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# H. R. 1721

[Report No. 119-]

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 27, 2025

Mrs. MILLER-MEEKS (for herself and Ms. SCHRIER) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce

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Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union,  
and ordered to be printed

# **A BILL**

To direct the Secretary of Commerce to conduct a study on the feasibility of manufacturing in the United States products for critical infrastructure sectors, and for other purposes.

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 “Critical Infrastructure  
5       Manufacturing Feasibility Act”.

6       **SEC. 2. STUDY ON CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE MANUFAC-**  
7               **TURING IN THE UNITED STATES.**

8       (a) STUDY.—Not later than 1 year after the date of  
9       the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Commerce  
10      shall conduct a study to—

11           (1) identify, within each critical infrastructure  
12           sector, any product that is in high demand and is  
13           being imported due to a manufacturing, material, or  
14           supply chain constraint in the United States;

15           (2) analyze the costs and benefits of manufac-  
16           turing in the United States any product identified  
17           under paragraph (1), including any effects on—

18                   (A) jobs, employment rates, and labor con-  
19                   ditions in the United States; and

20                   (B) the cost of the product;

21           (3) identify any product identified under para-  
22           graph (1) that feasibly may be manufactured in the  
23           United States; and

1 (4) analyze the feasibility of, and any impedi-  
2 ments to, manufacturing any product identified  
3 under paragraph (3) in—

4 (A) a rural area;

5 (B) an industrial park; or

6 (C) an industrial park in a rural area.

7 (b) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 18  
8 months after the date of the enactment of this Act, the  
9 Secretary shall—

10 (1) submit to Congress a report containing the  
11 results of the study required by subsection (a), with  
12 recommendations relating to manufacturing in the  
13 United States products identified under subsection  
14 (a)(3); and

15 (2) make the report available to the public on  
16 the website of the Department of Commerce.

17 (c) LIMITATION ON AUTHORITY.—This section may  
18 not be construed to provide the Secretary of Commerce  
19 with authority to compel a person to provide information  
20 described in this section.

21 (d) DEFINITION OF CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE  
22 SECTOR.—In this section, the term “critical infrastructure  
23 sector” means each of the 16 designated critical infra-  
24 structure sectors identified in Presidential Policy Directive

1 21 of February 12, 2013 (Critical Infrastructure Security  
2 and Resilience).