

119TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 8535

AN ACT

To direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to develop performance metrics relating to the detection, deterrence, and seizure of illicit fentanyl, and for other purposes.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

2 This act may be cited as the “Measuring Illicit
3 Fentanyl Trafficking Act”.

4 **SEC. 2. COMBATTING ILLICIT FENTANYL.**

5 Not later than one year after the date of the enact-
6 ment of this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security
7 shall—

8 (1) ensure that each component of the Depart-
9 ment of Homeland Security engaged in the detec-
10 tion, deterrence, and seizure of illicit fentanyl—

11 (A) to the extent practicable, collaborate
12 and share relevant information and data relat-
13 ing to the detection, deterrence, and seizure of
14 illicit fentanyl with other components of the De-
15 partment of Homeland Security engaged in
16 such detection, deterrence, and seizure or the
17 measurement thereof; and

18 (B) identify any barriers to sharing rel-
19 evant information and data pursuant to para-
20 graph (1); and

21 (2) establish performance metrics relating to
22 the detection, deterrence, and seizure of illicit
23 fentanyl for the Department of Homeland Security
24 and each component of such Department and ensure
25 that such metrics align with any strategic objectives
26 and goals of the Department related to the efforts

1 of the Department to combat illicit fentanyl traf-
2 ficking.

Passed the House of Representatives July 13, 2026.

Attest:

Clerk.

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