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S. 4485

To modify the definition of critical technologies for purposes of reviews by the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 6, 2020

Mr. TILLIS (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. RUBIO) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban 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. DEFINITION OF CRITICAL TECHNOLOGIES FOR**
4 **PURPOSES OF REVIEWS BY THE COMMITTEE**
5 **ON FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN THE UNITED**
6 **STATES.**

7 Section 721(a)(6)(A)(vi) of the Defense Production
8 Act of 1950 (50 U.S.C. 4565(a)(6)(A)(vi)) is amended—

1 (1) by striking “technologies controlled” and in-
2 serting the following: “technologies—

3 “(I) controlled”;

4 (2) by striking the period at the end and insert-
5 ing “; or”; and

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

7 “(II) identified by the chair-
8 person and one other member of the
9 Committee as essential to the national
10 security of the United States.”.

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