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S. 843

To limit the amount of ammunition purchased or possessed by certain Federal agencies for a 6-month period.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. INHOFE introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs

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 “Ammunition Manage-
5 ment for More Obtainability Act of 2013”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON PURCHASING AMMUNITION.**

7 (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section—

8 (1) the term “agency” has the meaning given
9 that term in section 551 of title 5, United States
10 Code;

1 (2) the term “ammunition” has the meaning
2 given that term in section 921 of title 18, United
3 States Code; and

4 (3) the term “covered agency”—

5 (A) means an agency; and

6 (B) does not include the Department of
7 Defense.

8 (b) PROHIBITION.—During the 6-month period be-
9 ginning on the date of enactment of this Act, a covered
10 agency may not purchase during any month or possess,
11 at any one time, more rounds of ammunition than the
12 monthly average of the number of rounds of ammunition
13 purchased by the covered agency during the period begin-
14 ning on January 1, 2001 and ending on December 31,
15 2009.

16 (c) GAO REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the
17 date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General
18 of the United States shall submit to Congress a report
19 regarding the purchasing of ammunition by agencies,
20 which shall include an assessment of the effect of the pur-
21 chasing of ammunition by agencies on the supply of am-
22 munition available to the public.

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