

DETECTING CHINA



The FY25 NDAA builds and maintains the overmatch we need to deter China.

Deterrence

- Extends the Pacific Deterrence Initiative to enhance U.S. deterrence and defense posture in the Indo-Pacific region.
- Authorizes over \$650 million in INDOPACOM Commander priorities left unfunded in the Biden budget.
- Rejects the Biden administration's effort to cut the number of guided missile cruisers.
- Increases funding for innovative new technologies needed to deter the CCP, including hypersonics, AI, autonomous systems, cyber, mobile micronuclear reactors, and high energy lasers.
- Requires the Navy to implement a program to ensure the surface fleet can rearm at sea.
- Requires DoD to brief Congress on the growing military cooperation between China, Russia, North Korea, and Iran.

Preventing Chinese Espionage

- Expands the prohibition on DoD from contracting with any Chinese civil-military companies to include any subsidiaries.
- Prohibits the Biden administration from sharing sensitive missile defense information with China.
- Prohibits Chinese nationals from being admitted to sensitive nuclear facilities.
- Prohibits universities and researchers from receiving DoD funds if they work with Chinese entities.
- Prohibits university personnel involved in DoD funded critical or emerging technology research from seeking or accepting employment with Chinese entities for 10 years after the end of their research.
- Prohibits DoD from issuing contracts to companies that employ lobbyists representing Chinese entities.
- Bans Chinese made connected vehicles at American military installations.
- Incentivizes contractors to implement procedures and use new technology to assess and monitor their supply chains against infiltration from China and other adversaries.
- Prohibits DoD from acquiring LIDAR technology from entities owned or controlled by China.
- Requires DoD to assess the national security risks associated with the use of Chinese made modems and routers.
- Requires DoD to maintain a list of applications of concern for mobile devices and assess products to improve the cybersecurity of mobile devices on DoD's network.
- Requires DoD to assess whether additional Chinese drone manufacturers should be added to the 1260H list and banned from contracts with the Department.
- Prohibits DoD from contracting with Chinese owned Tutor.com.
- Prohibits funds for EcoHealth Alliance programs in China.

Ensuring Mission Success in the Indo-Pacific

- Authorizes essential military construction projects and expands logistics capabilities in the Indo-Pacific to ensure our forces can sustain the fight.
- Enhances the ability of the INDOPACOM Commander to build minor MILCON projects.
- Continues the recapitalization of our aging sealift fleet.
- Authorizes limited ship repair in the Indo-Pacific.

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Bolstering Taiwan's Defense

- Reaffirms U.S. support to the defense of Taiwan.
- Authorizes funding for U.S. forces to continue training Taiwan and other partner nations in resisting China's aggression and malign influence.
- Requires DoD to include Taiwan in defense industrial base cooperation and revitalization programs.
- Establishes a new cooperative program with Taiwan and Indo-Pacific allies to improve medical readiness.

Supporting Indo-Pacific Allies and Partners

- Fully funds military exercises with our allies and partners in the Indo-Pacific to counter China's growing reach.
- Modifies train-and-equip authorities to allow DoD to build partner capacity in space domain awareness and defense to support U.S. security objectives in the Indo-Pacific region.

Countering Chinese Malign Influence

- Prohibits DoD from providing funding or support to entertainment companies that produce a project that furthers Chinese propaganda.
- Requires DoD to designate an official responsible for monitoring and reporting to Congress on the expansion of Chinese overseas basing and military cooperation agreements.
- Requires DoD to brief Congress on efforts to counter Chinese and Russian malign influence and presence in Africa.
- Fully funds military information operations assistance to Indo-Pacific allies to counter Chinese influence operations.

