2 based organizations that are currently providing
3 non-lethal assistance to the Sudanese people in con-
4 flict affected areas that traditional implementing
5 partners cannot reach, including for the delivery of
6 food, medical aid, and shelter to individuals im-
7 pacted by the war in Sudan, and submit, not later
8 than 120 days after the date of enactment of this
9 Act, to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the
10 House of Representatives and the Committee on
11 Foreign Relations of the Senate a report that identi-
12 fies such impediments.

13 **SEC. 204. ASSISTANCE TO DEPLOY AND SUSTAIN A UNITED**
14 **NATIONS, AFRICAN UNION, OR MULTI-**
15 **NATIONAL FORCE.**

16 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary of State, in con-
17 sultation with the heads of other relevant Federal depart-
18 ments and agencies, is authorized to provide assistance to
19 deploy and sustain a United Nations, African Union, or
20 multinational force to advance civilian protection, facili-
21 tate humanitarian operations, and monitor any prospec-
22 tive ceasefire in Sudan.

23 (b) **CONDITIONS.**—

24 (1) **IN GENERAL.**—Assistance provided under
25 subsection (a) may not be provided until the force

1 has agreed not to transfer title to, or possession of,
2 any such assistance to anyone not an officer, em-
3 ployee or agent of the force, and not to use or to
4 permit the use of such assistance for any purposes
5 other than those for which such assistance was fur-
6 nished, unless the consent of the President has first
7 been obtained, and written assurances reflecting all
8 of the forgoing have been obtained from the force by
9 the President.

10 (2) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION.—If the
11 President consents to the transfer of such assistance
12 to anyone not an officer, employee, or agent of the
13 force, or agrees to permit the use of such assistance
14 for any purposes other than those for which such as-
15 sistance was furnished, the President shall imme-
16 diately notify the Committee on Foreign Affairs of
17 the House of Representatives and the Committee on
18 Foreign Relations of the Senate in accordance with
19 the procedures applicable to reprogramming notifica-
20 tions under section 634A of the Foreign Assistance
21 Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2394–1).

22 (c) ADDITIONAL CIVILIAN PROTECTION OPTIONS.—
23 The Secretary of State, in consultation with the heads of
24 other relevant Federal departments and agencies, shall en-
25 gage the United Nations, African Union, and other inter-

1 national, regional, and local stakeholders to develop addi-
2 tional civilian protection options in Sudan, including com-
3 munity-based mechanisms, and international monitoring
4 or observation mechanisms.

5 (d) **TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE.**—The Secretary of De-
6 fense, the Secretary of State, the Director of National In-
7 telligence, and the heads of other relevant Federal depart-
8 ments and agencies are authorized to detail or second staff
9 and to provide other technical assistance to the African
10 Union to analyze conditions and plan for the potential es-
11 tablishment of a multinational civilian protection force in
12 Sudan.

13 **SEC. 205. EMPOWERING SUDANESE WOMEN AND YOUTH.**

14 (a) **SUDANESE WOMEN.**—Consistent with the
15 Women, Peace, and Security Act of 2017, the Secretary
16 of State, in coordination with heads of other relevant Fed-
17 eral departments and agencies and supported by the U.S.
18 Ambassador-at-Large for Global Women’s Issues, should
19 take all available measures to actively facilitate the safe
20 and meaningful leadership and participation of Sudanese
21 women in—

22 (1) all formal and informal conflict prevention
23 and conflict resolution processes to address the con-
24 flict in Sudan, as well as post-conflict relief, recov-

1 ery, justice, accountability, and democratic govern-
2 ance efforts;

3 (2) all gender-based violence prevention, mitiga-
4 tion, and response efforts; and

5 (3) planning and delivery of humanitarian relief
6 and protection efforts to promote increased safety
7 and access to humanitarian assistance by women
8 and girls.

9 (b) SUDANESE YOUTH.—The Secretary of State, in
10 coordination with the heads of other relevant Federal de-
11 partments and agencies, should actively facilitate the safe
12 and meaningful leadership and participation of Sudanese
13 youth in—

14 (1) all conflict prevention and conflict resolution
15 processes to address the conflict in Sudan, as well
16 as post-conflict relief, recovery, justice, account-
17 ability, and democratic governance efforts;

18 (2) all gender-based violence prevention, mitiga-
19 tion, and response efforts; and

20 (3) planning and delivery of humanitarian relief
21 and protection efforts.

1 **SEC. 206. CERTIFICATION AND REPORT ON NON-RESTRIC-**
2 **TION OF UNITED STATES HUMANITARIAN AS-**
3 **SISTANCE IN SUDAN.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
5 date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall sub-
6 mit to the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the House
7 of Representatives and the Committee on Foreign Rela-
8 tions of the Senate a certification and report consistent
9 with the requirements of section 620I(a) of the Foreign
10 Assistance Act of 1961 describing and assessing the extent
11 to which any country prohibits or otherwise restricts, di-
12 rectly or indirectly, the transport or delivery of United
13 States humanitarian assistance in Sudan, including any
14 United States Government-supported international efforts
15 to provide such humanitarian assistance.

16 (b) USE OF EXCEPTION.—The certification and re-
17 port required by subsection (a) shall include a description
18 of any uses of the exercise of the authority described in
19 section 620I(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and
20 the date such waiver was exercised in the continued provi-
21 sion of assistance to such country.

22 (c) FORM.—The certification and report required by
23 subsection (a) shall be provided in unclassified form but
24 may contain a classified annex if submitted separately
25 from the unclassified portion.

1 **SEC. 207. REPORT ON UNITED STATES WEAPONS BEING**
2 **USED IN SUDAN.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the
4 date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State,
5 in consultation with the Secretary of Defense and the Di-
6 rector of National Intelligence, shall submit to the Com-
7 mittee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on Armed
8 Services of the House of Representatives and the Com-
9 mittee on Foreign Relations and the Committee on Armed
10 Services of the Senate a report on United States-origin
11 weapons or military equipment being used by belligerents
12 in Sudan.

13 (b) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report shall
14 include the following:

15 (1) An assessment of whether United States-or-
16 igin weapons have been or are currently being used
17 by belligerents in Sudan and by which actors.

18 (2) A list of the types of United States-origin
19 weapons identified as having been used by belliger-
20 ents in Sudan.

21 (3) An analysis of the chain of control for any
22 United States-origin weapons identified as having
23 been used by belligerents in Sudan.

24 (4) A summary of actions already taken or
25 steps necessary to prevent any United States-origin
26 weapons from being used by belligerents in Sudan.

1 (c) FORM.—The report required by subsection (a)
2 shall be submitted in unclassified form but may contain
3 a classified annex if submitted separately from the unclas-
4 sified portion.

