The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, June 25th, 2015, I was absent during rollcall vote No. 387. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1615, the DHS FOIA Efficiency Act, as amended.

TRADE PREFERENCES EXTENSION ACT OF 2015

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 338, I call up the bill (H.R. 1295) to extend the African Growth and Opportunity Act, the Generalized System of Preferences, the preferential duty treatment program for Haiti, and for other purposes, with the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment thereto, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. WOMACK). The Clerk will designate the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment. Senate amendment to House amend-

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted, insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

- (a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the "Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015".
- (b) Table of Contents.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:
- Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.

ment to Senate amendment:

TITLE I—EXTENSION OF AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY ACT

Sec. 101. Short title.

Sec. 102. Findings.

Sec. 103. Extension of African Growth and Opportunity Act.

Sec. 104. Modifications of rules of origin for duty-free treatment for articles of beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries under Generalized System of Preferences.

Sec. 105. Monitoring and review of eligibility under Generalized System of Preferences.

Sec. 106. Promotion of the role of women in social and economic development in sub-Saharan Africa.

Sec. 107. Biennial AGOA utilization strategies.

Sec. 108. Deepening and expanding trade and investment ties between sub-Saharan Africa and the United States.

Sec. 109. Agricultural technical assistance for sub-Saharan Africa.

Sec. 110. Reports.

Sec. 111. Technical amendments.

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Sec. 201. Extension of Generalized System of Preferences.

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Sec. 204. Eligibility of certain luggage and travel articles for duty-free treatment under the Generalized System of Preferences.

TITLE III—EXTENSION OF PREFERENTIAL DUTY TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR HAITI

Sec. 301. Extension of preferential duty treatment program for Haiti.

TITLE IV—EXTENSION OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE

Sec. 401. Short title.

Sec. 402. Application of provisions relating to $trade\ adjustment\ assistance.$

Sec. 403. Extension of trade adjustment assistance program.

Sec. 404. Performance measurement and reporting.

Sec. 405. Applicability of trade adjustment assistance provisions.

Sec. 406. Sunset provisions.

Sec. 407. Extension and modification of Health Coverage Tax Credit.

V—IMPROVEMENTS TO ANTI-DUMPING AND COUNTERVAILING DUTY LAWS

Sec. 501. Short title.

Sec. 502. Consequences of failure to cooperate with a request for information in a proceeding.

Sec. 503. Definition of material injury.

Sec. 504. Particular market situation.

Sec. 505. Distortion of prices or costs.

Sec. 506. Reduction in burden on Department of Commerce by reducing the number of voluntary respondents.

Sec. 507. Application to Canada and Mexico.

$TITLE\ VI_TARIFF\ CLASSIFICATION\ OF$ CERTAIN ARTICLES

Sec. 601. Tariff classification of recreational performance outerwear.

Sec. 602. Duty treatment of protective active footwear.

TITLE VII—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Sec. 701. Report on contribution of trade preference programs to reducing poverty and eliminating hunger.

TITLE VIII—OFFSETS

Sec. 801. Customs user fees extension.

Sec. 802. Additional customs user fees extension.

Sec. 803. Time for payment of corporate estimated taxes.

Sec. 804. Payee statement required to claim certain education tax benefits.

Sec. 805. Special rule for educational institutions unable to collect TINs of individuals with respect to higher education tuition and related expenses.

Sec. 806. Penalty for failure to file correct information returns and provide payee statements.

Sec. 807. Child tax credit not refundable for taxpayers electing to exclude foreign earned income from tax.

Sec. 808. Coverage and payment for renal dialysis services for individuals with acute kidney injury.

TITLE I—EXTENSION OF AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY ACT

SEC. 101. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the "AGOA Extension and Enhancement Act of 2015".

SEC. 102. FINDINGS.

Congress finds the following:

(1) Since its enactment, the African Growth and Opportunity Act has been the centerpiece of trade relations between the United States and sub-Saharan Africa and has enhanced trade, investment, job creation, and democratic institutions throughout Africa.

(2) Trade and investment, as facilitated by the African Growth and Opportunity Act, promote economic growth, development, poverty reduction, democracy, the rule of law, and stability in sub-Saharan Africa.

(3) Trade between the United States and sub-Saharan Africa has more than tripled since the enactment of the African Growth and Opportunity Act in 2000, and United States direct investment in sub-Saharan Africa has grown almost sixfold.

(4) It is in the interest of the United States to engage and compete in emerging markets in sub-Saharan African countries, to boost trade and investment between the United States and sub-Saharan African countries, and to renew and strengthen the African Growth and Opportunity Act.

(5) The long-term economic security of the United States is enhanced by strong economic and political ties with the fastest-growing economies in the world, many of which are in sub-Saharan Africa.

(6) It is a goal of the United States to further integrate sub-Saharan African countries into the global economy, stimulate economic development in Africa, and diversify sources of growth in sub-Saharan Africa.

(7) To that end, implementation of the Agreement on Trade Facilitation of the World Trade Organization would strengthen regional integration efforts in sub-Saharan Africa and contribute to economic growth in the region.

(8) The elimination of barriers to trade and investment in sub-Saharan Africa, including high tariffs, forced localization requirements, restrictions on investment, and customs barriers, will create opportunities for workers, businesses, farmers, and ranchers in the United States and sub-Saharan African countries.

(9) The elimination of such barriers will improve utilization of the African Growth and Opportunity Act and strengthen regional and global integration, accelerate economic growth in sub-Saharan Africa, and enhance the trade relationship between the United States and sub-Saharan Africa.

SEC. 103. EXTENSION OF AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY ACT.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 506B of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466b) is amended by striking "September 30, 2015" and inserting "September 30, 2025".

(b) AFRICAN GROWTH AND OPPORTUNITY ACT.

(1) IN GENERAL.—Section 112(g) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3721(g)) is amended by striking "September 30, 2015" and inserting "September 30, 2025".

(2) EXTENSION OF REGIONAL APPAREL ARTICLE PROGRAM.—Section 112(b)(3)(A) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3721(b)(3)(A)) is amended-

(A) in clause (i), by striking "11 succeeding" and inserting "21 succeeding"; and

(B) in clause (ii)(II), by striking "September 30, 2015" and inserting "September 30, 2025"

(3) EXTENSION OF THIRD-COUNTRY FABRIC PRO-GRAM.—Section 112(c)(1) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3721(c)(1)) is amended-

(A) in the paragraph heading, by striking "SEPTEMBER 30, 2015" and inserting "SEP-TEMBER 30, 2025";

(B) in subparagraph (A), by striking "September 30, 2015" and inserting "September 30, 2025": and

(C) in subparagraph (B)(ii), by striking "September 30, 2015" and inserting "September 30,

SEC. 104. MODIFICATIONS OF RULES OF ORIGIN FOR DUTY-FREE TREATMENT FOR ARTICLES OF BENEFICIARY SUB-SA-HARAN AFRICAN COUNTRIES UNDER GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREF-ERENCES.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 506A(b)(2) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a(b)(2)) is amended-

(1) in subparagraph (A), by striking "and" at the end;

- (2) in subparagraph (B), by striking the period at the end and inserting "; and"; and
- (3) by adding at the end the following:
- '(C) the direct costs of processing operations performed in one or more such beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries or former beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries shall be applied in determining such percentage."

(b) APPLICABILITY TO ARTICLES RECEIVING DUTY-FREE TREATMENT UNDER TITLE V OF TRADE ACT OF 1974.—Section 506A(b) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a(b)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(3) Rules of origin under this title.—The exceptions set forth in subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C) of paragraph (2) shall also apply to any article described in section 503(a)(1) that is the growth, product, or manufacture of a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country for purposes of any determination to provide duty-free treatment with respect to such article.

(c) Modifications to the Harmonized Tar-IFF SCHEDULE.—The President may proclaim such modifications as may be necessary to the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States (HTS) to add the special tariff treatment symbol "D" in the "Special" subcolumn of the HTS for each article classified under a heading or subheading with the special tariff treatment symbol "A" or "A*" in the "Special" subcolumn of the HTS.

(d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by subsections (a) and (b) take effect on the date of the enactment of this Act and apply with respect to any article described in section 503(b)(1)(B) through (G) of the Trade Act of 1974 that is the growth, product, or manufacture of a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country and that is imported into the customs territory of the United States on or after the date that is 30 days after such date of enactment.

SEC. 105. MONITORING AND REVIEW OF ELIGI-BILITY UNDER GENERALIZED SYS-TEM OF PREFERENCES.

- CONTINUING COMPLIANCE.-506A(a)(3) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a(a)(3)) is amended-
- (1) by striking "If the President" and inserting the following:
 - (A) IN GENERAL.—If the President''; and
 - (2) by adding at the end the following:
- (B) NOTIFICATION.—The President may not terminate the designation of a country as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country under subparagraph (A) unless, at least 60 days before the termination of such designation, the President notifies Congress and notifies the country of the President's intention to terminate such designation, together with the considerations entering into the decision to terminate such desianation.".
- (b) WITHDRAWAL, SUSPENSION, OR LIMITATION OF PREFERENTIAL TARIFF TREATMENT.—Section 506A of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a) is amended-
- (1) by redesignating subsection (c) as subsection (d); and
- (2) by inserting after subsection (b) the followina:
- "(c) WITHDRAWAL, SUSPENSION, OR LIMITA-TION OF PREFERENTIAL TARIFF TREATMENT:
- "(1) IN GENERAL.—The President may withdraw, suspend, or limit the application of dutyfree treatment provided for any article described in subsection (b)(1) of this section or section 112 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act with respect to a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country if the President determines that withdrawing, suspending, or limiting such dutyfree treatment would be more effective in promoting compliance by the country with the requirements described in subsection (a)(1) than terminating the designation of the country as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country for purposes of this section.
- (2) NOTIFICATION.—The President may not withdraw, suspend, or limit the application of duty-free treatment under paragraph (1) unless,

- at least 60 days before such withdrawal, suspension, or limitation, the President notifies Congress and notifies the country of the President's intention to withdraw, suspend, or limit such duty-free treatment, together with the considerations entering into the decision to terminate such designation.'
- (c) REVIEW AND PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ELIGI-BILITY REQUIREMENTS.—Section 506A of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2466a), as so amended, is further amended-
- (1) by redesignating subsection (d) as subsection (e); and
- (2) by inserting after subsection (c) the following:
- "(d) Review and Public Comments on Eligi-BILITY REQUIREMENTS.
- "(1) IN GENERAL.—In carrying out subsection (a)(2), the President shall publish annually in the Federal Register a notice of review and request for public comments on whether beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries are meeting the eligibility requirements set forth in section 104 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act and the eligibility criteria set forth in section 502 of this Act.
- "(2) PUBLIC HEARING.—The United States Trade Representative shall, not later than 30 days after the date on which the President publishes the notice of review and request for public comments under paragraph (1)-
- '(A) hold a public hearing on such review and request for public comments; and
- '(B) publish in the Federal Register, before such hearing is held, notice of-
- '(i) the time and place of such hearing; and "(ii) the time and place at which such public comments will be accepted.
 - "(3) PETITION PROCESS.
- "(A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 60 days after the date of the enactment of this subsection, the President shall establish a process to allow any interested person, at any time, to file a petition with the Office of the United States Trade Representative with respect to the compliance of any country listed in section 107 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act with the eligibility requirements set forth in section 104 of such Act and the eligibility criteria set forth in section 502 of this Act.
- '(B) Use of petitions.—The President shall take into account all petitions filed pursuant to subparagraph (A) in making determinations of compliance under subsections (a)(3)(A) and (c) and in preparing any reports required by this title as such reports apply with respect to beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries.
 - "(4) OUT-OF-CYCLE REVIEWS.
- '(A) IN GENERAL.—The President may, at any time, initiate an out-of-cycle review of whether a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country is making continual progress in meeting the requirements described in paragraph (1). The President shall give due consideration to petitions received under paragraph (3) in determining whether to initiate an out-of-cycle review under this subparagraph.
- "(B) CONGRESSIONAL NOTIFICATION.—Before initiating an out-of-cycle review under subparagraph (A), the President shall notify and consult with Congress.
- "(C) CONSEQUENCES OF REVIEW.—If, pursuant to an out-of-cycle review conducted under subparagraph (A), the President determines that a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country does not meet the requirements set forth in section 104(a) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3703(a)), the President shall, subject to the requirements of subsections (a)(3)(B) and (c)(2), terminate the designation of the country as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country or withdraw, suspend, or limit the application of duty-free treatment with respect to articles from the country.
- '(D) REPORTS.—After each out-of-cycle review conducted under subparagraph (A) with respect to a country, the President shall submit to the Committee on Finance of the Senate and

the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives a report on the review and any determination of the President to terminate the designation of the country as a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country or withdraw, suspend, or limit the application of duty-free treatment with respect to articles from the country under subparagraph (C).

