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117TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. BUDD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee  
on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

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requirements of rulemaking, and for other purposes.

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 “Freedom from Regula-  
5       tions Act of 2021”.

6       **SEC. 2. INDEPENDENT AGENCIES TO COMPLY WITH GOV-**  
7       **ERNMENT-WIDE RULES ON AGENCY ACTION.**

8       Notwithstanding any other provision of law, an inde-  
9       pendent agency (as such term is defined in section

1 3502(5) of title 44, United States Code, but in any event  
2 not including the Board of Governors of the Federal Re-  
3 serve System) shall comply with any provision of law appli-  
4 cable to the agency action of any other agency, including  
5 the provisions of subchapter II of chapter 5 of title 5,  
6 United States Code, chapter 6 of title 5, United States  
7 Code, the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995, the  
8 Economic Growth and Regulatory Paperwork Reduction  
9 Act of 1996, and section 515 of the Consolidated Appro-  
10 priations Act, 2001.

11 **SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.**

12 Terms used in this Act have the meanings given such  
13 terms in section 551 of title 5, United States Code.