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H. R. 2799

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. TITUS (for herself and Mr. FITZPATRICK) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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 “Closing the Bump
5 Stock Loophole Act of 2025”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 44 of title 18, United
8 States Code, is amended—

(1) in section 921(a), by inserting after para-
graph (30) the following:

3 “(31) The term ‘semiautomatic firearm’ means any
4 firearm that—

5 “(A) upon initiating the firing sequence, fires
6 the first chambered cartridge and uses a portion of
7 the energy of the firing cartridge to—

8 “(i) extract the expended cartridge case;

9 “(ii) chamber the next round; and

10 “(iii) prepare the firing mechanism to fire
11 again;

12 “(B) requires a separate pull, release, push, or
13 initiation of the trigger to fire each cartridge; and

14 “(C) is not a machinegun.”;

15 (2) in section 922, by inserting after subsection
16 (ii) the following:

17 “(v)(1) Except as provided in paragraphs (3) and (4),

18 on and after the date

19 enactment of this subsection, it shall be unlawful for any
20 person to import, sell, manufacture, transfer, receive, or
21 possess, in or affecting interstate or foreign commerce—

22 “(A) any manual, power-driven, or electronic
23 device primarily designed, or redesigned, so that
24 when the device is attached to a semi-automatic fire-
25 arm the device—

1 “(i) materially increases the rate of fire of
2 the firearm; or

3 “(ii) approximates the action or rate of fire
4 of a machinegun;

5 “(B) any device, part, or combination of parts,
6 that is designed or functions to materially increase
7 the rate of fire of a semi-automatic firearm, by
8 eliminating the need for the operator of the firearm
9 to make a separate movement for each individual
10 function of the trigger; or

11 “(C) a semi-automatic firearm that has been
12 modified in any way that—

13 “(i) materially increases the rate of fire of
14 the firearm; or

15 “(ii) approximates the action or rate of fire
16 of a machinegun.

17 “(2) Except as provided in paragraph (3), not later
18 than 120 days after the date of enactment of this sub-
19 section, any person who lawfully owns or possesses a semi-
20 automatic firearm that was modified as described in para-
21 graph (1)(C) before such date of enactment shall register
22 the semiautomatic firearm in accordance with section
23 5841 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

24 “(3) This subsection does not apply with respect to
25 the importation for, manufacture for, sale to, transfer to,

1 or possession by or under the authority of, the United
2 States or any department or agency thereof or a State
3 or Tribe, or a department, agency, or political subdivision
4 thereof.

5 “(4) Paragraph (1) shall not apply to any lawful
6 transfer or possession of a semi-automatic firearm de-
7 scribed in paragraph (1)(C) that—

8 “(A) was lawfully modified and possessed before
9 the date of enactment of this subsection; and

10 “(B) is registered in accordance with paragraph
11 (2).”; and

12 (3) in section 924(a)(2), by striking “, or (o)”
13 and inserting “(o), or (v)”.

14 (b) AMENDMENT TO THE NATIONAL FIREARMS
15 ACT.—Section 5845(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of
16 1986 is amended by striking “and (8) a destructive de-
17 vice” and inserting “(8) a destructive device; and (9) a
18 semi-automatic firearm, as defined in section 921 of title
19 18, United States Code, that is modified as described in
20 section 922(v)(1)(C) of such title”.

