

AMENDMENT TO THE RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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OFFERED BY MR. WALTZ OF FLORIDA

In subtitle C of title XVIII, add at the end the following:

1 SEC. 1859. USE OF DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT OF 1950 AU-
2 THORITIES.

3 (a) DOMESTIC SOURCE DEFINITION.—Section
4 702(7)(A) of the Defense Production Act of 1950 (50
5 U.S.C. 4552(7)(A)) is amended by striking “United
6 States or Canada” and inserting “United States, the
7 United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,
8 Australia, or Canada”.

9 (b) REQUIREMENT TO FUND CERTAIN PROJECTS IN
10 THE UNITED STATES.—With respect to the exercise of
11 any authority under the Defense Production Act of 1950
12 pursuant to Presidential Determination No. 2022-11 (87
13 Fed. Reg. 19775) or the Presidential Memorandum of
14 February 27, 2023 (88 Fed. Reg. 13015) in support of
15 domestic sourcing and supply of strategic and critical ma-
16 terials, funds may not be provided to support a project
17 in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ire-

1 land, Australia, or Canada unless equal or greater funding
2 is provided to a project within the United States.

3 (c) APPROPRIATE PRIORITIZATION OF U.S.
4 PROJECTS.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Title VII of the Defense
6 Production Act of 1950 (50 U.S.C. 4551 et seq.) is
7 amended by inserting after section 711 the fol-
8 lowing:

9 **“SEC. 712. APPROPRIATE PRIORITIZATION OF U.S.**
10 **PROJECTS.**

11 “Any project funded within the United States
12 through the use of any authority under this Act shall—

13 “(1) be treated as a covered project, as defined
14 in section 41001(6) of the FAST Act (42 U.S.C.
15 4370m(6)), without regard to the requirements of
16 that section; and

17 “(2) included in the Permitting Dashboard
18 maintained pursuant to section 41003(b) of that Act
19 (42 U.S.C. 4370m–2(b)).”.

20 (2) RULE OF APPLICATION.—The amendment
21 made by paragraph (1) shall apply to a project re-
22 ceiving funds after the date of enactment of this
23 Act.

