Global Malnutrition Prevention

ENGAGE: No matter where they live, all children deserve a strong start in life. Shockingly, even before the COVID-19 crisis, malnutrition was an underlying cause of almost half of all preventable deaths of children under age 5.

STATE PROBLEM: Because of COVID-19, it's possible that approximately 168,000 additional children under 5 could die by 2022.

INFORM: Fortunately, Congress has introduced a bipartisan bill, the Global Malnutrition Prevention and Treatment Act (S.2956/H.R.4693) that calls for a coordinated USAID strategy, clear targets, and solid interventions so that assistance reaches the most impoverished children.

CALL TO ACTION: Children should not just survive; they should thrive. Will you cosponsor the Global Malnutrition Prevention and Treatment Act? I would be happy to provide any additional information your office might need.