

1 “(4) TERM.—

2 “(A) COMMENCEMENT.—Each member of  
3 the Board shall serve a term of 6 years, com-  
4 mencing on the date of the appointment of the  
5 member to the Board.

6 “(B) REAPPOINTMENT.—A member may  
7 be reappointed to one or more additional terms.

8 “(C) VACANCY.—A vacancy on the Board  
9 shall be filled in the manner in which the origi-  
10 nal appointment was made.

11 “(D) EXTENSION.—Upon the expiration of  
12 the term of office of a member, the member  
13 may continue to serve for up to one year after  
14 the date of expiration, at the election of the  
15 member—

16 “(i) during the period preceding the  
17 reappointment of the member pursuant to  
18 subparagraph (B); or

19 “(ii) until the member’s successor has  
20 been appointed and qualified.”.

21 **SEC. 6802. MODIFICATION OF REQUIREMENT FOR OFFICE**  
22 **TO ADDRESS UNIDENTIFIED ANOMALOUS**  
23 **PHENOMENA.**

24 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1683 of the National De-  
25 fense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (50 U.S.C.

1 3373), as amended by title XVI of this Act, is amended  
2 to read as follows:

3 **“SEC. 1683. ESTABLISHMENT OF ALL-DOMAIN ANOMALY**  
4 **RESOLUTION OFFICE.**

5 “(a) ESTABLISHMENT OF OFFICE.—

6 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 120 days  
7 after the date of the enactment of the Intelligence  
8 Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2023, the Sec-  
9 retary of Defense, in coordination with the Director  
10 of National Intelligence, shall establish an office  
11 within a component of the Office of the Secretary of  
12 Defense, or within a joint organization of the De-  
13 partment of Defense and the Office of the Director  
14 of National Intelligence, to carry out the duties of  
15 the Unidentified Aerial Phenomena Task Force, as  
16 in effect on December 26, 2021, and such other du-  
17 ties as are required by this section, including those  
18 pertaining to unidentified anomalous phenomena.

19 “(2) DESIGNATION.—The office established  
20 under paragraph (1) shall be known as the ‘All-do-  
21 main Anomaly Resolution Office’ (in this section re-  
22 ferred to as the ‘Office’).

23 “(b) DIRECTOR AND DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE OF-  
24 FICE.—

1           “(1) APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR.—The head  
2 of the Office shall be the Director of the All-domain  
3 Anomaly Resolution Office (in this section referred  
4 to as the ‘Director of the Office’), who shall be ap-  
5 pointed by the Secretary of Defense in consultation  
6 with the Director of National Intelligence.

7           “(2) APPOINTMENT OF DEPUTY DIRECTOR.—  
8 The Deputy Director of the Office shall be appointed  
9 by the Director of National Intelligence in coordina-  
10 tion with the Secretary of Defense.

11           “(3) REPORTING.—

12           “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Director of the  
13 Office shall report directly to the Deputy Sec-  
14 retary of Defense and the Principal Deputy Di-  
15 rector of National Intelligence.

16           “(B) ADMINISTRATIVE AND OPERATIONAL  
17 AND SECURITY MATTERS.—The Director of the  
18 Office shall report—

19           “(i) to the Under Secretary of De-  
20 fense for Intelligence and Security on all  
21 administrative matters of the Office; and

22           “(ii) to the Deputy Secretary of De-  
23 fense and the Principal Deputy Director of  
24 National Intelligence on all operational and  
25 security matters of the Office.

1       “(c) DUTIES.—The duties of the Office shall include  
2 the following:

3           “(1) Developing procedures to synchronize and  
4 standardize the collection, reporting, and analysis of  
5 incidents, including adverse physiological effects, re-  
6 garding unidentified anomalous phenomena across  
7 the Department of Defense and the intelligence com-  
8 munity, in coordination with the Director of Na-  
9 tional Intelligence, which shall be provided to the  
10 congressional defense committees, the congressional  
11 intelligence committees, and congressional leader-  
12 ship.

13           “(2) Developing processes and procedures to  
14 ensure that such incidents from each component of  
15 the Department and each element of the intelligence  
16 community are reported and stored in an appro-  
17 priate manner that allows for the integration of  
18 analysis of such information.

19           “(3) Establishing procedures to require the  
20 timely and consistent reporting of such incidents.

