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To require the inclusion of the Ministry of Public Security’s Institute of Forensic Science of China on the entity list maintained by the Bureau of Industry and Security of the Department of Commerce, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 26, 2024

Mr. OGLES (for himself, Mr. MOOLENAAR, Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. SCOTT FRANKLIN of Florida, Mrs. HARSHBARGER, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. LAWLER, Mr. MOORE of Alabama, Mr. LUETKEMEYER, Mr. NUNN of Iowa, Mrs. HINSON, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. BEAN of Florida, Mr. BARR, Mr. MEUSER, and Mr. SESSIONS) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Confronting CCP
5 Human Rights Abusers Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. INCLUSION OF MINISTRY OF PUBLIC SECURITY'S**
2 **INSTITUTE OF FORENSIC SCIENCE OF CHINA**
3 **ON ENTITY LIST.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 60 days after the
5 date of the enactment of this Act, the Under Secretary
6 of Commerce for Industry and Security shall include on
7 the entity list the Ministry of Public Security's Institute
8 of Forensic Science of China, including the aliases—

9 (1) the Forensic Identification Center of the
10 Ministry of Public Security of the People's Republic
11 of China; and

12 (2) the Material Identification Center of the
13 Ministry of Public Security of the People's Republic
14 of China.

15 (b) WAIVER.—The President, acting through the Sec-
16 retary of Commerce, may waive the application of sub-
17 section (a) if, not later than 60 days after the date of
18 the enactment of this Act, the President submits to the
19 Committee on Energy and Commerce of the House of
20 Representatives and the Committee on Commerce,
21 Science, and Transportation of the Senate a certification
22 that the Ministry of Public Security's Institute of Forensic
23 Science of China is not—

24 (1) engaging in an activity contrary to the for-
25 eign policy interests of the United States; or

1 (2) implicated in or contributing to abuse or a
2 violation of human rights with respect to the cam-
3 paign of the People’s Republic of China of repres-
4 sion, mass arbitrary detention, forced labor, and
5 high-technology surveillance against Uyghurs,
6 Kazakhs, and other members of Muslim minority
7 groups in the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region.

8 (c) ENTITY LIST DEFINED.—In this section, the
9 term “entity list” means the list maintained by the Bu-
10 reau of Industry and Security of the Department of Com-
11 merce and set forth in Supplement No. 4 to part 744 of
12 the Export Administration Regulations, or successor regu-
13 lations.

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