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# H. R. 7601

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 8, 2024

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

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## 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 “Bullets Not Batteries  
5 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF AUTHORITIES FOR**  
2 **ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND RELATED TECH-**  
3 **NOLOGY.**

4 Section 104 of the Defense Production Act of 1950  
5 (50 U.S.C. 4514) is amended by adding at the end the  
6 following:

7 “(c) **ELECTRIC VEHICLES AND RELATED TECH-**  
8 **NOLOGY.**—The authorities provided under this title and  
9 title III may not be used with respect to—

10 “(1) electric vehicles;

11 “(2) electric vehicle batteries;

12 “(3) electric vehicle charging stations or other  
13 electric vehicle infrastructure; or

14 “(4) obtaining critical minerals that will be  
15 used for the manufacturing of any item described  
16 under paragraph (1), (2), or (3).”.

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