21           “(4) Evaluating links between unidentified  
22 anomalous phenomena and adversarial foreign gov-  
23 ernments, other foreign governments, or nonstate  
24 actors.

1           “(5) Evaluating the threat that such incidents  
2 present to the United States.

3           “(6) Coordinating with other departments and  
4 agencies of the Federal Government, as appropriate,  
5 including the Federal Aviation Administration, the  
6 National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the  
7 Department of Homeland Security, the National  
8 Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, the Na-  
9 tional Science Foundation, and the Department of  
10 Energy.

11           “(7) As appropriate, and in coordination with  
12 the Secretary of State, the Secretary of Defense,  
13 and the Director of National Intelligence, consulting  
14 with allies and partners of the United States to bet-  
15 ter assess the nature and extent of unidentified  
16 anomalous phenomena.

17           “(8) Preparing reports for Congress, in both  
18 classified and unclassified form, including under  
19 subsection (j).

20           “(d) RESPONSE TO AND FIELD INVESTIGATIONS OF  
21 UNIDENTIFIED ANOMALOUS PHENOMENA.—

22           “(1) DESIGNATION.—The Secretary of Defense  
23 and the Director of National Intelligence shall joint-  
24 ly designate from within their respective organiza-  
25 tions an official, to be under the direction of the Di-

1 rector of the Office, responsible for ensuring the ap-  
2 propriate expertise, authorities, accesses, data, sys-  
3 tems, platforms, and capabilities are available for  
4 the rapid response to, and support for, the conduct  
5 of field investigations of incidents involving unidenti-  
6 fied anomalous phenomena.

7 “(2) ABILITY TO RESPOND.—The Secretary of  
8 Defense and the Director of National Intelligence  
9 shall ensure field investigations are supported by  
10 personnel with the requisite expertise, equipment,  
11 transportation, and other resources necessary to re-  
12 spond rapidly to incidents or patterns of observa-  
13 tions involving unidentified anomalous phenomena.

14 “(e) SCIENTIFIC, TECHNOLOGICAL, AND OPER-  
15 ATIONAL ANALYSES OF DATA ON UNIDENTIFIED ANOMA-  
16 LOUS PHENOMENA.—

17 “(1) DESIGNATION.—The Secretary of Defense,  
18 in coordination with the Director of National Intel-  
19 ligence, shall designate one or more line organiza-  
20 tions that will be primarily responsible for scientific,  
21 technical, and operational analysis of data gathered  
22 by field investigations conducted pursuant to sub-  
23 section (d) and data from other sources, including  
24 with respect to the testing of materials, medical  
25 studies, and development of theoretical models, to

1 better understand and explain unidentified anomalous  
2 phenomena.

3 “(2) AUTHORITY.—The Secretary of Defense  
4 and the Director of National Intelligence shall each  
5 issue such directives as are necessary to ensure that  
6 each line organization designated under paragraph  
7 (1) has authority to draw on the special expertise of  
8 persons outside the Federal Government with appropriate  
9 security clearances.

10 “(f) DATA; INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION.—

11 “(1) AVAILABILITY OF DATA AND REPORTING  
12 ON UNIDENTIFIED ANOMALOUS PHENOMENA.—

13 “(A) AVAILABILITY OF DATA.—The Director  
14 of National Intelligence, in coordination  
15 with the Secretary of Defense, shall ensure that  
16 each element of the intelligence community with  
17 data relating to unidentified anomalous phenomena  
18 makes such data available immediately  
19 to the Office.

20 “(B) REPORTING.—The Director of National  
21 Intelligence and the Secretary of Defense  
22 shall each, in coordination with one another, ensure  
23 that military and civilian personnel of the  
24 Department of Defense or an element of the intelligence  
25 community, and contractor personnel

1 of the Department or such an element, have ac-  
2 cess to procedures by which the personnel shall  
3 report incidents or information, including ad-  
4 verse physiological effects, involving or associ-  
5 ated with unidentified anomalous phenomena  
6 directly to the Office.

7 “(2) INTELLIGENCE COLLECTION AND ANAL-  
8 YSIS PLAN.—The Director of the Office, acting in  
9 coordination with the Secretary of Defense and the  
10 Director of National Intelligence, shall supervise the  
11 development and execution of an intelligence collec-  
12 tion and analysis plan to gain as much knowledge as  
13 possible regarding the technical and operational  
14 characteristics, origins, and intentions of unidenti-  
15 fied anomalous phenomena, including with respect to  
16 the development, acquisition, deployment, and oper-  
17 ation of technical collection capabilities necessary to  
18 detect, identify, and scientifically characterize un-  
19 identified anomalous phenomena.

