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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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

A BILL

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Prohibiting Certain Off-Post Demonstrations Act of 2024”.

SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN OFF-POST DEMONSTRATIONS.

(a) PROHIBITION.—Members of the United States Armed Forces are prohibited from participating in off-post demonstrations under any of the following circumstances:

(1) They are on-duty.

(2) They are in a foreign country.
(3) The activities constitute a breach of law and order.

(4) Violence is likely to result.

(5) They are in uniform in violation of Department of Defense Instruction (DoDI) 1334.1, “Wearing of the Uniform,” or any successor regulation.

(6) The demonstration is against United States military action.

(7) The demonstration is against United States support of a United States ally at war.

(8) The demonstration is outside the embassy of the United States or a United States ally.

(b) DERELICTION OF DUTY.—Failure to adhere to the prohibition in subsection (a) shall be punishable under section 892 of title 10, United States Code (article 92 of the Uniform Code of Military Justice).