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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. CRUZ (for himself, Mr. COTTON, Mr. HAGERTY, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, and Mrs. BLACKBURN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

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. IMPOSITION OF SANCTIONS WITH RESPECT TO**
4 **ANSARALLAH.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the
6 date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall des-
7 ignate Ansarallah as a foreign terrorist organization pur-
8 suant to section 219 of the Immigration and Nationality
9 Act (8 U.S.C. 1189).

1 (b) DETERMINATION REQUIRED.—Not later than 30
2 days after the President makes the designation required
3 by subsection (a), the President shall submit to the Com-
4 mittee on Foreign Relations of the Senate and the Com-
5 mittee on Foreign Affairs of the House of Representatives
6 a determination regarding whether the following foreign
7 persons are officials, agents, or affiliates of Ansarallah:

8 (1) Abdul Malik al-Houthi.

9 (2) Abd al-Khaliq Badr al-Din al-Houthi.

10 (3) Abdullah Yahya al-Hakim.

11 (c) ANSARALLAH DEFINED.—In this section, the
12 term “Ansarallah” means the movement known as
13 Ansarallah, the Houthi movement, or any other alias.

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