

## **Students for Life Action Scoring Alert:**

## KEY VOTE on AMENDMENT to the *National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal*Year 2024

July 11, 2023

Members of the United States House of Representatives:

On behalf of our more than 1,400 active groups and thousands of trained student activists across the nation, Students for Life Action (SFLA) urges you to vote YES on amendments offered by Rep. Matt Gaetz (R-FL) and Rep. Ronny Jackson (R-TX) to the National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year 2024.

SFLAction will be scoring votes on these, and potentially other amendments related to life issues in the NDAA. These votes will be a part of our <a href="Pro-Life Generation Congressional">Pro-Life Generation Congressional</a> Report Card that will be shared with our activists in all 50 states and the pro-life community.

As the House Rules Committee website explained, Rep. Gaetz's amendment "prohibits delaying basing decisions based on state abortion regulations," and Rep, Jackson's amendment "prohibits the Secretary of Defense from paying for or reimbursing expenses relating to abortion services."

Our military is the greatest the world has ever known. It should focus on its core mission of defending the United States, and not advance military policies that directly or indirectly result in the destruction of innocent life in the womb. Taxpayer dollars should be used to support our military, and never to advance abortion.

The Pro-Life Generation supports these commonsense amendments that protect life. As SFLA reported in a YouGov poll conducted for the *Demetree Institute for Pro-Life Advancement*, registered Gen Z and Gen Y voters – like most Americans – don't want their taxpayer dollars used to support abortion.

We believe that elected officials at *every* level of government have the moral obligation to protect innocent preborn lives and should legislate accordingly.

We are the Pro-Life Generation, and we **ask that you vote YES on the amendments offered by Reps. Jackson and Gaetz and oppose.** Your vote will be part of our scorecard that will be shared with our activists in all 50 states and the pro-life community.

Sincerely,

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