



***The FY26 NDAA builds and maintains the overmatch we need to deter China.***

## **Counters the Threat from China:**

- ★ Extends the Pacific Deterrence Initiative (PDI) to enhance U.S. posture in the Indo-Pacific region.
- ★ Increases funding for innovative new technologies needed to deter the Chinese Communist Party (CCP), including hypersonics, artificial intelligence (AI), autonomous systems, cyber, mobile micronuclear reactors, and high-energy lasers.

## **Protects Defense Supply Chains & Prevents Chinese Espionage:**

- ★ Requires DoD to publish standards for supply chain illumination tools and further incentivizes contractors to use advanced technologies to actively monitor their supply chains' strength against infiltration from China and other adversaries.
- ★ Advances the use of tamper-proof traceability technologies in DoD supply chains to track raw materials from extraction to ensure provenance and combat illicit trade.
- ★ Requires a strategy to eliminate DoD's reliance on China for optical glass and optical systems such as night vision goggles by 2030.
- ★ Supports ongoing efforts by DoD to mitigate dependencies on China for rare earth magnets.
- ★ Closes loopholes in current law to ensure DoD does not procure goods and services from Chinese-owned or controlled entities operating in third-party countries.
- ★ Prohibits the acquisition of solar panels, computers, printers, and light detection and ranging (LIDAR) technology from Chinese-owned and controlled entities.
- ★ Prohibits DoD from allowing Chinese-owned or controlled entities to operate concessions or other businesses on military installations.

## **Ensures Mission Success in the Indo-Pacific:**

- ★ Authorizes over \$1.5 billion in essential military construction projects and expands logistics capabilities in the Indo-Pacific to ensure our forces can sustain the fight.
- ★ Improves the ability of the INDOPACOM Commander to build minor MILCON projects.
- ★ Directs the Air Force to prepare a data link plan that enhances warfighting readiness across the Air Mobility Command and addresses challenges in an Indo-Pacific conflict.
- ★ Requires DoD to develop additive manufacturing facilities closer to the point of use to support Indo-Pacific deployments.





## Bolsters Taiwan's Defense:

- ★ Fully funds the Taiwan Security Cooperation Initiative at \$1 billion.
- ★ Authorizes funding for U.S. forces to continue training Taiwan and other partner nations in resisting China's aggression and malign influence.
- ★ Requires DoD to provide Congress with recommendations to help Taiwan counter grey zone coercion by China.

**China is deploying advanced hypersonic weapons and long-range cruise missiles capable of hitting the homeland, so it's never been more important to invest in modern systems that will deter and defeat threats to our nation.**

## Supports Indo-Pacific Allies and Partners:

- ★ Fully funds President Trump's budget request for military exercises with our allies and partners in the Indo-Pacific to counter China's growing reach.
- ★ Requires DoD to implement a strategy to expand basing agreements, intelligence sharing, command and control coordination, and multilateral military exercises with Australia, Japan, and the Philippines.
- ★ Requires DoD to assess the expansion of pilot training programs with Pacific allies.

## Counters China's Malign Influence:

- ★ Fully funds military information operations assistance to Indo-Pacific allies to counter Chinese influence operations.
- ★ Requires DoD to assess Chinese strategic objectives in Africa and pursuit of additional military bases that threaten U.S. operations in the Atlantic.