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S. 2139

To provide for expedited procurement for experimental purposes, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 18, 2025

Mr. SHEEHY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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 “Procurement Reform
5 for Immediate Military Equipment Act” or the “PRIME
6 Act”.

7 **SEC. 2. MODIFICATIONS TO PROCUREMENT FOR EXPERI-**
8 **MENTAL PURPOSES.**

9 Section 4023 of title 10, United States Code, is
10 amended—

1 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “ordnance,
 2 signal, chemical activity, transportation, energy,
 3 medical, space flight, telecommunications, and aero-
 4 nautical supplies, including parts and accessories,
 5 and designs thereof,” and inserting “demonstrations,
 6 prototypes, products, supplies, parts, accessories,
 7 auxiliary services, and design for defense-related ar-
 8 ticles”;

9 (2) in subsection (b)—

10 (A) by inserting “or modified” after “may
 11 be made”; and

12 (B) by inserting “prototyping,” after
 13 “greater than necessary for”; and

14 (3) by adding at the end the following new sub-
 15 section:

16 “(c) FOLLOW-ON PRODUCTION CONTRACTS OR
 17 TRANSACTIONS.—Purchases under this section may allow
 18 for follow-on production contracts or transactions without
 19 the use of competitive procedures or further justification,
 20 even if explicit notification was not provided, if a combat-
 21 ant command submits a written determination that the
 22 purchased item successfully completed the experiment and
 23 intends to field the item.”.

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