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H. R. 9964

To amend the War Powers Resolution to provide for the limitation on Federal funding in contravention of the requirements of the War Powers Resolution.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 2026

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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. LIMITATION ON FEDERAL FUNDING IN CON-**
4 **TRAVENTION OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF**
5 **THE WAR POWERS RESOLUTION.**

6 The War Powers Resolution (50 U.S.C. 1541 et seq.)
7 is amended by adding at the end the following:

1 **“SEC. 11. LIMITATION ON FEDERAL FUNDING IN CON-**
2 **TRAVENTION OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF**
3 **THIS JOINT RESOLUTION.**

4 “(a) IN GENERAL.—No Federal funds available to
5 the Department of Defense or any other Federal depart-
6 ment or agency may be obligated or expended to introduce
7 United States Armed Forces into hostilities, or into situa-
8 tions where imminent involvement in hostilities is clearly
9 indicated by the circumstances, or to provide for the con-
10 tinued use of such forces in hostilities or in such situations
11 in contravention of the requirements of this joint resolu-
12 tion.

13 “(b) EXCEPTIONS.—The limitation in subsection (a)
14 shall not apply with respect to the use of United States
15 Armed Forces to respond to—

16 “(1) a national emergency created by an immi-
17 nent attack upon the United States, its territories or
18 possessions, or its Armed Forces; or

19 “(2) an imminent attack upon an ally or part-
20 ner of the United States.”.

