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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. BARR of Georgia introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on International Relations

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## A BILL

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orders.

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 “Terrorist Elimination  
5       Act of 2001”.

6       **SEC. 2. FINDINGS.**

7       Congress finds that—

8               (1) past Presidents have issued Executive or-  
9       ders which severely limit the use of the military  
10      when dealing with potential threats against the  
11      United States of America;

1           (2) these Executive orders limit the swift, sure,  
2           and precise action needed by the United States to  
3           protect our national security;

4           (3) present strategy allows the military forces  
5           to bomb large targets hoping to eliminate a terrorist  
6           leader, but prevents our country from designing a  
7           limited action which would specifically accomplish  
8           that purpose;

9           (4) on several occasions the military has been  
10          ordered to use a military strike hoping, in most  
11          cases unsuccessfully, to remove a terrorist leader  
12          who has committed crimes against the United State;

13          (5) as the threat from terrorism grows, America  
14          must continue to investigate effective ways to com-  
15          bat the menace posed by those who would murder  
16          American citizens simply to make a political point;  
17          and

18          (6) actions by the United States Government to  
19          remove such persons is a remedy which should be  
20          used sparingly and considered only after all other  
21          reasonable options have failed or are not available;  
22          however, this is an option our country must main-  
23          tain for cases in which international threats cannot  
24          be eliminated by other means.

1 **SEC. 3. NULLIFICATION OF EFFECT OF CERTAIN PROVI-**  
2 **SIONS OF VARIOUS EXECUTIVE ORDERS.**

3 The following provisions of Executive orders shall  
4 have no further force or effect:

- 5 (1) Section 5(g) of Executive Order 11905.  
6 (2) Section 2–305 of Executive Order 12036.  
7 (3) Section 2.11 of Executive Order 12333.

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