'(E) INITIATION OF OUT-OF-CYCLE REVIEWS FOR CERTAIN COUNTRIES.—Recognizing that concerns have been raised about the compliance with section 104(a) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3703(a)) of some beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries, the President shall initiate an out-of-cycle review under subparagraph (A) with respect to South Africa, the most developed of the beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries, and other beneficiary countries as appropriate, not later than 30 days after the date of the enactment of the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015.

SEC. 106. PROMOTION OF THE ROLE OF WOMEN IN SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVEL-OPMENT IN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA.

- (a) STATEMENT OF POLICY.—Section 103 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3702) is amended-
- (1) in paragraph (8), by striking "; and" and inserting a semicolon;
- (2) in paragraph (9), by striking the period and inserting "; and"; and
 - (3) by adding at the end the following:
- '(10) promoting the role of women in social, political, and economic development in sub-Saharan Africa.
- ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS.—Section 104(a)(1)(A) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3703(a)(1)(A)) is amended by inserting "for men and women" after "rights"

SEC. 107. BIENNIAL AGOA UTILIZATION STRATE-GIES.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—It is the sense of Congress that
- (1) beneficiary sub-Saharan African countries should develop utilization strategies on a biennial basis in order to more effectively and strategically utilize benefits available under the African Growth and Opportunity Act (in this section referred to as "AGOA utilization strategies"):
- (2) United States trade capacity building agencies should work with, and provide appropriate resources to, such sub-Saharan African countries to assist in developing and implementing biennial AGOA utilization strategies; and
- (3) as appropriate, and to encourage greater regional integration, the United States Trade Representative should consider requesting the Regional Economic Communities to prepare biennial AGOA utilization strategies.
- (b) CONTENTS.—It is further the sense of Congress that biennial AGOA utilization strategies should identify strategic needs and priorities to bolster utilization of benefits available under the African Growth and Opportunity Act. To that end, biennial AGOA utilization strategies should-
- (1) review potential exports under the African Growth and Opportunity Act and identify opportunities and obstacles to increased trade and investment and enhanced poverty reduction ef-
- (2) identify obstacles to regional integration that inhibit utilization of benefits under the African Growth and Opportunity Act;
- (3) set out a plan to take advantage of opportunities and address obstacles identified in paragraphs (1) and (2), improve awareness of the African Growth and Opportunity Act as a program that enhances exports to the United States, and utilize United States Agency for International Development regional trade hubs;
- (4) set out a strategy to promote small business and entrepreneurship; and
- (5) eliminate obstacles to regional trade and promote greater utilization of benefits under the

African Growth and Opportunity Act and establish a plan to promote full regional implementation of the Agreement on Trade Facilitation of the World Trade Organization.

- (c) Publication.—It is further the sense of Congress that—
- (1) each beneficiary sub-Saharan African country should publish on an appropriate Internet website of such country public versions of its AGOA utilization strategy; and
- (2) the United States Trade Representative should publish on the Internet website of the Office of the United States Trade Representative public versions of all AGOA utilization strategies described in paragraph (1).

SEC. 108. DEEPENING AND EXPANDING TRADE AND INVESTMENT TIES BETWEEN SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA AND THE UNITED STATES.

It is the policy of the United States to continue to—

- (1) seek to deepen and expand trade and investment ties between sub-Saharan Africa and the United States, including through the negotiation of accession by sub-Saharan Africa countries to the World Trade Organization and the negotiation of trade and investment framework agreements, bilateral investment treaties, and free trade agreements, as such agreements have the potential to catalyze greater trade and investment, facilitate additional investment in sub-Saharan Africa, further poverty reduction efforts, and promote economic growth:
- (2) seek to negotiate agreements with individual sub-Saharan African countries as well as with the Regional Economic Communities, as appropriate;
- (3) promote full implementation of commitments made under the WTO Agreement (as such term is defined in section 2(9) of the Uruguay Round Agreements Act (19 U.S.C. 3501(9)) because such actions are likely to improve utilization of the African Growth and Opportunity Act and promote trade and investment and because regular review to ensure continued compliance helps to maximize the benefits of the African Growth and Opportunity Act; and
- (4) promote the negotiation of trade agreements that cover substantially all trade between parties to such agreements and, if other countries seek to negotiate trade agreements that do not cover substantially all trade, continue to object in all appropriate forums.

SEC. 109. AGRICULTURAL TECHNICAL ASSIST-ANCE FOR SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA.

Section 13 of the AGOA Acceleration Act of 2004 (19 U.S.C. 3701 note) is amended—

(1) in subsection (a)—

- (A) by striking ''shall identify not fewer than 10 eligible sub-Saharan African countries as having the greatest'' and inserting '', through the Secretary of Agriculture, shall identify eligible sub-Saharan African countries that have';
- (B) by striking "and complying with sanitary and phytosanitary rules of the United States" and inserting ", complying with sanitary and phytosanitary rules of the United States, and developing food safety standards";

(2) in subsection (b)—

- (A) by striking "20" and inserting "30"; and (B) by inserting after "from those countries" the following: ", particularly from businesses and sectors that engage women farmers and entrepreneurs,"; and
 - (3) by adding at the end the following:
- "(c) COORDINATION.—The President shall take such measures as are necessary to ensure adequate coordination of similar activities of agencies of the United States Government relating to agricultural technical assistance for sub-Saharan Africa.".

SEC. 110. REPORTS.

(a) IMPLEMENTATION REPORT.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, and biennially thereafter, the President shall submit to

Congress a report on the trade and investment relationship between the United States and sub-Saharan African countries and on the implementation of this title and the amendments made by this title.

(2) MATTERS TO BE INCLUDED.—The report required by paragraph (1) shall include the following:

(A) A description of the status of trade and investment between the United States and sub-Saharan Africa, including information on leading exports to the United States from sub-Saharan African countries.

(B) Any changes in eligibility of sub-Saharan African countries during the period covered by the report.

- (C) A detailed analysis of whether each such beneficiary sub-Saharan African country is continuing to meet the eligibility requirements set forth in section 104 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act and the eligibility criteria set forth in section 502 of the Trade Act of 1974.
- (D) A description of the status of regional integration efforts in sub-Saharan Africa.
- (E) A summary of United States trade capacity building efforts.
- (F) Any other initiatives related to enhancing the trade and investment relationship between the United States and sub-Saharan African countries.
- (b) POTENTIAL TRADE AGREEMENTS REPORT.— Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, and every 5 years thereafter, the United States Trade Representative shall submit to Congress a report that—
- identifies sub-Saharan African countries that have a expressed an interest in entering into a free trade agreement with the United States;
- (2) evaluates the viability and progress of such sub-Saharan African countries and other sub-Saharan African countries toward entering into a free trade agreement with the United States: and
- (3) describes a plan for negotiating and concluding such agreements, which includes the elements described in subparagraphs (A) through (E) of section 116(b)(2) of the African Growth and Opportunity Act.
- (c) TERMINATION.—The reporting requirements of this section shall cease to have any force or effect after September 30, 2025.

SEC. 111. TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS.

Section 104 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3703), as amended by section 106, is further amended—

(1) in subsection (a), by striking "(a) IN GENERAL.—"; and

(2) by striking subsection (b).

SEC. 112. DEFINITIONS.

In this title:

- (1) BENEFICIARY SUB-SAHARAN AFRICAN COUNTRY.—The term "beneficiary sub-Saharan African country" means a beneficiary sub-Saharan African country described in subsection (e) of section 506A of the Trade Act of 1974 (as redesignated by this Act).
- (2) SÜB-SAHARAN AFRICAN COUNTRY.—The term "sub-Saharan African country" has the meaning given the term in section 107 of the African Growth and Opportunity Act.

TITLE II—EXTENSION OF GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES

SEC. 201. EXTENSION OF GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 505 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2465) is amended by striking "July 31, 2013" and inserting "December 31, 2017".
 - (b) Effective Date.—
- (1) IN GENERAL.—The amendment made by subsection (a) shall apply to articles entered on or after the 30th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

(2) RETROACTIVE APPLICATION FOR CERTAIN LIQUIDATIONS AND RELIQUIDATIONS.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1514) or any

other provision of law and subject to subparagraph (B), any entry of a covered article to which duty-free treatment or other preferential treatment under title V of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2461 et seq.) would have applied if the entry had been made on July 31, 2013, that was made—

- (i) after July 31, 2013; and
- (ii) before the effective date specified in paragraph (1),
- shall be liquidated or reliquidated as though such entry occurred on the effective date specified in paragraph (1).
- (B) REQUESTS.—A liquidation or reliquidation may be made under subparagraph (A) with respect to an entry only if a request therefor is filed with U.S. Customs and Border Protection not later than 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act that contains sufficient information to enable U.S. Customs and Border Protection—
 - (i) to locate the entry; or
- (ii) to reconstruct the entry if it cannot be located.
- (C) PAYMENT OF AMOUNTS OWED.—Any amounts owed by the United States pursuant to the liquidation or reliquidation of an entry of a covered article under subparagraph (A) shall be paid, without interest, not later than 90 days after the date of the liquidation or reliquidation (as the case may be).
 - (3) DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection:
- (A) COVERED ARTICLE.—The term "covered article" means an article from a country that is a beneficiary developing country under title V of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2461 et seq.) as of the effective date specified in paragraph (1).
- (B) ENTER; ENTRY.—The terms "enter" and "entry" include a withdrawal from warehouse for consumption.

SEC. 202. AUTHORITY TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN COTTON ARTICLES AS ELIGIBLE ARTICLES ONLY FOR LEAST-DEVELOPED BENEFICIARY DEVELOPING COUNTRIES UNDER GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES.

Section 503(b) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2463(b)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(5) CERTAIN COTTON ARTICLES.—Notwithstanding paragraph (3), the President may designate as an eligible article or articles under subsection (a)(1)(B) only for countries designated as least-developed beneficiary developing countries under section 502(a)(2) cotton articles classifiable under subheading 5201.00.18, 5201.00.28, 5201.00.38, 5202.99.30, or 5203.00.30 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States."

SEC. 203. APPLICATION OF COMPETITIVE NEED LIMITATION AND WAIVER UNDER GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES WITH RESPECT TO ARTICLES OF BENEFICIARY DEVELOPING COUNTRIES EXPORTED TO THE UNITED STATES DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2014.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of applying and administering subsections (c)(2) and (d) of section 503 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2463) with respect to an article described in subsection (b) of this section, subsections (c)(2) and (d) of section 503 of such Act shall be applied and administered by substituting "October 1" for "July 1" each place such date appears.
- (b) ARTICLE DESCRIBED.—An article described in this subsection is an article of a beneficiary developing country that is designated by the President as an eligible article under subsection (a) of section 503 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2463) and with respect to which a determination described in subsection (c)(2)(A) of such section was made with respect to exports (directly or indirectly) to the United States of such eligible article during calendar year 2014 by the beneficiary developing country.

SEC. 204. ELIGIBILITY OF CERTAIN LUGGAGE AND TRAVEL ARTICLES FOR DUTY-FREE TREATMENT UNDER THE GENERAL-IZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES.