20 “(3) USE OF RESOURCES AND CAPABILITIES.—  
21 In developing the plan under paragraph (2), the Di-  
22 rector of the Office shall consider and propose, as  
23 appropriate, the use of any resource, capability,  
24 asset, or process of the Department and the intel-  
25 ligence community.



1           “(g) SCIENCE PLAN.—The Director of the Office, on  
2 behalf of the Secretary of Defense and the Director of Na-  
3 tional Intelligence, shall supervise the development and  
4 execution of a science plan to develop and test, as prac-  
5 ticable, scientific theories to—

6           “(1) account for characteristics and perform-  
7 ance of unidentified anomalous phenomena that ex-  
8 ceed the known state of the art in science or tech-  
9 nology, including in the areas of propulsion, aero-  
10 dynamic control, signatures, structures, materials,  
11 sensors, countermeasures, weapons, electronics, and  
12 power generation; and

13           “(2) provide the foundation for potential future  
14 investments to replicate or otherwise better under-  
15 stand any such advanced characteristics and per-  
16 formance.

17           “(h) ASSIGNMENT OF PRIORITY.—The Director of  
18 National Intelligence, in consultation with and with the  
19 recommendation of the Secretary of Defense, shall assign  
20 an appropriate level of priority within the National Intel-  
21 ligence Priorities Framework to the requirement to under-  
22 stand, characterize, and respond to unidentified anoma-  
23 lous phenomena.

24           “(i) DETAILEES FROM ELEMENTS OF THE INTEL-  
25 LIGENCE COMMUNITY.—The heads of the Central Intel-

1 ligence Agency, the Defense Intelligence Agency, the Na-  
2 tional Security Agency, the Department of Energy, the  
3 National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency, the intelligence  
4 elements of the Army, the Navy, the Air Force, the Marine  
5 Corps, and the Coast Guard, the Department of Home-  
6 land Security, and such other elements of the intelligence  
7 community as the Director of the Office considers appro-  
8 priate may provide to the Office a detailee of the element  
9 to be physically located at the Office.

10 “(j) HISTORICAL RECORD REPORT.—

11 “(1) REPORT REQUIRED.—

12 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 540  
13 days after the date of the enactment of the In-  
14 telligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year  
15 2023, the Director of the Office shall submit to  
16 the congressional defense committees, the con-  
17 gressional intelligence committees, and congress-  
18 sional leadership a written report detailing the  
19 historical record of the United States Govern-  
20 ment relating to unidentified anomalous phe-  
21 nomena, including—

22 “(i) the records and documents of the  
23 intelligence community;

24 “(ii) oral history interviews;

25 “(iii) open source analysis;

1           “(iv) interviews of current and former  
2           Government officials;

3           “(v) classified and unclassified na-  
4           tional archives including any records any  
5           third party obtained pursuant to section  
6           552 of title 5, United States Code; and

7           “(vi) such other relevant historical  
8           sources as the Director of the Office con-  
9           siders appropriate.

10           “(B) OTHER REQUIREMENTS.—The report  
11           submitted under subparagraph (A) shall—

12           “(i) focus on the period beginning on  
13           January 1, 1945, and ending on the date  
14           on which the Director of the Office com-  
15           pletes activities under this subsection; and

16           “(ii) include a compilation and  
17           itemization of the key historical record of  
18           the involvement of the intelligence commu-  
19           nity with unidentified anomalous phe-  
20           nomena, including—

21           “(I) any program or activity that  
22           was protected by restricted access  
23           that has not been explicitly and clear-  
24           ly reported to Congress;

1                   “(II) successful or unsuccessful  
2                   efforts to identify and track unidenti-  
3                   fied anomalous phenomena; and

4                   “(III) any efforts to obfuscate,  
5                   manipulate public opinion, hide, or  
6                   otherwise provide incorrect unclassi-  
7                   fied or classified information about  
8                   unidentified anomalous phenomena or  
9                   related activities.

