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To provide for an accounting of total United States contributions to the United Nations.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 16, 2013

Mr. LEE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

A BILL

To provide for an accounting of total United States contributions to the United Nations.

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. REPORT ON UNITED STATES CONTRIBUTIONS**

4 **TO THE UNITED NATIONS.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 90 days after the
6 date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter,
7 the Director of the Office of Management and Budget
8 shall submit to Congress a report on all assessed and vol-
9 untary contributions, including in-kind, of the United
10 States Government to the United Nations and its affili-

1 ated agencies and related bodies during the previous fiscal
2 year.

3 (b) CONTENT.—The report required under subsection
4 (a) shall include the following elements:

5 (1) The total amount of all assessed and vol-
6 untary contributions, including in-kind, of the
7 United States Government to the United Nations
8 and United Nations affiliated agencies and related
9 bodies.

10 (2) The approximate percentage of United
11 States Government contributions to each United Na-
12 tions affiliated agency or body in such fiscal year
13 when compared with all contributions to such agency
14 or body from any source in such fiscal year.

15 (3) For each such contribution—

16 (A) the amount of the contribution;

17 (B) a description of the contribution (in-
18 cluding whether assessed or voluntary);

19 (C) the department or agency of the
20 United States Government responsible for the
21 contribution;

22 (D) the purpose of the contribution; and

23 (E) the United Nations or United Nations
24 affiliated agency or related body receiving the
25 contribution.

1 (c) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION.—Not
2 later than 14 days after submitting a report required
3 under subsection (a), the Director of the Office of Man-
4 agement and Budget shall post a public version of the re-
5 port on a text-based, searchable, and publicly available
6 Internet website.

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