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To develop a comprehensive, strategic plan for Federal electric vehicle fleet battery management, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. Carolyn B. Maloney of New York introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

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 "Strategic EV Manage-
- 5 ment Act of 2022".
- 6 SEC. 2. FEDERAL ELECTRIC VEHICLE FLEET BATTERY
- 7 **MANAGEMENT PLAN.**
- 8 (a) Strategic Guidance.—

1	(1) In general.—Not later than 2 years after
2	the date of the enactment of this Act, the Adminis-
3	trator, in consultation with the Director, shall co-
4	ordinate with the head of each agency to develop a
5	comprehensive, strategic plan for Federal electric ve-
6	hicle fleet battery management.
7	(2) Contents.—The strategic plan required
8	under subsection (a) shall—
9	(A) maximize both cost and environmental
10	efficiencies; and
11	(B) incorporate—
12	(i) guidelines for optimal charging
13	practices that will maximize battery lon-
14	gevity and prevent premature degradation;
15	(ii) guidelines for reusing and recy-
16	cling the batteries of retired vehicles; and
17	(iii) any other consideration deter-
18	mined appropriate by the Administrator
19	and Director.
20	(3) Modification.—The Administrator, in
21	consultation with the Director, may periodically up-
22	date the strategic plan required under paragraph (1)
23	as the Administrator and Director may determine
24	necessary based on new information relating to elec-
25	tric vehicle batteries that becomes available.

1	(4) Consultation.—In developing the stra-
2	tegic plan required under paragraph (1) the Admin-
3	istrator, in consultation with the Director, may con-
4	sult with appropriate entities, including the fol-
5	lowing:
6	(A) The Secretary of Energy.
7	(B) The Administrator of the Environ-
8	mental Protection Agency.
9	(C) The Chair of the Council on Environ-
10	mental Quality.
11	(D) Scientists who are studying electric ve-
12	hicle batteries and reuse and recycling solu-
13	tions.
14	(E) Laboratories, companies, colleges, uni-
15	versities, or start-ups engaged in battery use,
16	reuse, and recycling research.
17	(F) Industries interested in electric vehicle
18	battery reuse and recycling.
19	(G) Electric vehicle equipment manufactur-
20	ers and recyclers.
21	(H) Any other relevant entity, as deter-
22	mined by the Administrator and Director.
23	(5) Report.—
24	(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 3 years
25	after the date of the enactment of this Act, the

1	Administrator and the Director shall submit to
2	the appropriate congressional committees a re-
3	port that describes the strategic plan required
4	under paragraph (1).
5	(B) Briefing.—Not later than 4 years
6	after the date of the enactment of this Act, the
7	Administrator and the Director shall brief the
8	appropriate congressional committees on the
9	implementation of the strategic plan required
10	under paragraph (1) across agencies.
11	(b) Study of Federal Fleet Vehicles.—Not
12	later than 2 years after the date of the enactment of this
13	Act, the Comptroller General of the United States shall
14	submit to Congress a report on how the costs and benefits
15	of operating and maintaining electric vehicles in the Fed-
16	eral fleet compare to the costs and benefits of operating
17	and maintaining internal combustion engine vehicles.
18	(c) Definitions.—In this section:
19	(1) Administrator.—The term "Adminis-
20	trator" means the Administrator of General Serv-
21	ices.
22	(2) AGENCY.—The term "agency" has the
23	meaning given the term in section 551 of title 5,
24	United States Code.

1	(3) Appropriate congressional commit-
2	TEES.—The term "appropriate congressional com-
3	mittees" means—
4	(A) the Committee on Homeland Security
5	and Governmental Affairs of the Senate; and
6	(B) the Committee on Oversight and Re-
7	form of the House of Representatives.
8	(4) Director.—The term "Director" means
9	the Director of the Office of Management and Budg-
10	et.