

Floor Amendment No. 1805 (1463) to HR 1735

SESSIONS AMENDMENT SA 1805

TEXT OF AMENDMENT

SA 1805. Mr. SESSIONS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1463 proposed by Mr. MCCAIN to the bill H.R. 1735, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2016 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table, as follows:

After subsection (a) of section 1227, insert the following:

(b) Department of Defense Concurrence.— Section 602(b)(2)(D) of the Afghan Allies Protection Act of 2009 (8 U.S.C. 1001 note) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(iii) WRITTEN CONCURRENCE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE.—After obtaining the approval from the Chief of Mission under clause (i), but prior to the alien’s admission to the United States, the alien shall obtain the written concurrence of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Central Asia, or the written concurrence of the Commander of United States Forces-Afghanistan. Such written concurrence shall include an attestation that the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Central Asia, or the Commander of United States Forces-Afghanistan, has personally and independently reviewed the alien’s application, and has no concerns regarding the admission of the alien or the dependents of the alien to the United States, or regarding the future danger the alien or the dependents of the alien may pose to the United States after admission.”.