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H. R. 3199

To prohibit statutory sanctions relief by the United States with respect to Iran unless the Senate provides its advice and consent to ratification of the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 23, 2015

Mr. BRAT (for himself, Mr. GROTHMAN, Mr. MESSER, and Mr. PALMER) 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,*

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITION ON STATUTORY SANCTIONS RE-**
2 **LIEF BY THE UNITED STATES WITH RESPECT**
3 **TO IRAN UNLESS THE SENATE PROVIDES ITS**
4 **ADVICE AND CONSENT TO RATIFICATION OF**
5 **THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF AC-**
6 **TION.**

7 (a) PROHIBITION.—Notwithstanding section 135 of
8 the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C. 2160e), as
9 added by section 2 of the Iran Nuclear Agreement Review
10 Act of 2015 (Public Law 114–17; 129 Stat. 201), or any
11 other provision of law, action involving any measure of
12 statutory sanctions relief by the United States may not
13 be taken unless the Senate provides its advice and consent
14 to ratification of the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action
15 under article II, section 2 of the United States Constitu-
16 tion.

17 (b) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

18 (1) ACTION INVOLVING ANY MEASURE OF STAT-
19 UTORY SANCTIONS RELIEF BY THE UNITED
20 STATES.—The term “action involving any measure
21 of statutory sanctions relief by the United States”
22 has the meaning given the term in section 135(e)(3)
23 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954 (42 U.S.C.
24 2160e(e)(3)).

25 (2) JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF ACTION.—
26 The term “Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action”

1 means the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action,
2 signed at Vienna July 14, 2015, by Iran and by the
3 People’s Republic of China, France, Germany, the
4 Russian Federation, the United Kingdom and the
5 United States, with the High Representative of the
6 European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security
7 Policy, and all implementing materials and agree-
8 ments related to the Joint Comprehensive Plan of
9 Action.

10 (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section takes effect on
11 the date of the enactment of this Act and applies with
12 respect to action involving any measure of statutory sanc-
13 tions relief by the United States provided before, on, or
14 after such date of enactment.

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