

118TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. 7404

To require annual reports on counter illicit cross-border tunnel operations,
and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 16, 2024

Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. CORREA, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. GOSAR,
Mr. GUEST, Mr. HIGGINS of Louisiana, Mr. LUTTRELL, Mr. McCAUL,
and Mr. OGLES) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on Homeland Security

A BILL

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tunnel operations, 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,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Subterranean Border
5 Defense Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. ANNUAL REPORTS ON COUNTER ILLICIT CROSS-**
7 **BORDER TUNNEL OPERATIONS.**

8 Paragraph (2) of section 7134(a) of the James M.
9 Inhofe National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year

1 2023 (Public Law 117–263; 6 U.S.C. 257 note) is amend-
2 ed by inserting “and annually thereafter” after “develop-
3 ment of the strategic plan”.

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