10                   “(2) ACCESS TO RECORDS OF THE NATIONAL  
11                   ARCHIVES AND RECORDS ADMINISTRATION.—The  
12                   Archivist of the United States shall make available  
13                   to the Office such information maintained by the  
14                   National Archives and Records Administration, in-  
15                   cluding classified information, as the Director of the  
16                   Office considers necessary to carry out paragraph  
17                   (1).

18                   “(k) ANNUAL REPORTS.—

19                   “(1) REPORTS FROM DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL  
20                   INTELLIGENCE AND SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.—

21                   “(A) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than 180  
22                   days after the date of the enactment of the In-  
23                   telligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year  
24                   2023, and annually thereafter for four years,  
25                   the Director of National Intelligence and the

1 Secretary of Defense shall jointly submit to the  
2 appropriate congressional committees a report  
3 on unidentified anomalous phenomena.

4 “(B) ELEMENTS.—Each report submitted  
5 under subparagraph (A) shall include, with re-  
6 spect to the year covered by the report, the fol-  
7 lowing information:

8 “(i) All reported unidentified anoma-  
9 lous phenomena-related events that oc-  
10 curred during the one-year period.

11 “(ii) All reported unidentified anoma-  
12 lous phenomena-related events that oc-  
13 curred during a period other than that  
14 one-year period but were not included in  
15 an earlier report.

16 “(iii) An analysis of data and intel-  
17 ligence received through each reported un-  
18 identified anomalous phenomena-related  
19 event.

20 “(iv) An analysis of data relating to  
21 unidentified anomalous phenomena col-  
22 lected through—

23 “(I) geospatial intelligence;

24 “(II) signals intelligence;

25 “(III) human intelligence; and

1                   “(IV) measurement and signa-  
2                   ture intelligence.

3                   “(v) The number of reported incidents  
4                   of unidentified anomalous phenomena over  
5                   restricted airspace of the United States  
6                   during the one-year period.

7                   “(vi) An analysis of such incidents  
8                   identified under clause (v).

9                   “(vii) Identification of potential aero-  
10                  space or other threats posed by unidenti-  
11                  fied anomalous phenomena to the national  
12                  security of the United States.

13                  “(viii) An assessment of any activity  
14                  regarding unidentified anomalous phe-  
15                  nomena that can be attributed to one or  
16                  more adversarial foreign governments.

17                  “(ix) Identification of any incidents or  
18                  patterns regarding unidentified anomalous  
19                  phenomena that indicate a potential adver-  
20                  sarial foreign government may have  
21                  achieved a breakthrough aerospace capa-  
22                  bility.

23                  “(x) An update on the coordination by  
24                  the United States with allies and partners

1 on efforts to track, understand, and ad-  
2 dress unidentified anomalous phenomena.

3 “(xi) An update on any efforts under-  
4 way on the ability to capture or exploit dis-  
5 covered unidentified anomalous phe-  
6 nomena.

7 “(xii) An assessment of any health-re-  
8 lated effects for individuals that have en-  
9 countered unidentified anomalous phe-  
10 nomena.

11 “(xiii) The number of reported inci-  
12 dents, and descriptions thereof, of uniden-  
13 tified anomalous phenomena associated  
14 with military nuclear assets, including  
15 strategic nuclear weapons and nuclear-  
16 powered ships and submarines.

17 “(xiv) In consultation with the Admin-  
18 istrator for Nuclear Security, the number  
19 of reported incidents, and descriptions  
20 thereof, of unidentified anomalous phe-  
21 nomena associated with facilities or assets  
22 associated with the production, transpor-  
23 tation, or storage of nuclear weapons or  
24 components thereof.

1           “(xv) In consultation with the Chair-  
2           man of the Nuclear Regulatory Commis-  
3           sion, the number of reported incidents, and  
4           descriptions thereof, of unidentified anom-  
5           alous phenomena or drones of unknown or-  
6           igin associated with nuclear power gener-  
7           ating stations, nuclear fuel storage sites, or  
8           other sites or facilities regulated by the  
9           Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

10           “(xvi) The names of the line organiza-  
11           tions that have been designated to perform  
12           the specific functions under subsections (d)  
13           and (e), and the specific functions for  
14           which each such line organization has been  
15           assigned primary responsibility.

16           “(xvii) A summary of the reports re-  
17           ceived using the mechanism for authorized  
18           reporting established under section 1673 of  
19           the National Defense Authorization Act for  
20           Fiscal Year 2023.

