

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 5119

To amend the National Security Act of 1947, to direct the Director of National Intelligence to produce intelligence community assessments on certain effects of climate change, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 3, 2025

Mr. PETERS (for himself and Mr. CROW) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence

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 “National Security Cli-
5 mate Intelligence Act of 2025”.

1 **SEC. 2. PERIODIC INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY ASSESS-**
2 **MENTS ON CERTAIN EFFECTS OF CLIMATE**
3 **CHANGE.**

4 Title XI of the National Security Act of 1947 (50
5 U.S.C. 3231 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end
6 the following new section (and conforming the table of
7 contents at the beginning of such Act accordingly):

8 **“SEC. 1115. PERIODIC INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY ASSESS-**
9 **MENTS ON CERTAIN EFFECTS OF CLIMATE**
10 **CHANGE.**

11 “(a) REQUIREMENT.—Not later than the date that
12 is four years after the date of the enactment of the Na-
13 tional Security Climate Intelligence Act of 2025, and on
14 a basis that is not less frequent than once every 6 years
15 thereafter, the Director of National Intelligence shall, act-
16 ing through the National Intelligence Council—

17 “(1) produce an Intelligence Community As-
18 sessment on the national security and economic se-
19 curity effects of climate change; and

20 “(2) submit to the congressional intelligence
21 committees such Intelligence Community Assess-
22 ment.

23 “(b) FORM.—Each Intelligence Community Assess-
24 ment under subsection (a)(2) may be submitted in classi-

- 1 fied form, but if so submitted, shall include an unclassified
- 2 executive summary.”.

