

119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 1501

To amend the FAST Act to include certain mineral production activities as a covered project, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 21, 2025

Mr. SHREVE (for himself and Mr. MOORE of Utah) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

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 “Protecting Domestic
5 Mining Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 2. DEFINITION OF COVERED PROJECT.**

7 Section 41001(6)(A) of the FAST Act (42 U.S.C.
8 4370m(6)(A)) is amended by inserting “mining,” before
9 “or any other sector”.

1 **SEC. 3. PROHIBITION AGAINST FINALIZING, IMPLE-**
2 **MENTING, OR ENFORCING PROPOSED RULE**
3 **RELATED TO SCOPE OF MINING UNDER FAST**
4 **ACT.**

5 The Federal Permitting Improvement Steering Coun-
6 cil may not finalize, implement, administer, or enforce the
7 proposed rule titled “Revising Scope of the Mining Sector
8 of Projects That Are Eligible for Coverage Under Title
9 41 of the Fixing America’s Surface Transportation Act”
10 (88 Fed. Reg. 65350; September 22, 2023).

