

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2151

To amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to correct the tariff treatment of costumes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 11, 1997

Mr. ACKERMAN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

A BILL

To amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to correct the tariff treatment of costumes.

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. COSTUMES AND PIECES OR COMPONENTS**

4 **THEREOF.**

5 (a) KNITTED OR CROCHETED ARTICLES OF APPAREL
6 AND ACCESSORIES.—The notes to chapter 61 of the Har-
7 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States are amended
8 by adding at the end the following new note:

9 “11. This chapter covers costumes and pieces or compo-
10 nents thereof.”.

1 (b) ARTICLES OF APPAREL AND ACCESSORIES THAT
2 ARE NOT KNITTED OR CROCHETED.—The notes to chap-
3 ter 62 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United
4 States are amended by adding at the end the following
5 new note:

6 “10. This chapter covers costumes and pieces or compo-
7 nents thereof.”.

8 (c) TOYS, GAMES, ETC.—Note 1(e) to chapter 95 of
9 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
10 amended by striking “or fancy dress,” and inserting “,
11 fancy dress, or costumes and pieces or components there-
12 of,”.

13 **SEC. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

14 The amendments made by this Act shall apply to arti-
15 cles entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consump-
16 tion, on or after the 15th day after the date of enactment
17 of this Act.

