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H. R. 5142

To amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to update the Federal purchase requirement to ensure the use of 100 percent renewable energy by 2050, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 18, 2019

Ms. BROWNLEY of California introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Reform

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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 “Green Energy for Fed-
5 eral Buildings Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. FEDERAL PURCHASE REQUIREMENT.**

7 Section 203 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005 (42
8 U.S.C. 15852) is amended—

1 (1) in subsection (a)—

2 (A) by amending paragraph (3) to read as
3 follows:

4 “(3) Not less than 7.5 percent in fiscal years
5 2013 through 2019.”; and

6 (B) by adding at the end the following:

7 “(4) Not less than 35 percent in fiscal years
8 2030 through 2039.

9 “(5) Not less than 75 percent in fiscal years
10 2040 through 2049.

11 “(6) Not less than 100 percent in fiscal year
12 2050 and each fiscal year thereafter.”; and

13 (2) by amending subsection (c) to read as fol-
14 lows:

15 “(c) FEASIBILITY.—In carrying out this section, the
16 Secretary shall seek to ensure that, to the maximum ex-
17 tent economically feasible and technically practicable, the
18 Federal Government consumes renewable energy pro-
19 duced—

20 “(1) on-site at a Federal facility;

21 “(2) on Federal lands; or

22 “(3) on Indian land as defined in section 2601
23 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 (25 U.S.C.
24 3501).”.