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119TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

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To require the Secretary of State to submit a report on energy in Moldova.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Ms. Ross introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee
on _____

A BILL

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energy in Moldova.

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 “Promoting Oversight
5 With Energy Resilience for Moldova Act” or the
6 “POWER Moldova Act of 2026”.

7 **SEC. 2. REPORT TO CONGRESS ON ENERGY IN MOLDOVA.**

8 (a) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of Con-
9 gress that—

1 (1) the United States and Moldova have main-
2 tained a strategic bilateral relationship for over 30
3 years; and

4 (2) this relationship has deepened in recent
5 years amid Russia's war of aggression against
6 Ukraine, with both sides prioritizing Moldova's de-
7 fense and security cooperation, and resilience
8 against hybrid threats.

9 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date
10 of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State, in
11 coordination with the Secretary of Energy, shall submit
12 to Congress a report on—

13 (1) energy production, imports, and consump-
14 tion in the Republic of Moldova;

15 (2) the transparency of energy pricing and bill-
16 ing practices in Moldova;

17 (3) vulnerabilities in energy infrastructure in
18 Moldova;

19 (4) ongoing international cooperation efforts
20 with Moldova regarding—

21 (A) training of future leaders;

22 (B) fostering a better understanding of the
23 United States;

1 (C) establishing a rapport between the
2 United States Armed Forces and Moldova's
3 military to build partnerships for the future;

4 (D) enhancement of interoperability and
5 capabilities for joint operations; and

6 (E) focusing on professional military edu-
7 cation, civilian control of the military, and pro-
8 tection of human rights;

9 (5) the potential for renewable energy develop-
10 ment in Moldova, including the development of geo-
11 thermal energy, solar energy, and wind resources;
12 and

13 (6) an assessment of the feasibility, investment
14 needs, and barriers to deployment with respect to
15 such renewable energy development.