

## Calendar No. 445

114TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION**S. 2845**

To extend the termination of sanctions with respect to Venezuela under the Venezuela Defense of Human Rights and Civil Society Act of 2014.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 25, 2016

Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. CRUZ) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

APRIL 28, 2016

Reported by Mr. CORKER, with an amendment

[Omit the part struck through and insert the part printed in *italic*]**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 “Venezuela Defense of  
5 Human Rights and Civil Society Extension Act of 2016”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF TERMINATION OF SANCTIONS WITH**  
2 **RESPECT TO VENEZUELA.**

3 Section 5(e) of the Venezuela Defense of Human  
4 Rights and Civil Society Act of 2014 (Public Law 113–  
5 278; 50 U.S.C. 1701 note) is amended by striking “De-  
6 cember 31, 2016” and inserting “~~December 31, 2021~~ *De-*  
7 *cember 31, 2019*”.



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