Section 503(b)(1) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2463(b)(1)) is amended—

- (1) in subparagraph (A), by striking "paragraph (4)" and inserting "paragraphs (4) and
- (2) in subparagraph (E), by striking "Footwear" and inserting "Except as provided in paragraph (5), footwear"; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

(5) CERTAIN LUGGAGE AND TRAVEL ARTI-CLES.—Notwithstanding subparagraph (A) or (E) of paragraph (1), the President may designate the following as eligible articles under subsection (a):

'(A) Articles classifiable under subheading 4202.11.00, 4202.12.40, 4202.21.60, 4202.21.90, 4202.22.45, 4202.22.15 4202.31.60. 4202.32.40 4202.32.80, 4202.92.15, 4202.92.20, 4202.92.45, or 4202 99 90 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

'(B) Articles classifiable under statistical re-4202.12.2020. 4202.12.2050. portina number 4202.12.8030, 4202.12.8070. 4202.22.8050. 4202 32 9550 4202.32.9560 4202.91.0030 4202.91.0090. 4202.92.3020. 4202.92.3031. 4202.92.3091, 4202.92.9026, or 4202.92.9060 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States, as such statistical reporting numbers are in effect on the date of the enactment of the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015.

TITLE III—EXTENSION OF PREFERENTIAL **DUTY TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR HAITI** SEC. 301. EXTENSION OF PREFERENTIAL DUTY TREATMENT PROGRAM FOR HAITI.

Section 213A of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act (19 U.S.C. 2703a) is amended as follows:

- (1) Subsection (b) is amended as follows:
- (A) Paragraph (1) is amended-

(i) in subparagraph (B)(v)(I), by amending item (cc) to read as follows:

'(cc) 60 percent or more during the 1-year period beginning on December 20, 2017, and each of the 7 succeeding 1-year periods."; and

(ii) in subparagraph (C)-

- (I) in the table, by striking "succeeding 11 1year periods" and inserting "16 succeeding 1year periods"; and
- (II) by striking "December 19, 2018" and inserting "December 19, 2025".
 - (B) Paragraph (2) is amended-
- (i) in subparagraph (A)(ii), by striking "11 succeeding 1-year periods" and inserting "16 succeeding 1-year periods"; and
- (ii) in subparagraph (B)(iii), by striking "11 succeeding 1-year periods" and inserting "16 succeeding 1-year periods"
- (2) Subsection (h) is amended by striking "September 30, 2020" and inserting "September 30, 2025"

TITLE IV—EXTENSION OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE

SEC. 401. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the "Trade Adjustment Assistance Reauthorization Act of 2015"

SEC. 402. APPLICATION OF PROVISIONS RELAT-ING TO TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSIST-ANCE.

- (a) REPEAL OF SNAPBACK.—Section 233 of the Trade Adjustment Assistance Extension Act of 2011 (Public Law 112-40; 125 Stat. 416) is repealed.
- (b) APPLICABILITY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS.— Except as otherwise provided in this title, the provisions of chapters 2 through 6 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974 as in effect on December 31, 2013, and as amended by this title, shall-
- (1) take effect on the date of the enactment of this Act: and
- (2) apply to petitions for certification filed under chapter 2, 3, or 6 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974 on or after such date of enactment.
 (c) REFERENCES.—Except as otherwise pro-
- vided in this title, whenever in this title an

amendment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a provision of chapters 2 through 6 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, the reference shall be considered to be made to a provision of any such chapter, as in effect on December 31, 2013.

SEC. 403. EXTENSION OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT AS-SISTANCE PROGRAM.

- (a) Extension of Termination Provisions.-Section 285 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 ILS.C. 2271 note) is amended by striking "December 31, 2013" each place it appears and inserting "June 30 2021"
- (b) Training Funds.—Section 236(a)(2)(A) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2296(a)(2)(A)) is amended by striking "shall not exceed" and all that follows and inserting "shall not exceed \$450,000,000 for each of fiscal years 2015 through 2021
- (c) REEMPLOYMENT TRADE ADJUSTMENT AS-SISTANCE.—Section 246(b)(1) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2318(b)(1)) is amended by striking "December 31, 2013" and inserting "June 30,
 - (d) AUTHORIZATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS.
- (1) Trade adjustment assistance for work-ERS.—Section 245(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2317(a)) is amended by striking "December 31, 2013" and inserting "June 30, 2021".
- (2) TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCEFIRMS.—Section 255(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2345(a)) is amended by striking "fiscal years 2012 and 2013" and all that follows through "December 31, 2013" and inserting "fiscal years 2015 through 2021".
- (3) Trade adjustment assistance for farm-ERS.—Section 298(a) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2401a(a)) is amended by striking "fiscal years 2012 and 2013" and all that follows through "December 31, 2013" and inserting "fiscal years 2015 through 2021".

SEC. 404. PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT AND RE-PORTING.

- (a) PERFORMANCE MEASURES.—Section 239(j) of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2311(j)) is amended-
- (1) in the subsection heading, by striking "DATA REPORTING" and inserting "PERFORM-ANCE MEASURES".
- (2) in paragraph (1)-
- (A) in the matter preceding subparagraph (A)—
- (i) by striking "a quarterly" and inserting 'an annual"; and
- (ii) by striking "data" and inserting "measures"
- (B) in subparagraph (A), by striking "core" and inserting "primary"; and
 (C) in subparagraph (C), by inserting "that
- promote efficiency and effectiveness" after "assistance program"
- (3) in paragraph (2)—
- (A) in the paragraph heading, by striking 'CORE INDICATORS DESCRIBED' and inserting "INDICATORS OF PERFORMANCE": and
- (B) by striking subparagraph (A) and inserting the following:
- "(A) Primary indicators of performance DESCRIBED -
- "(i) IN GENERAL.—The primary indicators of performance referred to in paragraph (1)(A)shall consist of-
- "(I) the percentage and number of workers who received benefits under the trade adjustment assistance program who are in unsubsidized employment during the second calendar quarter after exit from the program;
- "(II) the percentage and number of workers who received benefits under the trade adjustment assistance program and who are in unsubsidized employment during the fourth calendar quarter after exit from the program;
- "(III) the median earnings of workers described in subclause (I);
- "(IV) the percentage and number of workers who received benefits under the trade adjustment assistance program who, subject to clause

(ii), obtain a recognized postsecondary credential or a secondary school diploma or its recognized equivalent, during participation in the program or within one year after exit from the program; and

'(V) the percentage and number of workers who received benefits under the trade adjustment assistance program who, during a year while receiving such benefits, are in an education or training program that leads to a recognized postsecondary credential or employment and who are achieving measurable gains in skills toward such a credential or employment.

"(ii) Indicator relating to credential .-For purposes of clause (i)(IV), a worker who received benefits under the trade adjustment assistance program who obtained a secondary school diploma or its recognized equivalent shall be included in the percentage counted for purposes of that clause only if the worker, in addition to obtaining such a diploma or its recognized equivalent, has obtained or retained employment or is in an education or training program leading to a recognized postsecondary credential within one year after exit from the program."

(4) in paragraph (3)—

(A) in the paragraph heading, by striking "DATA" and inserting "MEASURES";
(B) by striking "quarterly" and inserting

(B) by striking "annual"; and

(C) by striking "data" and inserting "measures"; and

(5) by adding at the end the following:

- (4) ACCESSIBILITY OF STATE PERFORMANCE REPORTS.—The Secretary shall, on an annual basis, make available (including by electronic means), in an easily understandable format, the reports of cooperating States or cooperating State agencies required by paragraph (1) and the information contained in those reports.'
- (b) COLLECTION AND PUBLICATION OF DATA.-Section 249B of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2323) is amended-
- (1) in subsection (b)-
- (A) in paragraph (3)-
- (i) in subparagraph (A), by striking "enrolled in" and inserting "who received":
- (ii) in subparagraph (B)-
- (I) by striking "complete" and inserting "exited"; and
- (II) by striking "who were enrolled in" and inserting ", including who received"
- (iii) in subparagraph (E), by striking "complete" and inserting "exited";
- (iv) in subparagraph (F), by striking "complete" and inserting "exit"; and
 - (v) by adding at the end the following:
- (G) The average cost per worker of receiving training approved under section 236.
- '(H) The percentage of workers who received training approved under section 236 and obtained unsubsidized employment in a field related to that training."; and
 - (B) in paragraph (4)-
- (i) in subparagraphs (A) and (B), by striking "quarterly" each place it appears and inserting "annual"; and
- (ii) by striking subparagraph (C) and inserting the following:
- '(C) The median earnings of workers described in section 239(j)(2)(A)(i)(III) during the second calendar quarter after exit from the program, expressed as a percentage of the median earnings of such workers before the calendar quarter in which such workers began receiving benefits under this chapter.": and
 - (2) in subsection (e)-
 - (A) in paragraph (1)-
- (i) by redesignating subparagraphs (B) and (C) as subparagraphs (C) and (D), respectively; and
- (ii) by inserting after subparagraph (A) the following:
- "(B) the reports required under section 239(j);"; and
- (B) in paragraph (2), by striking "a quarterly" and inserting "an annual".

(c) RECOGNIZED POSTSECONDARY CREDENTIAL DEFINED.—Section 247 of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2319) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(19) The term 'recognized postsecondary credential' means a credential consisting of an industry-recognized certificate or certification, a certificate of completion of an apprenticeship, a license recognized by a State or the Federal Government, or an associate or baccalaureate degree."

SEC. 405. APPLICABILITY OF TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE PROVISIONS.

- (a) Trade Adjustment Assistance for
- WORKERS.—
 (1) PETITIONS FILED ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1,
 2014, AND BEFORE DATE OF ENACTMENT.—
- (A) CERTIFICATIONS OF WORKERS NOT CERTIFIED BEFORE DATE OF ENACTMENT.—
- (i) CRITERIA IF A DETERMINATION HAS NOT BEEN MADE.—If, as of the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Labor has not made a determination with respect to whether to certify a group of workers as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974 pursuant to a petition described in clause (iii), the Secretary shall make that determination based on the requirements of section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment.
- (ii) RECONSIDERATION OF DENIALS OF CERTIFICATIONS.—If, before the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary made a determination not to certify a group of workers as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974 pursuant to a petition described in clause (iii), the Secretary
 - (I) reconsider that determination; and
- (II) if the group of workers meets the requirements of section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment, certify the group of workers as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance.
- (iii) PETITION DESCRIBED.—A petition described in this clause is a petition for a certification of eligibility for a group of workers filed under section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974 on or after January 1, 2014, and before the date of the enactment of this Act.
 - (B) ELIGIBILITY FOR BENEFITS.—
- (i) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in clause (ii), a worker certified as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 222 of the Trade Act of 1974 pursuant to a petition described in subparagraph (A)(iii) shall be eligible, on and after the date that is 90 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, to receive benefits only under the provisions of chapter 2 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment.
- (ii) COMPUTATION OF MAXIMUM BENEFITS.— Benefits received by a worker described in clause (i) under chapter 2 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974 before the date of the enactment of this Act shall be included in any determination of the maximum benefits for which the worker is eligible under the provisions of chapter 2 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on the date of the enactment of this Act.
- (2) PETITIONS FILED BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2014.—A worker certified as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance pursuant to a petition filed under section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974 on or before December 31, 2013, shall continue to be eligible to apply for and receive benefits under the provisions of chapter 2 of title II of such Act, as in effect on December 31, 2013.
- (3) QUALIFYING SEPARATIONS WITH RESPECT TO PETITIONS FILED WITHIN 90 DAYS OF DATE OF ENACTMENT.—Section 223(b) of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on the date of the enactment of this Act, shall be applied and administered by substituting "before January 1, 2014" for "more than one year before the date of the petition on which such certification was granted" for purposes of determining whether a worker is eligible to apply for adjustment assistance pursuant to

- a petition filed under section 221 of the Trade Act of 1974 on or after the date of the enactment of this Act and on or before the date that is 90 days after such date of enactment.
- (b) TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE FOR FIRMS.—
- (1) Certification of firms not certified before date of enactment.—
- (A) CRITERIA IF A DETERMINATION HAS NOT BEEN MADE.—If, as of the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Commerce has not made a determination with respect to whether to certify a firm as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 pursuant to a petition described in subparagraph (C), the Secretary shall make that determination based on the requirements of section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment.
- (B) RECONSIDERATION OF DENIAL OF CERTAIN PETITIONS.—If, before the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary made a determination not to certify a firm as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 pursuant to a petition described in subparagraph (C), the Secretary shall—
 - (i) reconsider that determination; and
- (ii) if the firm meets the requirements of section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment, certify the firm as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance.
- (C) PETITION DESCRIBED.—A petition described in this subparagraph is a petition for a certification of eligibility filed by a firm or its representative under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 on or after January 1, 2014, and before the date of the enactment of this Act.
- (2) CERTIFICATION OF FIRMS THAT DID NOT SUBMIT PETITIONS BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2014, AND DATE OF ENACTMENT.—
- (A) In GENERAL.—The Secretary of Commerce shall certify a firm described in subparagraph (B) as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on the date of the enactment of this Act, if the firm or its representative files a petition for a certification of eligibility under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 not later than 90 days after such date of enactment.
- (B) FIRM DESCRIBED.—A firm described in this subparagraph is a firm that the Secretary determines would have been certified as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance if—
- (i) the firm or its representative had filed a petition for a certification of eligibility under section 251 of the Trade Act of 1974 on a date during the period beginning on January 1, 2014, and ending on the day before the date of the enactment of this Act; and
- (ii) the provisions of chapter 3 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on such date of enactment, had been in effect on that date during the period described in clause (i).

