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To require a report on military assistance to Ukraine.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 26, 2014

Ms. AYOTTE (for herself, Mr. CRUZ, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. RUBIO, and Mr. MURPHY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

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. SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING MILITARY**
4 **ASSISTANCE TO UKRAINE.**

5 Consistent with United States national security inter-
6 ests and current law, it is the sense of Congress that the
7 President, working with NATO allies, should as quickly
8 as possible provide the armed forces of Ukraine with ap-
9 propriate non-lethal military assistance and military train-
10 ing support requested by the Government of Ukraine.

1 **SEC. 2. REPORT ON MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO UKRAINE.**

2 (a) REPORT REQUIRED.—Not later than 30 days
3 after the date of the enactment of this Act, and every 180
4 days thereafter, the Secretary of Defense shall conduct an
5 assessment and submit to the congressional defense com-
6 mittees a report related to military assistance to Ukraine.

7 (b) ELEMENTS.—At a minimum, the report required
8 under subsection (a) should provide a detailed explanation
9 of the following matters:

10 (1) Military equipment, supplies, and defense
11 services, including type, quantity, and prioritization
12 of such items, requested by the Government of
13 Ukraine.

14 (2) Military equipment, supplies, and defense
15 services, including type, quantity, and actual or esti-
16 mated delivery date, that the United States Govern-
17 ment has provided, is currently providing, and plans
18 to provide to the Government of Ukraine.

19 (3) An assessment of what United States mili-
20 tary assistance to the Government of Ukraine, in-
21 cluding type and quantity, would most effectively im-
22 prove the military readiness and capabilities of the
23 Ukrainian military.

24 (4) An assessment of the need for, appropriate-
25 ness of, and force protection concerns of any United

1 States military advisors that may be made available
2 to the armed forces of Ukraine.

3 (5) Military training requested by the Govern-
4 ment of Ukraine.

5 (6) Military training the United States Govern-
6 ment has conducted with Ukraine in the previous six
7 months.

8 (7) Military training the United States Govern-
9 ment plans to conduct with the Government of
10 Ukraine in the next year.

11 (8) An assessment of the military assistance,
12 including equipment, supplies, and weaponry, pro-
13 vided by the Government of the Russian Federation
14 to irregular forces in Ukraine since February 22,
15 2014.

16 (c) SUNSET.—The requirements in this section shall
17 terminate on January 31, 2017.

18 (d) CONGRESSIONAL DEFENSE COMMITTEES DE-
19 FINED.—In this section, the term “congressional defense
20 committees” has the meaning given the term in section
21 101(a)(16) of title 10, United States Code.

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