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# S. 2485

To provide for the immediate reinstatement of sanctions against Iran if Iran attempts to acquire nuclear weapons technology from North Korea.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 3, 2016

Mr. THUNE (for himself, Mr. ROUNDS, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. TOOMEY) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

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## A BILL

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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 “North Korea and Iran  
5 Sanctions Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. REINSTATEMENT OF SANCTIONS AGAINST IRAN.**

7 (a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following find-  
8 ings:

1           (1) In the Preface of the Joint Comprehensive  
2 Plan of Action, agreed to at Vienna, July 14, 2015,  
3 “Iran reaffirms that under no circumstances will  
4 Iran ever seek, develop or acquire any nuclear weap-  
5 ons.”.

6           (2) Any attempt by Iran to design, pursue,  
7 build or otherwise seek a nuclear weapon would be—

8                   (A) an explicit and detectable violation of  
9 the Treaty on Non-Proliferation of Nuclear  
10 Weapons, agreed to at Washington, London,  
11 and Moscow, July 1, 1968; and

12                   (B) a violation of the Joint Comprehensive  
13 Plan of Action.

14           (b) SANCTIONS.—If the Director of National Intel-  
15 ligence certifies that the Government of the Islamic Re-  
16 public of Iran has acquired, or is attempting to acquire,  
17 nuclear weapons technology from the Government of the  
18 Democratic People’s Republic of Korea (commonly known  
19 as “North Korea”) after the date of the enactment of this  
20 Act, the President shall immediately reinstate all sanctions  
21 against Iran that were waived or suspended by the Joint  
22 Comprehensive Plan of Action, agreed to at Vienna July  
23 14, 2015.

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