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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HASTINGS of Washington) (during the

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vote). Members are advised 2 minutes remain in this vote.

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Messis. Wexler, Snyder, Meehan and DAVIS of Florida changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. SHERMAN. Mr. Speaker, I voted against H.R. 4418-The Customs Border Security Act of 2004-because I did not feel a bill of such importance should be considered under suspension of the rules.

GOVERNMENT URGING THEPEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA IMPROVE ITS PROTECTION INTELLECTUAL OF PROPERTY RIGHTS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 576, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution

SPEAKER pro tempore. The The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. Ballenger) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 576, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 416, nays 3, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 374]

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utes remain in this vote.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised 2 min-

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So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

UNITED STATES-AUSTRALIA FREE TRADE IMPLEMENTATION ACT

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 712, I call up the bill (H.R. 4759) to implement the United States-Australia Free Trade Agreement, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. The text of H.R. 4759 is as follows:

H.R. 4759

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

- (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the "United States-Australia Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act".
- (b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:
- Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.
- Sec. 2. Purposes.
- Sec. 3. Definitions.
- TITLE I—APPROVAL OF, AND GENERAL PROVISIONS RELATING TO, THE AGREEMENT
- Sec. 101. Approval and entry into force of the Agreement.
- Sec. 102. Relationship of the Agreement to United States and State law.
- Sec. 103. Implementing actions in anticipation of entry into force and initial regulations.
- Sec. 104. Consultation and layover provisions for, and effective date of, proclaimed actions.
- Sec. 105. Administration of dispute settlement proceedings.

Sec. 106. Effective dates; effect of termination.

TITLE II—CUSTOMS PROVISIONS

Sec. 201. Tariff modifications.

Sec. 202. Additional duties on certain agricultural goods.

Sec. 203. Rules of origin.

Sec. 204. Customs user fees. Sec. 205. Disclosure of incorrect information.

Sec. 206. Enforcement relating to trade in textile and apparel goods.

Sec. 207. Regulations.

TITLE III—RELIEF FROM IMPORTS

Sec. 301 Definitions

Subtitle A—Relief From Imports Benefiting From the Agreement

Sec. 311. Commencing of action for relief.

Sec. 312. Commission action on petition.

Sec. 313. Provision of relief.

Sec. 314. Termination of relief authority. Sec. 315. Compensation authority.

Sec. 316. Confidential business information.

Subtitle B—Textile and Apparel Safeguard Measures

Sec. 321. Commencement of action for relief.

Sec. 322. Determination and provision of relief.

Sec. 323. Period of relief.

Sec. 324. Articles exempt from relief.

Sec. 325. Rate after termination of import relief.

Sec. 326. Termination of relief authority.

Sec. 327. Compensation authority.

Sec. 328. Business confidential information.

Subtitle C—Cases Under Title II of the Trade Act of 1974

Sec. 331. Findings and action on goods from Australia.

TITLE IV—PROCUREMENT

Sec. 401. Eligible products.

SEC. 2. PURPOSES.

The purposes of this Act are-

- (1) to approve and implement the Free Trade Agreement between the United States and Australia, entered into under the authority of section 2103(b) of the Bipartisan Trade Promotion Authority Act of 2002 (19 U.S.C. 3803(b)):
- (2) to strengthen and develop economic relations between the United States and Australia for their mutual benefit;
- (3) to establish free trade between the 2 nations through the reduction and elimination of barriers to trade in goods and services and to investment; and
- (4) to lay the foundation for further cooperation to expand and enhance the benefits of such Agreement.

SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

- (1) AGREEMENT.—The term "Agreement" means the United States-Australia Free Trade Agreement approved by Congress under section 101(a)(1).
- (2) HTS.—The term "HTS" means the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.
- (3) TEXTILE OR APPAREL GOOD.—The term "textile or apparel good" means a good listed in the Annex to the Agreement on Textiles and Clothing referred to in section 101(d)(4) of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 3511(d)(4)).

TITLE I—APPROVAL OF, AND GENERAL PROVISIONS RELATING TO, THE AGREEMENT

SEC. 101. APPROVAL AND ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE AGREEMENT.

(a) APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT AND STATE-MENT OF ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION.—Pursuant to section 2105 of the Bipartisan Trade Promotion Authority Act of 2002 (19 U.S.C. 3805) and section 151 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2191), Congress approves—

- (1) the United States-Australia Free Trade Agreement entered into on May 18, 2004, with the Government of Australia and submitted to Congress on July 6, 2004; and
- (2) the statement of administrative action proposed to implement the Agreement that was submitted to Congress on July 6, 2004.
- (b) CONDITIONS FOR ENTRY INTO FORCE OF THE AGREEMENT.—At such time as the President determines that Australia has taken measures necessary to bring it into compliance with those provisions of the Agreement that are to take effect on the date on which the Agreement enters into force, the President is authorized to exchange notes with the Government of Australia providing for the entry into force, on or after January 1, 2005, of the Agreement with respect to the United States.

SEC. 102. RELATIONSHIP OF THE AGREEMENT TO UNITED STATES AND STATE LAW.

- (a) RELATIONSHIP OF AGREEMENT TO UNITED STATES LAW.—
- (1) UNITED STATES LAW TO PREVAIL IN CONFLICT.—No provision of the Agreement, nor the application of any such provision to any person or circumstance, which is inconsistent with any law of the United States shall have effect.
- (2) CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this Act shall be construed—
- (A) to amend or modify any law of the United States, or
- (B) to limit any authority conferred under any law of the United States,
- unless specifically provided for in this Act.
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- (b) RELATIONSHIP OF AGREEMENT TO STATE LAW.—
- (1) LEGAL CHALLENGE.—No State law, or the application thereof, may be declared invalid as to any person or circumstance on the ground that the provision or application is inconsistent with the Agreement, except in an action brought by the United States for the purpose of declaring such law or application invalid.
- (2) DEFINITION OF STATE LAW.—For purposes of this subsection, the term "State law" includes—
- (A) any law of a political subdivision of a State; and
- (B) any State law regulating or taxing the business of insurance.
- (c) EFFECT OF AGREEMENT WITH RESPECT TO PRIVATE REMEDIES.—No person other than the United States—
- (1) shall have any cause of action or defense under the Agreement or by virtue of congressional approval thereof; or
- (2) may challenge, in any action brought under any provision of law, any action or inaction by any department, agency, or other instrumentality of the United States, any State, or any political subdivision of a State, on the ground that such action or inaction is inconsistent with the Agreement.

SEC. 103. IMPLEMENTING ACTIONS IN ANTICIPA-TION OF ENTRY INTO FORCE AND INITIAL REGULATIONS.

- (a) IMPLEMENTING ACTIONS.-
- (1) PROCLAMATION AUTHORITY.—After the date of the enactment of this Act—
- (A) the President may proclaim such actions, and
- (B) other appropriate officers of the United States Government may issue such regulations.

as may be necessary to ensure that any provision of this Act, or amendment made by this Act, that takes effect on the date the Agreement enters into force is appropriately implemented on such date, but no such proclamation or regulation may have an effective date earlier than the date on which the Agreement enters into force.

(2) EFFECTIVE DATE OF CERTAIN PROCLAIMED ACTIONS.—Any action proclaimed by the