SEC. 406. SUNSET PROVISIONS.

- (a) APPLICATION OF PRIOR LAW.—Subject to subsection (b), beginning on July 1, 2021, the provisions of chapters 2, 3, 5, and 6 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2271 et seq.), as in effect on January 1, 2014, shall be in effect and apply, except that in applying and administering such chapters—
- (1) paragraph (1) of section 231(c) of that Act shall be applied and administered as if subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C) of that paragraph were not in effect:
- (2) section 233 of that Act shall be applied and administered—
- (A) in subsection (a)-
- (i) in paragraph (2), by substituting "104-week period" for "104-week period" and all that follows through "130-week period)"; and
 - (ii) in paragraph (3)—
- (I) in the matter preceding subparagraph (A), by substituting "65" for "52"; and
- (II) by substituting "78-week period" for "52-week period" each place it appears; and

- (B) by applying and administering subsection (g) as if it read as follows:
- "(g) Payment of Trade Readjustment Al-Lowances To Complete Training.—Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, in order to assist an adversely affected worker to complete training approved for the worker under section 236 that leads to the completion of a degree or industry-recognized credential, payments may be made as trade readjustment allowances for not more than 13 weeks within such period of eligibility as the Secretary may prescribe to account for a break in training or for justifiable cause that follows the last week for which the worker is otherwise entitled to a trade readjustment allowance under this chapter if—
- "(1) payment of the trade readjustment allowance for not more than 13 weeks is necessary for the worker to complete the training;
- "(2) the worker participates in training in each such week; and

"(3) the worker—

- "(A) has substantially met the performance benchmarks established as part of the training approved for the worker;
- (B) is expected to continue to make progress toward the completion of the training; and
- "(C) will complete the training during that period of eligibility.";
- (3) section 245(a) of that Act shall be applied and administered by substituting "June 30, 2022" for "December 31, 2007";
- (4) section 246(b)(1) of that Act shall be applied and administered by substituting "June 30, 2022" for "the date that is 5 years" and all that follows through "State";
- (5) section 256(b) of that Act shall be applied and administered by substituting "the 1-year period beginning on July 1, 2021" for "each of fiscal years 2003 through 2007, and \$4,000,000 for the 3-month period beginning on October 1, 2002".
- (6) section 298(a) of that Act shall be applied and administered by substituting "the 1-year period beginning on July 1, 2021" for "each of the fiscal years" and all that follows through "October 1, 2007"; and
- (7) section 285 of that Act shall be applied and administered—
- (A) in subsection (a), by substituting "June 30, 2022" for "December 31, 2007" each place it appears; and
- (B) by applying and administering subsection (b) as if it read as follows:
- "(b) OTHER ASSISTANCE.—
- "(1) Assistance for firms.—
- "(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subparagraph (B), assistance may not be provided under chapter 3 after June 30, 2022.
- "(B) EXCEPTION.—Notwithstanding subparagraph (A), any assistance approved under chapter 3 pursuant to a petition filed under section 251 on or before June 30, 2022, may be provided.—
- "(i) to the extent funds are available pursuant to such chapter for such purpose; and
- "(ii) to the extent the recipient of the assistance is otherwise eligible to receive such assistance.

"(2) FARMERS.—

- "(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subparagraph (B), assistance may not be provided under chapter 6 after June 30, 2022.
- "(B) EXCEPTION.—Notwithstanding subparagraph (A), any assistance approved under chapter 6 on or before June 30, 2022, may be provided—
- "(i) to the extent funds are available pursuant to such chapter for such purpose, and
- "(ii) to the extent the recipient of the assistance is otherwise eligible to receive such assistance.".
- (b) EXCEPTIONS.—The provisions of chapters 2, 3, 5, and 6 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974, as in effect on the date of the enactment of this Act, shall continue to apply on and after July 1, 2021, with respect to—
- (1) workers certified as eligible for trade adjustment assistance benefits under chapter 2 of

title II of that Act pursuant to petitions filed under section 221 of that Act before July 1, 2021;

(2) firms certified as eligible for technical assistance or grants under chapter 3 of title II of that Act pursuant to petitions filed under section 251 of that Act before July 1, 2021; and

(3) agricultural commodity producers certified as eligible for technical or financial assistance under chapter 6 of title II of that Act pursuant to petitions filed under section 292 of that Act before July 1, 2021.

SEC. 407. EXTENSION AND MODIFICATION OF HEALTH COVERAGE TAX CREDIT.

(a) Extension.—Subparagraph (B) of section 35(b)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking "before January 1, 2014" and inserting "before January 1, 2020"

(b) COORDINATION WITH CREDIT FOR COV-ERAGE UNDER A QUALIFIED HEALTH PLAN.—Subsection (a) of section 35 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended—

(1) by redesignating paragraph (11) as paragraph (13), and

(2) by inserting after paragraph (10) the following new paragraphs:

(11) ELECTION.

``(A)' IN GENERAL.—This section shall not apply to any taxpayer for any eligible coverage month unless such taxpayer elects the application of this section for such month.

'(B) TIMING AND APPLICABILITY OF ELEC-TION.—Except as the Secretary may provide-

'(i) an election to have this section apply for any eligible coverage month in a taxable year shall be made not later than the due date (including extensions) for the return of tax for the taxable year, and

(ii) any election for this section to apply for an eligible coverage month shall apply for all subsequent eligible coverage months in the taxable year and, once made, shall be irrevocable with respect to such months.

"(12) COORDINATION WITH PREMIUM TAX CRED-

IT.—
"(A) IN GENERAL.—An eligible coverage month to which the election under paragraph (11) applies shall not be treated as a coverage month (as defined in section 36B(c)(2)) for purposes of section 36B with respect to the taxpayer.

'(B) COORDINATION WITH ADVANCE PAYMENTS OF PREMIUM TAX CREDIT.—In the case of a taxpayer who makes the election under paragraph (11) with respect to any eligible coverage month in a taxable year or on behalf of whom any advance payment is made under section 7527 with respect to any month in such taxable year-

"(i) the tax imposed by this chapter for the taxable year shall be increased by the excess, if

any, of-

(I) the sum of any advance payments made on behalf of the taxpayer under section 1412 of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and section 7527 for months during such taxable year, over

'(II) the sum of the credits allowed under this section (determined without regard to paragraph (1)) and section 36B (determined without regard to subsection (f)(1) thereof) for such taxable year, and

'(ii) section 36B(f)(2) shall not apply with respect to such taxpayer for such taxable year, except that if such taxpayer received any advance payments under section 7527 for any month in such taxable year and is later allowed a credit under section 36B for such taxable year, then section 36B(f)(2)(B) shall be applied by substituting the amount determined under clause (i) for the amount determined under section 36B(f)(2)(A).

(c) EXTENSION OF ADVANCE PAYMENT PRO-GRAM -

(1) IN GENERAL.—Subsection (a) of section 7527 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking "August 1, 2003" and inserting "the date that is 1 year after the date of the enactment of the Trade Adjustment Assistance Reauthorization Act of 2015".

(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Paragraph (1) of section 7527(e) of such Code is amended by striking "occurring" and all that follows and inserting "occurring-

"(A) after the date that is 1 year after the date of the enactment of the Trade Adjustment Assistance Reauthorization Act of 2015, and

'(B) prior to the first month for which an advance payment is made on behalf of such individual under subsection (a).

(d) Individual Insurance Treated as Quali-FIED HEALTH INSURANCE WITHOUT REGARD TO ENROLLMENT DATE -

(1) IN GENERAL.—Subparagraph (J) of section 35(e)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by striking "insurance if the eligible individual" and all that follows through "For purposes of" and inserting "insurance. For purposes of

(2) SPECIAL RULE.—Subparagraph (J) of section 35(e)(1) of such Code, as amended by paragraph (1), is amended by striking "insurance." and inserting "insurance (other than coverage enrolled in through an Exchange established under the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act).'

(e) Conforming Amendment.—Subsection (m) of section 6501 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by inserting ", 35(g)(11)" after '30D(e)(4)'

(f) EFFECTIVE DATE.-

(1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in paragraph (2), the amendments made by this section shall apply to coverage months in taxable years beginning after December 31, 2013.

(2) PLANS AVAILABLE ON INDIVIDUAL MARKET FOR USE OF TAX CREDIT.—The amendment made by subsection (d)(2) shall apply to coverage months in taxable years beginning after Decem-

(3) TRANSITION RULE.—Notwithstanding section 35(g)(11)(B)(i) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (as added by this title), an election to apply section 35 of such Code to an eligible coverage month (as defined in section 35(b) of such Code) (and not to claim the credit under section 36B of such Code with respect to such month) in a taxable year beginning after December 31, 2013, and before the date of the enactment of this Act-

(A) may be made at any time on or after such date of enactment and before the expiration of the 3-year period of limitation prescribed in section 6511(a) with respect to such taxable year; and

(B) may be made on an amended return.

(g) AGENCY OUTREACH.—As soon as possible after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretaries of the Treasury, Health and Human Services, and Labor (or such Secretaries' delegates) and the Director of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (or the Director's delegate) shall carry out programs of public outreach, including on the Internet, to inform potential eligible individuals (as defined in section 35(c)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) of the extension of the credit under section 35 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the availability of the election to claim such credit retroactively for coverage months beginning after December 31, 2013.

V—IMPROVEMENTS **DUMPING AND COUNTERVAILING DUTY** LAWS

SEC. 501. SHORT TITLE.

This title may be cited as the "American Trade Enforcement Effectiveness Act".

SEC. 502. CONSEQUENCES OF FAILURE TO CO-OPERATE WITH A REQUEST FOR IN-FORMATION IN A PROCEEDING.

Section 776 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677e) is amended—

(1) in subsection (b)—

(A) by redesignating paragraphs (1) through (4) as subparagraphs (A) through (D), respectively, and by moving such subparagraphs, as so redesignated, 2 ems to the right:

(B) by striking "ADVERSE INFERENCES.—If" and inserting the following: "ADVERSE INFER-ENCES .-

'(1) IN GENERAL.—If";

(C) by striking "under this title, may use" and inserting the following: "under this title-"(A) may use"; and

(D) by striking "facts otherwise available. Such adverse inference may include" and inserting the following: "facts otherwise available;

"(B) is not required to determine, or make any adjustments to, a countervailable subsidy rate or weighted average dumping margin based on any assumptions about information the interested party would have provided if the interested party had complied with the request for information.

(2) Potential sources of information for ADVERSE INFERENCES.—An adverse inference under paragraph (1)(A) may include";

(2) in subsection (c)-

(A) by striking "CORROBORATION OF SEC-ONDARY INFORMATION.—When the" and inserting the following: "CORROBORATION OF SEC-ONDARY INFORMATION.

'(1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in paragraph (2), when the"; and

(B) by adding at the end the following:

(2) EXCEPTION.—The administrative authority and the Commission shall not be required to corroborate any dumping margin or countervailing duty applied in a separate segment of the same proceeding."; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

'(d) Subsidy Rates and Dumping Margins in Adverse Inference Determinations.

