

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 6347

To reauthorize the Global Child Thrive Act of 2020, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 2, 2025

Mr. CASTRO of Texas (for himself, Mr. McCORMICK, Mr. OLSZEWSKI, and Mr. FITZPATRICK) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

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 “Global Child Thrive
5 Reauthorization Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 2. APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL ADVISOR FOR ASSIST-**
7 **ANCE TO ORPHANS AND VULNERABLE CHIL-**
8 **DREN.**

9 Not later than 90 days after the date of the enact-
10 ment of this Act, the Secretary of State shall appoint a

1 Special Advisor for Assistance to Orphans and Vulnerable
2 Children, pursuant to section 135(e)(1) of the Foreign As-
3 sistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2152f(e)(1)).

4 **SEC. 3. EXTENSION OF REQUIREMENT TO ISSUE IMPL-**
5 **MENTING DIRECTIVES.**

6 Section 137(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961
7 (22 U.S.C. 2152k(c)) is amended by inserting “and 6
8 years” after “1 year”.

9 **SEC. 4. EXTENSION OF AUTHORIZATION.**

10 Section 1283(a) of the National Defense Authoriza-
11 tion Act for Fiscal Year 2021 (Public Law 116–283; re-
12 ferred to as the “Global Child Thrive Act of 2020”) is
13 amended by striking “2025” and inserting “2030”.

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