

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2877

To suspend temporarily the duty on diapers with an outer layer of water-resistant laminated knitted fabric of polyester and with an inner layer or layers of certified organic cotton.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 8, 2012

Mr. BAUCUS introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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. DIAPERS WITH AN OUTER LAYER OF WATER-**
4 **RESISTANT LAMINATED KNITTED FABRIC OF**
5 **POLYESTER AND WITH AN INNER LAYER OR**
6 **LAYERS OF CERTIFIED ORGANIC COTTON.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of
8 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is

1 amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following
 2 new heading:

“	9902.01.00	Diapers with an outer layer of water-resistant laminated knitted fabric of polyester and with an inner layer or layers of certified organic cotton, with elastic at the back and around the leg openings, and with snaps to adjust the diaper's fit and/or to secure the diaper onto the wearer (provided for in subheading 9619.00.31)	Free	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/2015	”.
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3 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
 4 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or
 5 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after
 6 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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