"(1) IN GENERAL.—If the administering authority uses an inference that is adverse to the interests of a party under subsection (b)(1)(A) in selecting among the facts otherwise available, the administering authority may-

"(A) in the case of a countervailing duty proceedina-

"(i) use a countervailable subsidy rate applied for the same or similar program in a countervailing duty proceeding involving the same country, or

"(ii) if there is no same or similar program, use a countervailable subsidy rate for a subsidy program from a proceeding that the administering authority considers reasonable to use, and

"(B) in the case of an antidumping duty proceeding, use any dumping margin from any segment of the proceeding under the applicable antidumpina order

"(2) Discretion to apply highest rate.—In carrying out paragraph (1), the administering authority may apply any of the countervailable subsidy rates or dumping margins specified under that paragraph, including the highest such rate or margin, based on the evaluation by the administering authority of the situation that resulted in the administering authority using an adverse inference in selecting among the facts otherwise available.

"(3) NO OBLIGATION TO MAKE CERTAIN ESTI-MATES OR ADDRESS CERTAIN CLAIMS.—If the administering authority uses an adverse inference under subsection (b)(1)(A) in selecting among the facts otherwise available, the administering authority is not required, for purposes of subsection (c) or for any other purpose-

"(A) to estimate what the countervailable subsidy rate or dumping margin would have been if the interested party found to have failed to cooperate under subsection (b)(1) had cooperated,

"(B) to demonstrate that the countervailable subsidy rate or dumping margin used by the administering authority reflects an alleged commercial reality of the interested party."

SEC. 503. DEFINITION OF MATERIAL INJURY.

(a) Effect of Profitability of Domestic INDUSTRIES.—Section 771(7) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(7)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(J) EFFECT OF PROFITABILITY.—The Commission may not determine that there is no material injury or threat of material injury to an industry in the United States merely because that industry is profitable or because the performance of that industry has recently improved.'

(b) Evaluation of Impact on Domestic In-DUSTRY IN DETERMINATION OF MATERIAL IN-JURY.—Subclause (I) of section 771(7)(C)(iii) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(7)(C)(iii)) is amended to read as follows:

'(I) actual and potential decline in output, sales, market share, gross profits, operating profits, net profits, ability to service debt, productivity, return on investments, return on assets, and utilization of capacity,'

 C_{APTIVE} PRODUCTION —Section 771(7)(C)(iv) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(7)(C)(iv)) is amended-

(1) in subclause (1), by striking the comma and inserting ", and";

(2) in subclause (II), by striking ", and" and inserting a comma; and

(3) by striking subclause (III).

SEC. 504. PARTICULAR MARKET SITUATION.

(a) DEFINITION OF ORDINARY COURSE OF TRADE.—Section 771(15) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677(15)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

(C) Situations in which the administering authority determines that the particular market situation prevents a proper comparison with the export price or constructed export price.'

(b) DEFINITION OF NORMAL VALUE.—Section 773(a)(1)(B)(ii)(III) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677b(a)(1)(B)(ii)(III)) is amended by striking "in such other country."

(c) Definition of Constructed Value.—Section 773(e) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677b(e)) is amended-

(1) in paragraph (1), by striking "business"

and inserting "trade"; and
(2) by striking the flush text at the end and inserting the following:

'For purposes of paragraph (1), if a particular market situation exists such that the cost of materials and fabrication or other processing of any kind does not accurately reflect the cost of production in the ordinary course of trade, the administering authority may use another calculation methodology under this subtitle or any other calculation methodology. For purposes of paragraph (1), the cost of materials shall be determined without regard to any internal tax in the exporting country imposed on such materials or their disposition that is remitted or refunded upon exportation of the subject merchandise produced from such materials."

SEC. 505. DISTORTION OF PRICES OR COSTS.

(a) Investigation of Below-cost Sales. Section 773(b)(2) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677b(b)(2)) is amended by striking subparagraph (A) and inserting the following:

(A) Reasonable grounds to believe or

"(i) REVIEW.—In a review conducted under section 751 involving a specific exporter, there are reasonable grounds to believe or suspect that sales of the foreign like product have been made at prices that are less than the cost of production of the product if the administering authority disregarded some or all of the exporter's sales pursuant to paragraph (1) in the investigation or, if a review has been completed, in the most recently completed review.

"(ii) REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION.—In an investigation initiated under section 732 or a review conducted under section 751, the administering authority shall request information necessary to calculate the constructed value and cost of production under subsections (e) and (f) to determine whether there are reasonable grounds to believe or suspect that sales of the foreign like product have been made at prices that represent less than the cost of production of the product."

(b) PRICES AND COSTS IN NONMARKET ECONO-MIES.—Section 773(c) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1677b(c)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(5) Discretion to disregard certain price OR COST VALUES.—In valuing the factors of production under paragraph (1) for the subject merchandise, the administering authority may disregard price or cost values without further investigation if the administering authority has determined that broadly available export subsidies existed or particular instances of subsidization occurred with respect to those price or cost values or if those price or cost values were subject to an antidumping order.

SEC. 506. REDUCTION IN BURDEN ON DEPART-MENT OF COMMERCE BY REDUCING THE NUMBER OF VOLUNTARY RE-SPONDENTS.

Section 782(a) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 $U.S.C.\ 1677m(a)$) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1), by redesignating subparagraphs (A) and (B) as clauses (i) and (ii), respectively, and by moving such clauses, as so redesignated, 2 ems to the right:

(2) by redesignating paragraphs (1) and (2) as subparagraphs (A) and (B), respectively, and by moving such subparagraphs, as so redesignated, 2 ems to the right:

(3) by striking "INVESTIGATIONS AND RE-VIEWS.—In" and inserting the following: VESTIGATIONS AND REVIEWS .-

'(1) IN GENERAL.—In."

(4) in paragraph (1), as designated by paragraph (3), by amending subparagraph (B), as redesignated by paragraph (2), to read as follows:

(B) the number of exporters or producers subject to the investigation or review is not so large that any additional individual examination of such exporters or producers would be unduly burdensome to the administering authority and inhibit the timely completion of the investigation or review."; and

(5) by adding at the end the following:

(2) DETERMINATION OF UNDULY BURDEN-SOME.—In determining if an individual examination under paragraph (1)(B) would be unduly burdensome, the administering authority may consider the following:

'(A) The complexity of the issues or information presented in the proceeding, including questionnaires and any responses thereto.

"(B) Any prior experience of the administering authority in the same or similar proceeding.

"(C) The total number of investigations under subtitle A or B and reviews under section 751 being conducted by the administering authority as of the date of the determination.

(D) Such other factors relating to the timely completion of each such investigation and review as the administering authority considers appropriate.'

SEC. 507. APPLICATION TO CANADA AND MEXICO.

Pursuant to article 1902 of the North American Free Trade Agreement and section 408 of the North American Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (19 U.S.C. 3438), the amendments made by this title shall apply with respect to goods from Canada and Mexico

TITLE VI—TARIFF CLASSIFICATION OF CERTAIN ARTICLES

SEC. 601. TARIFF CLASSIFICATION OF REC-REATIONAL PERFORMANCE OUTER-WEAR.

(a) Amendments to Additional U.S. NOTES.—The Additional U.S. Notes to chapter 62 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States are amended-

(1) in Additional U.S. Note 2-

(A) by striking "For the purposes of sub-headings" and all that follows through "6211.20.15" and inserting "For purposes of this chanter'

(B) by striking "garments classifiable in those subheadings" and inserting "a garment"; and (C) by striking "D 3600-81" and inserting "D

3779–81''; and

(2) by adding at the end the following new notes:

"(c) For purposes of this chapter, the term 'recreational performance outerwear'

trousers (including, but not limited to, paddling pants, ski or snowboard pants, and ski or snowboard pants intended for sale as parts of ski-suits), coveralls and bib overalls, and jackets (including, but not limited to, full zip jackets, paddling jackets, ski jackets, and ski jackets intended for sale as parts of ski-suits), windbreakers, and similar articles (including padded, sleeveless jackets) composed of fabrics of cotton, wool, hemp, bamboo, silk, or manmade fiber, or a combination of such fibers, that are either water resistant or treated with plastics, or both, with critically sealed seams, and with five or more of the following features:

(1) Insulation for cold weather protection.

"(2) Pockets, at least one of which has a zippered, hook and loop, or other type of clo-

"(3) Elastic, drawcord, or other means of tightening around the waist or leg hems, including hidden leg sleeves with a means of tightening at the ankle for trousers and tightening around the waist or bottom hem for jackets.

'(4) Venting, not including grommet(s).

"(5) Articulated elbows or knees.

Reinforcement in one of the following areas: the elbows, shoulders, seat, knees, ankles, or cuffs.

"(7) Weatherproof closure at the waist or front

"(8) Multi-adjustable hood or adjustable col-

lar.
"(9) Adjustable powder skirt, inner protective skirt, or adjustable inner protective cuff at sleeve hem.

"(10) Construction at the arm gusset that utilizes fabric, design, or patterning to allow radial arm movement.

(11) Odor control technology.

The term 'recreational performance outerwear' does not include occupational outerwear.

"(d) For purposes of this Note, the following terms have the following meanings:

"(1) The term 'treated with plastics' refers to textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered, or laminated with plastics, as described in Note 2 to chapter 59.

'(2) The term 'sealed seams' means seams that have been covered by means of taping, gluing, bonding, cementing, fusing, welding, or a similar process so that water cannot pass through the seams when tested in accordance with the current version of AATCC Test Method 35.

'(3) The term 'critically sealed seams' means— "(A) for jackets, windbreakers, and similar articles (including padded, sleeveless jackets), sealed seams that are sealed at the front and back yokes, or at the shoulders, arm holes, or both, where applicable; and

(B) for trousers, overalls and bib overalls and similar articles, sealed seams that are sealed at the front (up to the zipper or other means of closure) and back rise.

'(4) The term 'insulation for cold weather protection' means insulation with either synthetic fill, down, a laminated thermal backing, or other lining for thermal protection from cold weather

"(5) The term 'venting' refers to closeable or permanent constructed openings in a garment (excluding front, primary zipper closures and grommet(s)) to allow increased expulsion of built-up heat during outdoor activities. In a jacket, such openings are often positioned on the underarm seam of a garment but may also be placed along other seams in the front or back of a garment. In trousers, such openings are often positioned on the inner or outer leg seams of a garment but may also be placed along other seams in the front or back of a garment.

(6) The term 'articulated elbows or knees' refers to the construction of a sleeve (or pant leg) to allow improved mobility at the elbow (or knee) through the use of extra seams, darts,

gussets, or other means.

'(7) The term 'reinforcement' refers to the use of a double layer of fabric or section(s) of fabric that is abrasion-resistant or otherwise more durable than the face fabric of the garment.

"(8) The term 'weatherproof closure' means a closure (including, but not limited to, laminated or coated zippers, storm flaps, or other weatherproof construction) that has been reinforced or engineered in a manner to reduce the penetration or absorption of moisture or air through an opening in the garment.

(9) The term 'multi-adjustable hood or adiustable collar' means, in the case of a hood, a hood into which is incorporated two or more draw cords, adjustment tabs, or elastics, or, in the case of a collar, a collar into which is incorporated at least one draw cord, adjustment tab. elastic, or similar component, to allow volume adjustments around a helmet, or the crown of

the head, neck, or face.
"(10) The terms 'adjustable powder skirt' and 'inner protective skirt' refer to a partial lower inner lining with means of tightening around the waist for additional protection from the ele-

"(11) The term 'arm gusset' means construction at the arm of a gusset that utilizes an extra fabric piece in the underarm, usually diamondor triangular-shaped, designed, or patterned to allow radial arm movement.

"(12) The term 'radial arm movement' refers to unrestricted, 180-degree range of motion for the arm while wearing performance outerwear.
"(13) The term 'odor control technology'

means the incorporation into a fabric or garment of materials, including, but not limited to, activated carbon, silver, copper, or any combination thereof, capable of adsorbing, absorbing, or reacting with human odors, or effective in reducing the growth of odor-causing bacteria.

'(14) The term 'occupational outerwear means outerwear garments, including uniforms, designed or marketed for use in the workplace or at a worksite to provide durable protection from cold or inclement weather and/or workplace hazards, such as fire, electrical, abrasion, or chemical hazards, or impacts, cuts, punctures, or similar hazards.

"(e) Notwithstanding subdivision (b)(i) of this Note, for purposes of this chapter, Notes 1 and 2(a)(1) to chapter 59 and Note 1(c) to chapter 60 shall be disregarded in classifying goods as 'recreational performance outerwear'.

