



DETECTING CHINA

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, AI, autonomous systems, cyber, mobile micronuclear reactors, and high energy lasers.

Removes China From Our Defense Supply Chains

- Prohibits the federal government from acquiring biotechnology equipment and services from companies owned or controlled by China and other adversaries.
- Prohibits the acquisition of critical minerals, including molybdenum, gallium, and germanium from China and other adversaries.
- Incentivizes contractors to use supply chain illumination tools to actively monitor their supply chains and promptly disclose findings of items that do not comply with sourcing restrictions.
- Requires DoW to establish and maintain a publicly available online repository to ease industry compliance with supply chain sourcing requirements.
- Prohibits DoW from providing loan or grant funds to entities that do business with companies owned or controlled by China.
- Prohibits DoW from directly or indirectly acquiring computers or printers manufactured by Chinese entities.
- Prohibits DoW from procuring additive manufacturing machines produced by Chinese entities.
- Requires DoW to implement strategies to eliminate DoW's reliance on China for computer displays and optical glass and optical systems, such as night vision goggles.
- Supports ongoing efforts by DoW to mitigate dependencies on China for rare earth magnets.

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- Closes loopholes in current law to ensure DoW does not procure goods and services from Chinese-owned or controlled entities operating in third-party countries.
- Prohibits the acquisition of solar panels from companies owned or controlled by China and other adversaries.
- Directs DoW to develop a strategy and implementation plan to mitigate the risks of DoW contractors' use of certain light detection and ranging (LIDAR) technology.
- Prohibits DoW 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 \$2.7 billion in essential military construction projects and expands logistics capabilities in the Indo-Pacific to ensure our forces can sustain the fight.
- Requires DoW 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 the Pentagon to seek to establish a joint program with Taiwan to field uncrewed systems and counter-uncrewed systems.

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.
- Strengthens the U.S. security relationship with the Philippines by authorizing \$1.5 billion in new security assistance.
- Requires DoW to implement a strategy to expand basing agreements, intelligence sharing, command and control coordination, and multilateral military exercises with Australia, Japan, and the Philippines.



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Counters China's Malign Influence

- Fully funds military information operations assistance to Indo-Pacific allies to counter Chinese influence operations.
- Requires an assessment of Chinese intelligence collection activities in Cuba and their impact on U.S. national security.
- Requires interagency working groups to evaluate and make recommendations to deter the most dangerous aspects of cooperation among China, Russia, Iran, and North Korea