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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. KIRK (for himself and Ms. AYOTTE) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on _____

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 “Iranian Sanctions Re-
5 lief Certification Act of 2014”.

1 **SEC. 2. CERTIFICATION REQUIRED FOR EXERCISE OF CER-**
2 **TAIN WAIVERS OF PROVISIONS OF LAW IM-**
3 **POSING SANCTIONS WITH RESPECT TO IRAN.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—On and after the date of the en-
5 actment of this Act, the President may not exercise a
6 waiver specified in subsection (b) in connection with the
7 extension of the terms of the Joint Plan of Action beyond
8 July 20, 2014, unless the President certifies to Congress
9 before the waiver takes effect and every 60 days thereafter
10 that any funds made available to the Government of Iran
11 as a result of the waiver will not facilitate the ability of
12 that Government—

13 (1) to provide support for—

14 (A) any individual or entity designated for
15 the imposition of sanctions for activities relat-
16 ing to international terrorism pursuant to an
17 Executive order or by the Office of Foreign As-
18 sets Control of the Department of the Treasury
19 before July 22, 2014;

20 (B) any organization designated by the
21 Secretary of State as a foreign terrorist organi-
22 zation under section 219(a) of the Immigration
23 and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1189(a)) before
24 July 22, 2014; or

25 (C) any other terrorist organization, in-
26 cluding Hamas, Hezbollah, Palestinian Islamic

1 Jihad, and the regime of Bashar al-Assad in
2 Syria;

3 (2) to advance the efforts of Iran or any other
4 country to develop nuclear weapons or ballistic mis-
5 siles overtly or covertly; or

6 (3) to commit any violation of the human rights
7 of the people of Iran.

8 (b) WAIVERS SPECIFIED.—A waiver specified in this
9 subsection is any of the following:

10 (1) A waiver provided for under section 4(e) or
11 9(c) of the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 (Public Law
12 104–172; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note) to the imposition of
13 sanctions under section 5(a)(7) of that Act.

14 (2) A waiver provided for under paragraph (5)
15 of section 1245(d) of the National Defense Author-
16 ization Act for Fiscal Year 2012 (22 U.S.C.
17 8513a(d)) to the imposition of sanctions under para-
18 graph (1) of that section.

19 (3) A waiver provided for under subsection (e)
20 of section 302 of the Iran Threat Reduction and
21 Syria Human Rights Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8742)
22 to the identification of foreign persons under sub-
23 section (a) of that section.

24 (4) A waiver provided for under subsection (i)
25 of section 1244 of the Iran Freedom and Counter-

1 Proliferation Act of 2012 (22 U.S.C. 8803) to the
2 imposition of sanctions under subsection (c) of that
3 section.

4 (c) JOINT PLAN OF ACTION DEFINED.—In this sec-
5 tion, the term “Joint Plan of Action” means the Joint
6 Plan of Action, signed at Geneva November 24, 2013, by
7 Iran and by France, Germany, the Russian Federation,
8 the People’s Republic of China, the United Kingdom, and
9 the United States.