- '(f) For purposes of this chapter, the importer of record shall maintain internal import records that specify upon entry whether garments claimed as recreational performance outerwear have an outer surface that is water resistant, treated with plastics, or a combination thereof, and shall further enumerate the specific features that make the garments eligible to be classified as recreational performance outerwear.".
- (b) Tariff Classifications.—Chapter 62 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended as follows:
- (1) By striking subheading 6201.11.00 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.11 having the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6201.11.00 (as in effect on the day before the date of the enactment of this Act):

"	6201.11	Of wool or fine animal hair:				
	6201.11.05	Recreational performance outerwear	41¢/kg +	Free (BH,	52.9¢/kg + 58.5%	
			16.3%	CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
				16.4¢/kg +		
				6.5% (OM)		
	6201.11.10	Other	41¢/kg +	Free (BH,	52.9¢/kg + 58.5%	".
			16.3%	CA, CL , CO ,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
				16.4¢/kg +		
(0				6.5% (OM)		

(2) By striking subheadings 6201.12.10 and 6201.12.20 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.12.05

having the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6201.12.10 (as in ment of this Act):

effect on the day before the date of the enact-

 6201.12.05	Recreational performance outerwear Other:	9.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	60%	
6201.12.10	Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down.	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 3.9% (AU)	60%	
6201.12.20	Other	9.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	".

(3) By striking subheadings 6201.13.10 through 6201.13.40 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.13.05

having the same degree of indentation as the ar- effect on the day before the date of the enactticle description for subheading 6201.13.10 (as in

"	6201.13.05	Recreational performance outerwear	27.7%	Free (BH,	90%	
				CA, CL , CO , IL , JO , KR ,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG) 8% (AU)		
		Other:		-,0 ()		

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6201.13.10	Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO,	60%	
	percent or more by weight of down		IL, JO, KR,		
			MA, MX,		
			OM, P, PA,		
			PE, SG)		
			3.9% (AU)		
	Other:				
6201.13.30	Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	49.7¢/kg +	Free (BH,	52.9 c/kg + 58.5%	
		19.7%	CA, CL, CO,		
			IL, JO, KR, MA, MX,		
			OM, P, PA,		
			PE, SG		
			8% (AU)		
6201.13.40	Other	27.7%	Free (BH,		
			CA, CL , CO ,		
			IL, JO, KR,		
			MA, MX,		
			OM, P, PA,		
			PE, SG)	000/	,,
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(4) By striking subheadings 6201.19.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar- effect on the day before the date of the enact-6201.19.90 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.19.05

ticle description for subheading 6201.19.10 (as in ment of this Act):

"	6201.19.05	Recreational performance outerwear	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				CO, E*, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM , P ,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
		Other:				
	6201.19.10	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	Free		35%	
	6201.19.90	Other	2.8%	Free (AU,		
				BH, CA , CL ,		
				CO, E*, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM , P ,		
				PA, PE, SG)	35%	".

(5) By striking subheadings 6201.91.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar6201.91.20 and inserting the following, with the ticle description for subheading 6201.91.10 (as in ment of this Act):

article description for subheading 6201.91.05

6201.91.05	Recreational performance outerwear	49.7¢/kg +	Free (BH,	58.5%
		19.7%	CA, CL, CO,	
			IL, JO, KR,	
			MA, MX, P,	
			PA, PE, SG)	
			8% (AU)	
			19.8¢/kg +	
			7.8% (OM)	
	Other:			
6201.91.10	Padded, sleeveless jackets	8.5%	Free (BH,	58.5%
			CA, CL, CO,	
			IL, JO, KR,	
			MA, MX, P,	
			PA, PE, SG)	
			7.6% (AU)	
			3.4% (OM)	
6201.91.20	Other	49.7¢/kg +	Free (BH,	
		19.7%	CA, CL, CO,	
			IL, JO, KR,	
			MA, MX, P,	
			PA, PE, SG)	
			8% (AU)	
			19.8¢/kg +	
			7.8% (OM)	52.9 c/kg + 58.5%

6201.92.20 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.92.05

(6) By striking subheadings 6201.92.10 through having the same degree of indentation as the ar-effect on the day before the date of the enactticle description for subheading 6201.92.10 (as in ment of this Act):

"	6201.92.05	Recreational performance outerwear	9.4%	Free (BH,	90%	
	0201.92.03	necreational perjormance outerwear	3.4/0	CA, CL, CO,	3070	
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
		Other:		070 (210)		
	6201.92.10	Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage	4 4%	Free (BH,	60%	
	0201102110	and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10	11170	CA, CL, CO,	0070	
		percent or more by weight of down		IL, JO, KR,		
		percent or more og weight of would		MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				3.9% (AU)		
		Other:		/ (/		
	6201.92.15	Water resistant	6.2%	Free (BH,	37.5%	
				CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				5.5% (AU)		
	6201.92.20	Other	9.4%	Free (BH,		
				CA, CL , CO ,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
			I	8% (AII)	90%	,,

(7) By striking subheadings 6201.93.10 through 6201.93.35 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.93.05 $\frac{1}{8}$ (AU) 90% $\frac{1}{8}$ (AU) 90% $\frac{1}{8}$ (Bu) 90% $\frac{$

•	6201.93.05	Recreational performance outerwear	27.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%
	6201.93.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 3.9% (AU)	60%
	6201.93.20	Padded, sleeveless jackets	14.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
		Other:			
	6201.93.25	Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	49.5¢/kg + 19.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	52.9¢/kg + 58.5%
	6201.93.30	Other: Water resistant	7.1%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.3% (AU)	65%

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6201.93.35	Other	27.7% Free (BH,	
		CA, CL, CO,	
		IL, JO, KR,	
		MA, MX,	
		OM, P, PA,	
		PE, SG)	
		8% (AU) 90%	,,

(8) By striking subheadings 6201.99.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the areal effect on the day before the date of the enact-ticle description for subheading 6201.99.00 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6201.99.10 (as in ment of this Act):

"	6201.99.05	Recreational performance outerwear	4.2%	Free (BH,	35%
				CA, CL, CO,	
				E*, IL, JO,	
				KR, MA,	
				MX, OM, P,	
				PA, PE, SG)	
				3.7% (AU)	
		Other:			
	6201.99.10	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	Free		35%
	6201.99.90	Other	4.2%	Free (BH,	
				CA, CL, CO,	
				E*, IL, JO,	
				KR, MA,	
				MX, OM , P ,	
				PA, PE, SG)	
				3.7% (AU)	35% ".

(9) By striking subheading 6202.11.00 and in- tion for subheading 6202.11 having the same de- subheading 6202.11.00 (as in effect on the day serting the following, with the article descrip- gree of indentation as the article description for before the date of the enactment of this Act):

"	6202.11	Of wool or fine animal hair:			
	6202.11.05	Recreational performance outerwear	41¢/kg +	Free (BH,	46.3¢/kg + 58.5%
			16.3%	CA, CL, CO,	
				IL, JO, KR,	
				MA, MX, P,	
				PA, PE, SG)	
				8% (AU)	
				16.4¢/kg +	
				6.5% (OM)	
	6202.11.10	Other	41¢/kg +	Free (BH,	
			16.3%	CA, CL , CO ,	
				IL, JO, KR,	
				MA, MX, P,	
				PA, PE, SG)	
				8% (AU)	
				16.4¢/kg +	
				6.5% (OM)	46.3 c/kg + 58.5% ".

6202.12.20 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6202.12.05

ticle description for subheading 6202.12.10 (as in ment of this Act):

(10) By striking subheadings 6202.12.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar-effect on the day before the date of the enact-

"	6202.12.05	Recreational performance outerwear	8.9%	Free (BH,	90%	
				CA, CL , CO , IL , JO , KR ,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
		Other:				
	6202.12.10	Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of	4.4%	Free (BH,	60%	
		which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or		CA, CL, CO,		
		more by weight of down		IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		ı
				PE, SG)		
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	6202.12.20	Other	8.9%	Free (BH,		l
				CA, CL, CO,		l
				IL, JO, KR, MA, MX,		l
				OM, P, PA,		1
ľ				PE, SG		l
				8% (AU)	90%	,,

with the article description for subheading

through 6202.13.40 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act):

(11) By striking subheadings 6202.13.10 6202.13.05 having the same degree of indentation 6202.13.10 (as in effect on the day before the

"	6202.13.05	Recreational performance outerwear	27.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	
	6202.13.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 3.9% (AU)	60%	
	6202.13.30	Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	43.5¢/kg + 19.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	46.3¢/kg + 58.5%	
	6202.13.40	Other	27.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	,,,

(12) By striking subheadings 6202.19.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6202.19.05

"	6202.19.05	Recreational performance outerwear	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				$CO, E^*, IL,$		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
		Other:				
	6202.19.10	Containing 70 percent or more by weight or silk or silk waste	Free		35%	
	6202.19.90	Other	2.8%	Free $(AU,$		
				BH, CA , CL ,		
				$CO, E^*, IL,$		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM , P ,		
				PA, PE, SG)	35%	".

6202.91.20 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6202.91.05

(13) By striking subheadings 6202.91.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar-effect on the day before the date of the enactticle description for subheading 6202.91.10 (as in ment of this Act):

•	6202.91.05	Recreational performance outerwear	36¢/kg + 16.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 14.4¢/kg + 6.5% (OM)	58.5%	
	6202.91.10	Other: Padded, sleeveless jackets	14%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 5.6% (OM)	58.5%	
	6202.91.20	Other	36¢/kg + 16.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 14.4¢/kg + 6.5% (OM)	46.3¢/kg + 58.5%	,.

through 6202.92.20 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading

as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act):

(14) By striking subheadings 6202.92.10 6202.92.05 having the same degree of indentation 6202.92.10 (as in effect on the day before the

• •	6202.92.05	Recreational performance outerwear	8.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	
	6202.92.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 3.9% (AU)	60%	
	6202.92.15	Other: Water resistant	6.2%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 5.5% (AU)	37.5%	
	6202.92.20	Other	8.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	".

(15) By striking subheadings 6202.93.10 6202.93.05 having the same degree of indentation 6202.93.10 (as in effect on the day before the through 6202.93.50 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act): with the article description for subheading

"	6202.93.05	Recreational performance outerwear	27.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%
	6202.93.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	4.4%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 3.9% (AU)	60%
	6202.93.20	Padded, sleeveless jackets	14.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
	6202.93.40	Other: Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	43.4¢/kg + 19.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	46.3¢/kg + 58.5%
	6202.93.45	Other: Water resistant	7.1%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.3% (AU)	65%

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6202.93.50	Other	27.7% Free (BH,		
		CA, CL, CO,		
		IL, JO, KR,		
		MA, MX,		
		OM, P, PA,		
		PE, SG		
			00%	".

6202.99.90 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6202.99.05

ticle description for subheading 6202.99.10 (as in ment of this Act):

(16) By striking subheadings 6202.99.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar-effect on the day before the date of the enact-

"	6202.99.05	Recreational performance outerwear Other:	2.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, E*, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG)	35%	
	6202.99.10	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	Free		35%	
	6202.99.90	Other	2.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, E*, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG)	35%	".
(1	By stri	king subheadings 6203.41 and article description for subheading 6203.41 having	the day before	the date of the	enactment of t	his

6203.41.05, and the superior text to subheading the same degree of indentation as the article de-6203.41.05, and inserting the following, with the scription for subheading 6203.41 (as in effect on

Act):

"	6203.41	Of wool or fine animal hair:				
	6203.41.05	Recreational performance outerwear Trousers, breeches and shorts:	41.9¢/kg + 16.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO,IL, JO,KR, MA,MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 16.7¢/kg + 6.5% (OM)	52.9¢/kg + 58.5%	
	6203.41.10	Trousers and breeches, containing elastomeric fiber, water resistant, without belt loops, weighing more than 9 kg per dozen	7.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.8% (AU) 3% (OM)	52.9¢/ka + 58.5%	,,,

through 6203.42.40 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading

as the article description for subheading

(18) By striking subheadings 6203.42.10 6203.42.05 having the same degree of indentation 6203.42.10 (as in effect on the day before the date of the enactment of this Act):

"	6203.42.05	Recreational performance outerwear	16.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA,	90%	
				MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.6% (KR)		
	6203.42.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	Free		60%	
	6203.42.20	Bib and brace overalls	10.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	
	6203.42.40	Other	16.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.6% (KR)	90%	"·

(19) By striking subheadings 6203.43.10 6203.43.05 having the same degree of indentation 6203.43.10 (as in effect on the day before the through 6203.43.40 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act): with the article description for subheading

٤	6203.43.05	Recreational performance outerwear	27.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.1% (KR)	90%
	6203.43.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other: Bib and brace overalls:	Free		60%
	6203.43.15	Water resistant	7.1%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.3% (AU)	65%
	6203.43.20	Other	14.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
	6203.43.25	Other: Certified hand-loomed and folklore products	12.2%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
	6203.43.30	Other: Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	49.6¢/kg + 19.7%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	52.9¢/kg + 58.5%
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6203.43.35	Water resistant trousers or breeches	7.1% Free (BH, 65%	
		CA, CL, CO,	
		IL, JO, MA,	
		$\left egin{array}{c} MX,OM,P,\ PA,PE,SG \end{array} ight $	
		6.3% (AU)	
		2.8% (KR)	
6203.43.40	Other		1
0203.43.40	Оіпет	, , ,	
		CA, CL, CO,	
		IL, JO, MA,	
		MX, OM, P,	
		PA, PE, SG)	
		8% (AU)	١
		11.1% (KR) 90%	".