21           “(2) FORM.—Each report submitted under  
22           paragraph (1) shall be submitted in unclassified  
23           form, but may include a classified annex.

24           “(1) SEMIANNUAL BRIEFINGS.—



1           “(1) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than December  
2           31, 2022, and not less frequently than semiannually  
3           thereafter until December 31, 2026, the Director of  
4           the Office shall provide to the appropriate congress-  
5           sional committees classified briefings on unidentified  
6           anomalous phenomena.

7           “(2) FIRST BRIEFING.—The first briefing pro-  
8           vided under paragraph (1) shall include all incidents  
9           involving unidentified anomalous phenomena that  
10          were reported to the Unidentified Aerial Phenomena  
11          Task Force or to the Office established under sub-  
12          section (a) after June 24, 2021, regardless of the  
13          date of occurrence of the incident.

14          “(3) SUBSEQUENT BRIEFINGS.—Each briefing  
15          provided subsequent to the first briefing described in  
16          paragraph (2) shall include, at a minimum, all  
17          events relating to unidentified anomalous phenomena  
18          that occurred during the previous 180 days, and  
19          events relating to unidentified anomalous phenomena  
20          that were not included in an earlier briefing.

21          “(4) INSTANCES IN WHICH DATA WAS NOT  
22          SHARED.—For each briefing period, the Director of  
23          the Office shall jointly provide to the chairman or  
24          chair and the ranking member or vice chairman of  
25          the congressional committees specified in subpara-

1       graphs (A) and (D) of subsection (n)(1) an enu-  
2       meration of any instances in which data relating to  
3       unidentified anomalous phenomena was not provided  
4       to the Office because of classification restrictions on  
5       that data or for any other reason.

6       “(m) TASK FORCE TERMINATION.—Not later than  
7       the date on which the Secretary of Defense establishes the  
8       Office under subsection (a), the Secretary shall terminate  
9       the Unidentified Aerial Phenomena Task Force.

10      “(n) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

11           “(1) APPROPRIATE CONGRESSIONAL COMMIT-  
12       TEES.—The term ‘appropriate congressional com-  
13       mittees’ means the following:

14           “(A) The Committees on Armed Services  
15       of the Senate and the House of Representa-  
16       tives.

17           “(B) The Committees on Appropriations of  
18       the Senate and the House of Representatives.

19           “(C) The Committee on Foreign Relations  
20       of the Senate and the Committee on Foreign  
21       Affairs of the House of Representatives.

22           “(D) The Select Committee on Intelligence  
23       of the Senate and the Permanent Select Com-  
24       mittee on Intelligence of the House of Rep-  
25       resentatives.

1           “(E) The Committee on Homeland Secu-  
2           rity and Governmental Affairs of the Senate  
3           and the Committee on Homeland Security of  
4           the House of Representatives.

5           “(F) The Committee on Commerce,  
6           Science, and Transportation of the Senate and  
7           the Committee on Science, Space, and Tech-  
8           nology of the House of Representatives.

9           “(2) CONGRESSIONAL DEFENSE COMMIT-  
10          TEES.—The term ‘congressional defense committees’  
11          has the meaning given such term in section 101(a)  
12          of title 10, United States Code.

13          “(3) CONGRESSIONAL INTELLIGENCE COMMIT-  
14          TEES.—The term ‘congressional intelligence commit-  
15          tees’ has the meaning given such term in section 3  
16          of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C.  
17          3003).

18          “(4) CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP.—The term  
19          ‘congressional leadership’ means—

20                 “(A) the majority leader of the Senate;

21                 “(B) the minority leader of the Senate;

22                 “(C) the Speaker of the House of Rep-  
23                 resentatives; and

24                 “(D) the minority leader of the House of  
25                 Representatives.

1           “(5) INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY.—The term  
2           ‘intelligence community’ has the meaning given such  
3           term in section 3 of the National Security Act of  
4           1947 (50 U.S.C. 3003).

5           “(6) LINE ORGANIZATION.—The term ‘line or-  
6           ganization’ means, with respect to a department or  
7           agency of the Federal Government, an organization  
8           that executes programs and activities to directly ad-  
9           vance the core functions and missions of the depart-  
10          ment or agency to which the organization is subordi-  
11          nate, but, with respect to the Department of De-  
12          fense, does not include a component of the Office of  
13          the Secretary of Defense.

