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H. R. 5117

To prohibit the provision of Federal funds to the Government of Afghanistan until United States persons and allies have been fully evacuated from the country, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 27, 2021

Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS 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 “Ensuring Evacuation
5 from Afghanistan Act of 2021”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON FUNDING TO THE GOVERNMENT**
2 **OF AFGHANISTAN.**

3 (a) IN GENERAL.—No Federal funds may be made
4 available to provide funding to the Government of Afghan-
5 istan until such time as the President makes a certifi-
6 cation described in subsection (c).

7 (b) ASSET BLOCKING.—The President shall exercise
8 all of the powers granted to the President under the Inter-
9 national Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C.
10 1701 et seq.) to the extent necessary to block and prohibit
11 all transactions in property and interests in property of
12 the Government of Afghanistan if such property and inter-
13 ests in property are in the United States, come within the
14 United States, or are or come within the possession or
15 control of a United States person until such time as the
16 President makes a certification described in subsection (c).

17 (c) CERTIFICATION DESCRIBED.—A certification de-
18 scribed in this subsection is a written certification sub-
19 mitted to Congress that all United States citizens, United
20 States legal permanent residents, coalition partners, and
21 Afghan allies who would like to evacuate from Afghanistan
22 have been evacuated from the country.

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