(20) By striking subheadings 6203.49 through the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6203.49 having the following, with the acceptance of indentation as the article description as the day before the date of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of this acceptance of indentation as the article description for subheading 6203.49 having the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6203.49 (as in effect on acceptance of the day before the date of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of this acceptance of the day before the date of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of this acceptance of the day before the date of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of the enactment of this acceptance of the enactment of the enactment

" 6203.49	Of other textile materials:			
6203.49.05	Recreational performance outerwear Other:	2.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, E*, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 1.1% (KR)	35%
	Of artificial fibers:			
6203.49.10	Bib and brace overalls	8.5%	Free (BH,	76%
0203.43.10		0.070	CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 7.6% (AU)	10/8
	Trousers, breeches and shorts:			
6203.49.15	Certified hand-loomed and folklore products	12.2%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
6203.49.20	Other	27.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%
6203.49.40	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	Free		35%
6203.49.80	Other	2.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, E*, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 1.1% (KR)	35%

(21) By striking subheadings 6204.61.10 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar6204.61.90 and inserting the following, with the ticle description for subheading 6204.61.10 (as in ment of this Act):
article description for subheading 6204.61.05

"	6204.61.05	Recreational performance outerwear Other:	13.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 5.4% (OM) 8% (AU)	58.5%	
	6204.61.10	Trousers and breeches, containing elastomeric fiber, water resistant, without belt loops, weighing more than 6 kg per dozen	7.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 3% (OM) 6.8% (AU)	58.5%	
	6204.61.90	Other	13.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 5.4% (OM) 8% (AU)	58.5%	,,.

(22) By striking subheadings 6204.62.10 6204.62.05 having the same degree of indentation 6204.62.10 (as in effect on the day before the through 6204.62.40 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act): with the article description for subheading

 6204.62.05	Recreational performance outerwear	16.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.6% (KR)	90%	
	Other:				
6204.62.10	Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	Free		60%	
6204.62.20	Bib and brace overalls	8.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	90%	
6204 62 20	Other:	7.10/	Tues (DII	27.50/	
6204.62.30	Certified hand-loomed and folklore products	7.1%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.3% (AU)	37.5%	
6204.62.40	Other	16.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.6% (KR)	90%	

with the article description for subheading

through 6204.63.35 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act):

(23) By striking subheadings 6204.63.10 6204.63.05 having the same degree of indentation 6204.63.10 (as in effect on the day before the

6204.63.05	Recreational performance outerwear	28.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.4% (KR)	90%
6204.63.10	Other: Containing 15 percent or more by weight of down and waterfowl plumage and of which down comprises 35 percent or more by weight; containing 10 percent or more by weight of down Other:	Free		60%
6204.63.12	Bib and brace overalls: Water resistant	7.1%	Free (BH,	65%
			CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.3% (AU)	
6204.63.15	Other	14.9%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
6204.63.20	Certified hand-loomed and folklore products	11.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	76%
6204.63.25	Other: Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	13.6%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU)	58.5%
6204.63.30	Other: Water resistant trousers or breeches	7.1%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG)	65%
6204.63.35	Other	28.6%	6.3% (AU) Free (BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG) 8% (AU) 11.4% (KR)	90%
) Bu etribi	ng subheadings 6204.69 through the same degree of indentation as the article de-	the day befo	re the date of the	

"	6204.69	Of other textile materials:				
	6204.69.05	Recreational performance outerwear	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				$CO, E^*, IL,$		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
		Other:				
		Of artificial fibers:				
	6204.69.10	Bib and brace overalls	13.6%	Free (BH,	76%	
				CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		

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6204.69.20	Trousers, breeches and shorts: Containing 36 percent or more by weight of wool or fine animal hair	13.6%	Free (BH,	58.5%	
			CA, CL, CO,		
			IL, JO, KR,		
			MA, MX, $OM, P, PA,$		
			PE, SG)		
			8% (AU)		
6204.69.25	Other	28.6%	Free (BH,	90%	
			CA, CL, CO,		
			IL, JO, KR,		
			MA, MX,		
			OM, P, PA,		
			PE, SG)		
			8% (AU)		
2004 20 40	Of silk or silk waste:	1.10/	TI (4T)	050/	
6204.69.40	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	1.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL,	65%	
			CO, E, IL, J,		
			JO, KR, MA,		
			MX, OM, P,		
			PA, PE, SG		
6204.69.60	Other	7.1%	Free (BH,	65%	
			CA, CL, CO,		
			E*, IL, JO,		
			KR, MA,		
			MX, OM, P,		
			PA, PE, SG)		
2004 20 00		0.00/	6.3% (AU)	250/	١,,
6204.69.90	Other	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	".
			BH, CA, CL, CO, E*, IL,		
			JO, KR, MA,		
			MX, OM, P,		
			PA, PE, SG		

(25) By striking subheadings 6210.40.30 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar-effect on the day before the date of the enact-6210.40.50 and inserting the following, with the article description for subheading 6210.40.05

ticle description for subheading 6210.40.30 (as in ment of this Act):

"	6210.40.05	Recreational performance outerwear Other:	7.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65%
	6210.40.30	Having an outer surface impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with rubber or plastics material which completely obscures the underlying fabric	3.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65%
	6210.40.50	Other	7.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65% ".

(26) By striking subheadings 6210.50.30 and having the same degree of indentation as the ar- effect on the day before the date of the enact-6210.50.50 and inserting the following, with the $article \ \ description \ \ for \ \ subheading \ \ 6210.50.05$

ticle description for subheading 6210.50.30 (as in ment of this Act):

"	6210.50.05	Recreational performance outerwear	7.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65%	
	6210 50 20	Other:	2 00/	Enga (AII	050/	
	6210.50.30	Having an outer surface impreg- nated, coated, covered or laminated with rubber or plastics material which completely obscures the underlying fabric	3.8%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65%	
	6210.50.50	Other	7.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PE, SG)	65%	,,
		ng subheading 6211.32.00 and in- owing, with the article descrip- gree of indentation as the article description for	subheading 62. before the date	11.32.00 (as in	effect on the	lay
"	6211.32	Of cotton:				1
	6211.32.05	Recreational performance outerwear	8.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL,	90%	
				CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG)		
	6211.32.10	Other	8.1%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, SG)	90%	".
		ng subheading 6211.33.00 and intion for subheading 6211.33 having the same de- owing, with the article descripgree of indentation as the article description for	subheading 62 before the date	11.33.00 (as in	effect on the ent of this Act):	lay
	6211.33	Of man-made fibers:				1
	6211.33.05	Recreational performance outerwear	16%	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG)	76%	
	6211.33.10	Other	16%	6.4% (OM) Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, CO, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, P, PA, PE, SG) 6.4% (OM)	76%	,,
thre	ough 6211.39	riking subheadings 6211.39.05 6211.39.05 having the same degree of indentation 0.90 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading cle description for subheading	6211.39.05 (as date of the ena	in effect on the	he day before	the

"	6211.39.05	Recreational performance outerwear	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				CO, E*, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
		Other:				
	6211.39.10	Of wool or fine animal hair	12%	Free (AU,	58.5%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				CO, IL, JO,		
				KR, MA,		
				MX, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				4.8% (OM)		
	6211.39.20	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	0.5%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				CO, E, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
	6211.39.90	Other	2.8%	Free (AU,	35%	".
				BH, CA , CL ,		
				CO, E*, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM , P ,		
				PA, PE, SG		
,	, 0	ng subheading 6211.42.00 and in- tion for subheading 6211.42 having the same de-		211.42.00 (as in		day
sert	ing the foll	owing, with the article descrip- gree of indentation as the article description for	before the date	e of the enactme	ent of this Act):	

"	6211.42	Of cotton:				
	6211.42.05	Recreational performance outerwear	8.1%	Free (BH,	90%	
				CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				7.2% (AU)		
	6211.42.10	Other	8.1%	Free (BH,	90%	".
				CA, CL , CO ,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				7.2% (AU)		

(31) By striking subheading 6211.43.00 and inserting the following, with the article description as the article description for before the date of the enactment of this Act):

"	6211.43	Of man-made fibers:				
	6211.43.05	Recreational performance outerwear	16%	Free (BH,	90%	
		• •		CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
				6.4% (OM)		
	6211.43.10	Other	16%	Free (BH,	90%	,,
	0211.45.10	Giller	1070	CA, CL, CO,	3070	
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
				8% (AU)		
				6.4% (OM)		
(3	 By st 	riking subheadings 6211.49.10 6211.49.05 having the same degree of indentation	6211.49.10 (as		he day before	the

through 6211.49.90 and inserting the following, as the article description for subheading date of the enactment of this Act): $with \ the \ article \ description \ for \ subheading$

"	6211.49.05	Recreational performance outerwear	7.3%	Free (BH, CA, CL, CO,	35%	
				E, IL, JO,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				6.5% (AU)		
				2.9% (KR)		
		Other:				
	6211.49.10	Containing 70 percent or more by weight of silk or silk waste	1.2%	Free (AU,	35%	
				BH, CA, CL,		
				CO, E, IL,		
				JO, KR, MA,		
				MX, OM, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
	6211.49.41	Of wool or fine animal hair	12%	Free (BH,	58.5%	
				CA, CL, CO,		
				IL, JO, KR,		
				MA, MX, P,		
				PA, PE, SG)		
				4.8% (OM)		
				8% (AU)		
	6211.49.90	Other	7.3%	Free (BH,	35%	".
				CA, CL , CO ,		
				E, IL, JO,		
				MA, MX,		
				OM, P, PA,		
				PE, SG)		
				6.5% (AU)		
	[1	2.9% (KR)		
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- (c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amendments made by this section shall-
- (1) take effect on the 180th day after the date of the enactment of this Act; and
- (2) apply to articles entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after such 180th day.

SEC. 602. DUTY TREATMENT OF PROTECTIVE AC-TIVE FOOTWEAR.

(a) Definition of Protective Active Foot-WEAR.—The Additional U.S. Notes to chapter 64 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States are amended by adding at the end the

"(f) For the purposes of subheadings 6402.91.42 and 6402.99.32, the term 'protective active footwear' means footwear (other than footwear described in Subheading Note 1) that is designed for outdoor activities, such as hiking shoes, trekking shoes, running shoes, and trail running shoes, the foregoing valued over \$24/ pair and which provides protection against water that is imparted by the use of a coated or laminated textile fabric.".
(b) DUTY TREATMENT FOR PROTECTIVE ACTIVE

FOOTWEAR.—Chapter 64 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is amended as follows:

(1) By inserting after subheading 6402.91.40 the following new subheading, with the article description for subheading 6402.91.42 having the same degree of indentation as the article description for subheading 6402.91.40:

"	6402.91.42	Protective active footwear (except footwear with waterproof molded bottoms, including bottoms comprising an outer sole and all or part of the upper and except footwear with insulation that provides protection against cold weather), whose height from the bottom of the outer sole to the top of the upper does not exceed 15.34 cm	Free (AU, BH, CA, CL, D, E, IL, JO, KR, MA, MX, OM, P, PA, PE, R,	35%	".
			SG)		

(2) By inserting immediately preceding subheading, with the article description for subheading 6402.99.33 the following new subheading 6402.99.32 having the same degree of in-

dentation as the article description for subheading 6402.99.33:

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"	6402.99.32	Protective active footwear		20%	Free (AU,	35%	".
					BH, CA , CL ,		
					D, IL, JO,		
					MA, MX, P)		
					1% (PA)		
					6% (OM)		
					6% (PE)		
					12% (CO)		
					20% (KR)		l
(c) STAGED RATE REDUCTIONS.—The staged re-		ATE REDUCTIONS.—The staged re-	TITLE VII—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS	TITLE VIII—OFFSETS			

- (c) STAGED RATE REDUCTIONS.—The staged reductions in special rates of duty proclaimed for subheading 6402.99.90 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States before the date of the enactment of this Act shall be applied to subheading 6402.99.32 of such Schedule, as added by subsection (b)(2), beginning in calendar year 2016.
- (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This section and the amendments made by this section shall—
- (1) take effect on the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act; and
- (2) apply to articles entered, or withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after such 15th day.

