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H. R. 6981

To authorize the President to waive export criteria and transportation and related costs for transportation of certain ammunition and ordnance to supply entities providing ammunition to Ukraine, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. HUDSON (for himself, Mrs. SPARTZ, Mr. GOOD of Virginia, Mr. MURPHY of North Carolina, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. MCKINLEY, Mr. UPTON, Mr. EMMER, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. BABIN, Mr. BALDERSON, Mr. LATURNER, Mr. BUDD, Mrs. HARSHBARGER, Mr. MAST, Mr. KINZINGER, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. ROUZER, Mr. FEENSTRA, Mr. KUSTOFF, Mr. GARBARINO, Mr. GIBBS, Ms. FOXX, Mr. NEWHOUSE, Mr. GUEST, Mr. ARMSTRONG, Mr. ELLZEY, Mr. DUNN, and Ms. STEFANIK) 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This Act may be cited as the “American Ammo in
3 Defense of Ukraine Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. WAIVER OF EXPORT CRITERIA AND TRANSPOR-**
5 **TATION AND RELATED COSTS FOR TRANS-**
6 **PORTATION OF CERTAIN AMMUNITION AND**
7 **ORDNANCE TO UKRAINE.**

8 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—In the case of ammunition or ord-
9 nance with Export Classification Number 0A501 or Cat-
10 egory 3 on the U.S. munitions list that is to be delivered
11 to a confirmed military logistical supply entity providing
12 ammunition to Ukraine, as designated by the Secretary
13 of Defense, the President may—

14 (1) provide for the transportation of the ammu-
15 nition or ordnance without charge to Ukraine for the
16 costs of such transportation; and

17 (2) waive any applicable export criteria of the
18 Department of State or the Department of Com-
19 merce to expedite the delivery of the ammunition or
20 ordnance.

21 (b) **TERMINATION.**—The authority under subsection
22 (a) shall terminate when the armed conflict in Ukraine
23 ends.

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