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# H. R. 9434

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 30, 2024

Mr. GALLEGO introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on the Judiciary

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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. REVIEW AND REPORT ON PUBLIC-PRIVATE**  
4                       **PARTNERSHIPS TO COMBAT ILLICIT**  
5                       **FENTANYL.**

6       (a) REVIEW.—The heads of the agencies described in  
7       subsection (b) (and in the case of the intelligence commu-  
8       nity, the Director of National Intelligence) shall review,

1 respectively, the public-private partnerships of each such  
2 agency for combating the illicit fentanyl trade.

3 (b) AGENCIES DESCRIBED.—The agencies described  
4 in this subsection are the following:

5 (1) The Department of State.

6 (2) The Department of the Treasury.

7 (3) The Department of Defense.

8 (4) The Department of Justice.

9 (5) The Department of Commerce.

10 (6) The Department of Health and Human  
11 Services.

12 (7) The Department of Transportation.

13 (8) The Department of Energy.

14 (9) The Department of Homeland Security.

15 (10) The intelligence community (as defined in  
16 section 3(4) of the National Security Act of 1947  
17 (50 U.S.C. 3003(4))).

18 (11) The United States Postal Service.

19 (c) REPORTING.—

20 (1) INITIAL REPORT.—Not later than 30 days  
21 after the date of enactment of this Act, the heads  
22 of the agencies described in subsection (b) shall sub-  
23 mit to Congress a report describing the results of  
24 the review under subsection (a), including—

1                   (A) an assessment of the public-private  
2                   partnerships and their effectiveness; and

3                   (B) a description of any key gaps.

4                   (2) UPDATES.—Every 6 months following the  
5                   date of the submission of the report under sub-  
6                   section (c), the heads of the agencies described in  
7                   subsection (b) shall submit to Congress an update to  
8                   such report.

9                   (3) FORM.—The reports and updates under  
10                  this subsection shall be submitted in unclassified  
11                  form but may include a classified annex.

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