14          “(7) TRANSMEDIUM OBJECTS OR DEVICES.—  
15          The term ‘transmedium objects or devices’ means  
16          objects or devices that are—

17                 “(A) observed to transition between space  
18                 and the atmosphere, or between the atmosphere  
19                 and bodies of water; and

20                 “(B) not immediately identifiable.

21          “(8) UNIDENTIFIED ANOMALOUS PHE-  
22          NOMENA.—The term ‘unidentified anomalous phe-  
23          nomena’ means—

24                 “(A) airborne objects that are not imme-  
25                 diately identifiable;

1           “(B) transmedium objects or devices; and  
2           “(C) submerged objects or devices that are  
3           not immediately identifiable and that display  
4           behavior or performance characteristics sug-  
5           gesting that the objects or devices may be re-  
6           lated to the objects described in subparagraph  
7           (A).”.

8           (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents  
9           in section 2(b) of such Act is amended by striking the  
10          item relating to section 1683 of division A and inserting  
11          the following new item:

          “Sec. 1683. Establishment of All-domain Anomaly Resolution Office.”.

12       **SEC. 6803. COMPTROLLER GENERAL OF THE UNITED**  
13                       **STATES AUDITS AND BRIEFINGS ON UNIDEN-**  
14                       **TIFIED ANOMALOUS PHENOMENA HISTOR-**  
15                       **ICAL RECORD REPORT.**

16          (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section, the terms “con-  
17          gressional leadership” and “Office” have the meanings  
18          given such terms in section 1683 of the National Defense  
19          Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2022 (50 U.S.C. 3373),  
20          as amended by section 6802.

21          (b) AUDIT.—

22               (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after  
23          the date of the enactment of this Act, the Comp-  
24          troller General of the United States shall identify  
25          appropriately cleared personnel of the Government

1 Accountability Office to audit the historical record  
2 report process described in section 1683 of the Na-  
3 tional Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year  
4 2022 (50 U.S.C. 3373), as amended by section  
5 6802, including personnel to conduct work on-site as  
6 appropriate.

7 (2) PROVISION OF INFORMATION.—On a quar-  
8 terly basis, and as appropriate and consistent with  
9 Government Auditing Standards, the Comptroller  
10 General of the United States shall provide the Office  
11 with information on the findings of any audits con-  
12 ducted by the personnel identified under paragraph  
13 (1).

14 (c) VERBAL BRIEFINGS.—Not later than 180 days  
15 after the date of the enactment of this Act, and semiannu-  
16 ally thereafter, the Comptroller General of the United  
17 States shall verbally brief the congressional intelligence  
18 committees, the congressional defense committees, and  
19 congressional leadership on the progress of the Office with  
20 respect to the historical record report described in section  
21 1683 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal  
22 Year 2022 (50 U.S.C. 3373), as amended by section 6802,  
23 and compliance with legislative requirements.

24 (d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this sec-  
25 tion shall be construed to restrict access of a committee

1 of Congress under section 719(f) of title 31, United States  
2 Code, to an audit under subsection (b).

3 **SEC. 6804. REPORT ON PRECURSOR CHEMICALS USED IN**  
4 **THE PRODUCTION OF SYNTHETIC OPIOIDS.**

5 (a) DEFINITION OF APPROPRIATE COMMITTEES OF  
6 CONGRESS.—In this section, the term “appropriate com-  
7 mittees of Congress” means—

8 (1) the congressional intelligence committees;  
9 (2) the Committee on the Judiciary, the Com-  
10 mittee on Homeland Security and Governmental Af-  
11 fairs, the Committee on Foreign Relations, the Com-  
12 mittee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,  
13 and the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate;  
14 and

15 (3) the Committee on the Judiciary, the Com-  
16 mittee on Homeland Security, the Committee on  
17 Foreign Affairs, the Committee on Energy and Com-  
18 merce, and the Committee on Appropriations of the  
19 House of Representatives.

20 (b) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 180 days after the  
21 date of the enactment of this Act, the Director of National  
22 Intelligence shall submit to the appropriate committees of  
23 Congress a report on licit precursor chemicals originating  
24 abroad, including in the People’s Republic of China and  
25 any other country the Director considers appropriate, that