

A Bill to Enhance Rare Earth Element Collaboration with Namibia

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States (US) shall provide Namibia with annual economic aid of \$1 Billion,
3 fostering mutually beneficial partnerships between US companies and local Namibian
4 miners in the rare Earth element industry.

5 This collaboration aligns with the US national security mission to diversify its rare Earth
6 elements supply chains and simultaneously contribute to the economic development of
7 Namibia.

8 **SECTION 2.** The economic aid shall be utilized to subsidize local Namibian businesses, promoting
9 grassroots economic stabilization initiatives. Additionally, a portion of the aid will be
10 allocated to infrastructure enhancement and the construction of facilities.

11 In return, US companies shall be granted priority access to partnership opportunities with
12 local miners, ensuring that contracts offered by US companies take precedence over those
13 from other foreign nations.

14 US companies shall receive full approval from the Namibian government to establish
15 infrastructure for mining and processing facilities on local land.

16 **SECTION 3.** The US Department of Defense and the US Agency for International Development will
17 collaborate to implement this legislation.

18 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect in fiscal year 2027. All laws in conflict with this legislation are
19 hereby declared null and void.