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## **Radify Metals is making metal modern; cheaper, faster and cleaner**

Today much of the electrification infrastructure is critically dependent on geopolitically charged materials that come from foreign entities of concerns. Namely, the US imports 100% of its heavy rare earth materials, largely from China. These heavy rare earths are critically important for the highest performing permanent magnets that drive high efficiency EV motors and generators; making California's efforts at modernizing its electrical infrastructure dependent on international politics. Bringing more of these capabilities back to US shores via innovative technologies that do not require also reshoring the traditionally toxic methods for rare earth metals refining is exactly what Radify Metals was founded to deliver. I'm reaching out here to provide support for the topic of strengthening critical materials supply chains for clean energy technologies that is proposed in the EPIC 5 CEC draft initiatives. Please feel free to connect with me and our company if you have any questions about this critical industry!