
12 **SEC. 333. DISCRIMINATION RELATED TO SEXUAL ORIENTA-**
13 **TION.**

14 (a) *TRACKING VIOLENCE OR CRIMINALIZATION RE-*
15 *LATED TO SEXUAL ORIENTATION.*—*The Assistant Secretary*
16 *for Democracy, Human Rights and Labor shall designate*
17 *a Bureau-based officer or officers who shall be responsible*
18 *for tracking violence, criminalization, and restrictions on*
19 *the enjoyment of fundamental freedoms, consistent with*
20 *United States law, in foreign countries based on actual or*
21 *perceived sexual orientation and gender identity.*

22 (b) *INTERNATIONAL EFFORTS TO REVISE LAWS CRIM-*
23 *INALIZING HOMOSEXUALITY.*—*In keeping with the Admin-*
24 *istration's endorsement of efforts by the United Nations to*
25 *decriminalize homosexuality in member states, the Sec-*

1 *relary of State shall work through appropriate United States*
 2 *Government employees at United States diplomatic and*
 3 *consular missions to encourage the governments of other*
 4 *countries to reform or repeal laws of such countries crim-*
 5 *inalizing homosexuality or consensual homosexual conduct,*
 6 *or restricting the enjoyment of fundamental freedoms, con-*
 7 *sistent with United States law, by homosexual individuals*
 8 *or organizations.*

9 (c) *ANNUAL COUNTRY REPORTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS*
 10 *PRACTICES.—The Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 is amend-*
 11 *ed—*

12 (1) *in section 116(d) (22 U.S.C. 2151n(d))—*

13 (A) *in paragraph (10), by striking “and”*
 14 *at the end;*

15 (B) *in paragraph (11)—*

16 (i) *in subparagraph (B), by striking*
 17 *“and” at the end; and*

18 (ii) *in subparagraph (C), by striking*
 19 *the period at the end and inserting “; and”;*
 20 *and*

21 (C) *by adding at the end the following new*
 22 *paragraph:*

23 “(12) *wherever applicable, violence or discrimi-*
 24 *nation that affects the fundamental freedoms, con-*
 25 *sistent with United States law, of an individual in*

1 *foreign countries that is based on actual or perceived*
2 *sexual orientation and gender identity.”; and*

3 *(2) in section 502B(b) (22 U.S.C. 2304(b)), by*
4 *inserting after the eighth sentence the following new*
5 *sentence: “Wherever applicable, violence or discrimi-*
6 *nation that affects the fundamental freedoms, con-*
7 *sistent with United States law, of an individual in*
8 *foreign countries that is based on actual or perceived*
9 *sexual orientation and gender identity.”.*

10 *(d) TRAINING FOR FOREIGN SERVICE OFFICERS.—*
11 *Section 708(a) of the Foreign Service Act of 1980 (22 16*
12 *U.S.C. 4028(a)) is amended—*

13 *(1) in the matter preceding paragraph (1), by*
14 *inserting “the Secretary for Democracy, Human*
15 *Rights and Labor,” before “the Ambassador at*
16 *Large”;*

17 *(2) in paragraph (2), by striking “and” at the*
18 *end;*

19 *(3) in paragraph (3), by striking the period at*
20 *the end and inserting “; and”;* and

21 *(4) by adding at the end the end the following*
22 *new paragraph:*

23 *“(4) instruction, in courses covering human*
24 *rights reporting and advocacy work, on identifying*
25 *violence or discrimination that affects the funda-*

1 *mental freedoms, consistent with United States law,*
2 *of an individual that is based on actual or perceived*
3 *sexual orientation and gender identity.”*

4 **SEC. 334. OFFICE FOR GLOBAL WOMEN'S ISSUES.**

5 (a) *ESTABLISHMENT.*—*There is established an Office*
6 *for Global Women's Issues (in this section referred to as*
7 *the “Office”) in the Office of the Secretary of State in the*
8 *Department of State. The Office shall be headed by the Am-*
9 *bassador-at-Large (in this section referred to as the “Am-*
10 *bassador”), who shall be appointed by the President, by and*
11 *with the advice and consent of the Senate. The Ambassador*
12 *shall report directly to the Secretary of State.*

13 (b) *PURPOSE.*—*The Office shall coordinate efforts of*
14 *the United States Government regarding gender integration*
15 *and women's empowerment in United States foreign policy.*

16 (c) *DUTIES.*—

17 (1) *IN GENERAL.*—*The Ambassador shall—*

18 (A) *coordinate and advise on activities,*
19 *policies, programs, and funding relating to gen-*
20 *der integration and women's empowerment*
21 *internationally for all bureaus and offices of the*
22 *Department of State and in the international*
23 *programs of other United States Government de-*
24 *partments and agencies;*