

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 4835

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 1, 2025

Mr. BARR introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Financial Services

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 “Strategic Resources
5 Non-discrimination Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. LIMITATIONS ON CERTAIN AUTHORITIES UNDER**
2 **THE DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950.**

3 (a) DOMESTIC ENERGY SUPPLIES.—Section
4 101(c)(1) of the Defense Production Act of 1950 (50
5 U.S.C. 4511(c)(1)) is amended by inserting “, other than
6 for purposes of environmental protection,” after “domestic
7 energy supplies”.

8 (b) PROHIBITION ON DISCRIMINATION BASED ON IN-
9 DUSTRY.—Title III of the Defense Production Act of 1950
10 (50 U.S.C. 4531 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end
11 the following:

12 **“SEC. 306. PROHIBITION ON DISCRIMINATION BASED ON**
13 **ENERGY SOURCE.**

14 “In using the authorities under this title, the Presi-
15 dent may not deny financial support pursuant to sections
16 301, 302, or 303, other than for the production of energy,
17 based on engagement by a person in the exploration, devel-
18 opment, production, utilization, transportation, or sale of
19 fossil fuel-based energy.”.

