

117TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 4901

To amend the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended, to modify requirements under that Act relating to exemptions, and for other purposes.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 20, 2022

Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. HAGERTY, and Mrs. FISCHER) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

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## 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 “Preventing Adversary  
5 Influence, Disinformation, and Obscured Foreign Financ-  
6 ing Act of 2022” or the “PAID OFF Act of 2022”.

7 **SEC. 2. TREATMENT OF EXEMPTIONS UNDER FARA.**

8 Section 3 of the Foreign Agents Registration Act of  
9 1938, as amended (22 U.S.C. 613), is amended, in the

1 matter preceding subsection (a), by inserting “, except  
2 that the exemptions under subsections (d)(1) and (h) shall  
3 not apply to any agent of a foreign principal that is listed  
4 as a foreign adversary (as defined in section 8(e) of the  
5 Secure and Trusted Communications Networks Act of  
6 2019 (47 U.S.C. 1607(c)) in accordance with that Act”  
7 before the colon.

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