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General Comment

I think this is a great idea and very necessary to prevent Foreign financial institutions who have correspondent accounts in US financial institutions from using the US financial system to process financial transactions for Hizbollah. I think it is important to be able to have a record of all transactions in the US financial system that were made by a Foreign bank if they had a correspondent account in a US bank. If these foreign banks were processing payments that could benefit a foreign terrorist organization like hizbollah then we should close those accounts and review what types of transactions were made. This type of law is something that we need.