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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. MILLER of West Virginia (for herself and Mr. BEYER) introduced the
following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

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merchandise, 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 “Secure Revenue Clear-
5 ance Channel Act of 2026”.

6 **SEC. 2. INFORMAL ENTRY OF CERTAIN SHIPMENTS OF**
7 **MERCHANDISE.**

8 (a) ENTRY REQUIREMENTS.—

9 (1) IN GENERAL.—An express consignment car-
10 rier or operator of a shipment of merchandise of a

1 value that does not exceed \$600 may, notwith-
2 standing the provisions of section 484 of the Tariff
3 Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1484), satisfy the require-
4 ments for entry of the shipment of merchandise if—

5 (A) the carrier or operator submits to U.S.
6 Customs and Border Protection in electronic
7 format the advanced manifest of the carrier or
8 operator for purposes of the applicable entry
9 documentation for the shipment of merchan-
10 dise; and

11 (B) U.S. Customs and Border Protection
12 approves both—

13 (i) the electronic format; and

14 (ii) the advanced manifest.

15 (2) REFERENCE.—The entry requirements of
16 this subsection may be referred to as the “Secure
17 Revenue Clearance Channel”.

18 (b) EXCEPTIONS.—This entry requirements of sub-
19 section (a) shall not apply with respect to shipments of
20 merchandise that are subject to—

21 (1) antidumping and countervailing duties
22 under title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930;

23 (2) tariff-rate quotas;

24 (3) a tax imposed under the Internal Revenue
25 Code of 1986 that is collected by a Federal depart-

1 ment or agency other than U.S. Customs and Bor-
2 der Protection, including alcohol and tobacco prod-
3 ucts; or

4 (4) a fee imposed by a Federal department or
5 agency other than U.S. Customs and Border Protec-
6 tion and such department or agency does not waive
7 the fee.

8 (c) DEFINITIONS.—In this section—

9 (1) the term “closely integrated administrative
10 control”—

11 (A) means operations that are sufficiently
12 integrated at both ends of the service (for ex-
13 ample, both pick-up and delivery) so that the
14 express consignment carrier or operator can ex-
15 ercise a high degree of control over the ship-
16 ment of merchandise, particularly in regard to
17 the reliability of information supplied for cus-
18 toms purposes; and

19 (B) may be indicated by—

20 (i) a substantial common ownership
21 between the local carrier or operator and
22 the foreign affiliate; or

23 (ii) a very close contractual relation-
24 ship between the local carrier or operator

1 and its foreign affiliate, such as through
2 the use of a franchise arrangement; and

3 (2) the term “express consignment operator or
4 carrier” means an entity that—

5 (A) operates in any mode or intermodally
6 moving merchandise by special express commer-
7 cial service under closely integrated administra-
8 tive control and whose services are offered to
9 the public under advertised, reliable timely de-
10 livery on a door-to-door basis;

11 (B) assumes liability to U.S. Customs and
12 Border Protection for the merchandise in the
13 same manner as if it were the sole carrier of
14 the merchandise;

15 (C) administers both hubs and express
16 consignment facilities; and

17 (D) has signed and is implementing—

18 (i) a narcotics information sharing
19 agreement with U.S. Customs and Border
20 Protection; and

21 (ii) a narcotics enforcement agreement
22 with U.S. Immigration and Customs En-
23 forcement.

1 (d) AMENDMENT.—Section 498(a) of the Tariff Act
2 of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1498(a)) is amended by adding at the
3 end the following:

4 “(13) Merchandise that qualifies for entry
5 under section 2 of the Secure Revenue Clearance
6 Channel Act of 2025.”.

7 **SEC. 3. FEE FOR IMPORTATION OF MERCHANDISE EN-**
8 **TERED UNDER SECTION 2.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—An express consignment operator
10 or carrier of merchandise entered under section 2 for con-
11 sumption, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption,
12 subject to such regulations as the Commissioner of U.S.
13 Customs and Border Protection, shall collect a fee on the
14 importation of such merchandise in an amount equal to
15 one of the following, at the election of the importer of
16 record:

17 (1) 20 percent ad valorem of the merchandise.

18 (2) The equivalent tariff rate the merchandise
19 would be subject to if the merchandise were entered
20 as a formal entry under section 484 of the Tariff
21 Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1484).

22 (3) Any other fixed or ad valorem duty rates
23 that may be imposed based on the country of origin
24 of the merchandise, including any such rates
25 charged for international postal shipments.

1 (b) FEE IN LIEU OF OTHER CHARGES AND DU-
2 TIES.—The fee required by subsection (a) shall be imposed
3 and collected in lieu of the following:

4 (1) Any charges under paragraphs (9) and (10)
5 of section 13031(a) of the Consolidated Omnibus
6 Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C.
7 58c(a)).

8 (2) Any duties otherwise applicable with respect
9 to the same merchandise, including—

10 (A) the most-favored nation rates estab-
11 lished in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the
12 United States; and

13 (B) duties imposed under section 232 of
14 the Trade Expansion Act of 1962.

15 (c) COLLECTION AND DEPOSIT OF FEES.—All
16 amounts collected in fees required by subsection (a)—

17 (1) shall be remitted in full on a quarterly basis
18 by the express consignment operator or carrier of
19 the shipment of merchandise to the Commissioner of
20 U.S. Customs and Border Protection in accordance
21 with regulations prescribed by the Secretary of
22 Homeland Security; and

23 (2) shall be deposited in the general fund of the
24 Treasury.

1 **SEC. 4. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

2 This Act shall take effect on the date that is 30 days
3 after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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