TITLE VII—MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

SEC. 701. REPORT ON CONTRIBUTION OF TRADE PREFERENCE PROGRAMS TO REDUC-ING POVERTY AND ELIMINATING HUNGER.

Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, the President shall submit to Congress a report assessing the contribution of the trade preference programs of the United States, including the Generalized System of Preferences under title V of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2461 et seq.), the African Growth and Opportunity Act (19 U.S.C. 3701 et seq.), and the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act (19 U.S.C. 2701 et seq.), to the reduction of poverty and the elimination of hunger.

SEC. 801. CUSTOMS USER FEES EXTENSION.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 13031(j)(3)(A) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(j)(3)(A)) is amended by striking "September 30, 2024" and inserting "July 7, 2025".

(b) RATE FOR MERCHANDISE PROCESSING FEES.—Section 503 of the United States-Korea Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (Public Law 112-41; 125 Stat. 460) is amended by striking "June 30, 2021" and inserting "June 30, 2025"

SEC. 802. ADDITIONAL CUSTOMS USER FEES EX-

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 13031(j)(3) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(j)(3)) is amended—

- (1) in subparagraph (B)(i), by striking "September 30, 2024" and inserting "September 30, 2025": and
 - (2) by adding at the end the following:
- (D) Fees may be charged under paragraphs (9) and (10) of subsection (a) during the period beginning on July 29, 2025, and ending on September 30, 2025,"
- (b) RATE FOR MERCHANDISE PROCESSING FEES.—Section 503 of the United States-Korea Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act (Public Law 112-41; 125 Stat. 460) is amended by adding at the end the following:
- '(c) FURTHER ADDITIONAL PERIOD.—For the period beginning on July 15, 2025, and ending on September 30, 2025, section 13031(a)(9) of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (19 U.S.C. 58c(a)(9)) shall be applied and administered—
- (1) in subparagraph (A), by substituting '0.3464' for '0.21'; and
- "(2) in subparagraph (B)(i), by substituting '0.3464' for '0.21'."

SEC. 803. TIME FOR PAYMENT OF CORPORATE ES-TIMATED TAXES.

Notwithstanding section 6655 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, in the case of a corporation with assets of not less than \$1,000,000,000 (determined as of the end of the preceding tax-

- (1) the amount of any required installment of corporate estimated tax which is otherwise due in July, August, or September of 2020 shall be increased by 8 percent of such amount (determined without regard to any increase in such amount not contained in such Code); and
- (2) the amount of the next required installment after an installment referred to in paragraph (1) shall be appropriately reduced to reflect the amount of the increase by reason of such paragraph.

SEC. 804. PAYEE STATEMENT REQUIRED TO CLAIM CERTAIN EDUCATION TAX BENEFITS.

- (a) AMERICAN OPPORTUNITY CREDIT, HOPE Scholarship Credit. and Lifetime Learning CREDIT.-
- (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 25A(q) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:
- (8) PAYEE STATEMENT REQUIREMENT.—Except as otherwise provided by the Secretary, no credit shall be allowed under this section unless the taxpayer receives a statement furnished under section 6050S(d) which contains all of the information required by paragraph (2) thereof.".
- (2) STATEMENT RECEIVED BY DEPENDENT.—Section 25A(g)(3) of such Code is amended by strik-"and" at the end of subparagraph (A), by inastriking the period at the end of subparagraph (B) and inserting ", and", and by adding at the end the following:
- "(C) a statement described in paragraph (8) and received by such individual shall be treated as received by the taxpayer.'
- (b) DEDUCTION FOR QUALIFIED TUITION AND RELATED EXPENSES.—Section 222(d) of such Code is amended by redesignating paragraph (6) as paragraph (7), and by inserting after paragraph (5) the following new paragraph:
 - (6) Payee statement requirement.
- '(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as otherwise provided by the Secretary, no deduction shall be allowed under subsection (a) unless the taxpayer receives a statement furnished under section 6050S(d) which contains all of the information required by paragraph (2) thereof.
- (B) STATEMENT RECEIVED BY DEPENDENT. The receipt of the statement referred to in subparagraph (A) by an individual described in subsection (c)(3) shall be treated for purposes of subparagraph (A) as received by the taxpayer.
- (c) Information Required To Be Provided ON PAYEE STATEMENT.—Section 6050S(d)(2) of such Code is amended to read as follows:
- '(2) the information required by subsection (b)(2).
- (d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply to taxable years be-

ginning after the date of the enactment of this

SEC. 805. SPECIAL RULE FOR EDUCATIONAL IN-STITUTIONS UNABLE TO COLLECT TINS OF INDIVIDUALS WITH RE-SPECT TO HIGHER EDUCATION TUI-TION AND RELATED EXPENSES.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 6724 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:
- "(f) SPECIAL RULE FOR RETURNS OF EDU-CATIONAL INSTITUTIONS RELATED TO HIGHER EDUCATION TUITION AND RELATED EXPENSES. No penalty shall be imposed under section 6721 or 6722 solely by reason of failing to provide the TIN of an individual on a return or statement required by section 6050S(a)(1) if the eligible educational institution required to make such return contemporaneously makes a true and accurate certification under penalty of perjury (and in such form and manner as may be prescribed by the Secretary) that it has complied with standards promulgated by the Secretary for obtaining such individual's TIN.'
- (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply to returns required to be made, and statements required to be furnished, after December 31, 2015.

SEC. 806. PENALTY FOR FAILURE TO FILE COR-RECT INFORMATION RETURNS AND PROVIDE PAYEE STATEMENTS.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 6721(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended
- (1) by striking "\$100" and inserting "\$250";
- (2) by striking "\$1,500,000" and inserting "\$3,000,000"
- (b) REDUCTION WHERE CORRECTION IN SPECI-FIED PERIOD.
- (1) CORRECTION WITHIN 30 DAYS.—Section
- 6721(b)(1) of such Code is amended—
 (A) by striking "\$30" and inserting "\$50";
 (B) by striking "\$100" and inserting "\$250";
- and(C) by striking "\$250,000" and inserting \$500,000".
- (2) FAILURES CORRECTED ON OR BEFORE AU-GUST 1.—Section 6721(b)(2) of such Code is amended-
 - (A) by striking "\$60" and inserting "\$100";
- (B) by striking "\$100" (prior to amendment by subparagraph (A)) and inserting "\$250"; and
- (C) by striking "\$500,000" and inserting '\$1,500,000''.
- (c) LOWER LIMITATION FOR PERSONS WITH NotReceipts of \$5,000,000.—Section 6721(d)(1) of such Code is amended-
- (1) in subparagraph (A)-
- (A) by striking "\$500,000" and inserting "\$1,000,000"; and
- (B) by striking "\$1,500,000" and inserting "\$3,000,000";
- (2) in subparagraph (B)—
- (A) by striking "\$175,000"; and "\$75,000" and inserting
- (B) by striking "\$250,000" and inserting "\$500,000"; and
- (3) in subparagraph (C)-
- "\$200.000" and inserting (A) by striking '\$500.000'': and
- (B) by striking "\$500,000" (prior to amendment by subparagraph (A)) and inserting "\$1.500.000"
- (d) PENALTY IN CASE OF INTENTIONAL DIS-REGARD.—Section 6721(e) of such Code is amended-
- (1) by striking "\$250" in paragraph (2) and inserting "\$500"; and
- (2) by striking "\$1,500,000" in paragraph (3)(A) and inserting "\$3,000,000"
- (e) FAILURE TO FURNISH CORRECT PAYEE STATEMENTS.—
- (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 6722(a)(1) of such Code is amended—
- (A) by striking "\$100" and inserting "\$250"; and
- (B) by striking "\$1,500,000" and inserting "\$3,000,000".

- (2) REDUCTION WHERE CORRECTION IN SPECI-FIED PERIOD.
- (A) CORRECTION WITHIN 30 DAYS.—Section 6722(b)(1) of such Code is amended-
- (i) by striking "\$30" and inserting "\$50"
- (ii) by striking "\$100" and inserting "\$250"; and
- (iii) by striking "\$250,000" and inserting "\$500,000".
- (B) FAILURES CORRECTED ON OR BEFORE AU-GUST 1.—Section 6722(b)(2) of such Code is amended-
 - (i) by striking "\$60" and inserting "\$100";
- (ii) by striking "\$100" (prior to amendment by clause (i)) and inserting "\$250"; and (iii) by striking "\$500,000" and inserting "\$1,500,000".
- (3) Lower limitation for persons with GROSS RECEIPTS OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000. Section 6722(d)(1) of such Code is amended—
 - (A) in subparagraph (A)-
- "\$500,000" and inserting (i) by striking "\$1,000,000"; and
- (ii) by striking "\$1,500,000" and inserting "\$3,000,000";
- (B) in subparagraph (B)—
- ''\$75,000'' (i) by striking and inserting "\$175,000"; and
- (ii) by striking "\$250,000" and inserting "\$500,000"; and
 - $(C)\ in\ subparagraph\ (C)-$
- "\$200,000" and inserting (i) by striking "\$500,000"; and
- (ii) by striking "\$500,000" (prior to amendment subparagraph (A))andinsertina ``\$1.500.000``.
- (4) PENALTY IN CASE OF INTENTIONAL DIS-REGARD.—Section 6722(e) of such Code is amend-
- (A) by striking "\$250" in paragraph (2) and inserting "\$500"; and
- (B) by striking "\$1,500,000" in paragraph (3)(A) and inserting "\$3,000,000".
- (f) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply with respect to returns and statements required to be filed after December 31, 2015.

SEC. 807. CHILD TAX CREDIT NOT REFUNDABLE FOR TAXPAYERS ELECTING TO EX-CLUDE FOREIGN EARNED INCOME FROM TAX.

- (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 24(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:
- (5) Exception for taxpayers excluding FOREIGN EARNED INCOME.—Paragraph (1) shall not apply to any taxpayer for any taxable year if such taxpayer elects to exclude any amount from gross income under section 911 for such taxable year.".
- (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2014.

SEC. 808. COVERAGE AND PAYMENT FOR RENAL DIALYSIS SERVICES FOR INDIVID-UALS WITH ACUTE KIDNEY INJURY.

- (a) COVERAGE.—Section 1861(s)(2)(F) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395x(s)(2)(F)) is amended by inserting before the semicolon the following: ", including such renal dialysis services furnished on or after January 1, 2017, by a renal dialysis facility or provider of services paid under section 1881(b)(14) to an individual with acute kidney injury (as defined in section 1834(r)(2))
- (b) PAYMENT.—Section 1834 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395m) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:
- "(r) PAYMENT FOR RENAL DIALYSIS SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH ACUTE KIDNEY INJURY.-
- "(1) PAYMENT RATE.—In the case of renal dialysis services (as defined in subparagraph (B) of section 1881(b)(14)) furnished under this part by a renal dialysis facility or provider of services paid under such section during a year (beginning with 2017) to an individual with acute kidney injury (as defined in paragraph (2)), the amount of payment under this part for such

services shall be the base rate for renal dialysis services determined for such year under such section, as adjusted by any applicable geographic adjustment factor applied under subparagraph (D)(iv)(II) of such section and may be adjusted by the Secretary (on a budget neutral basis for payments under this paragraph) by any other adjustment factor under subparagraph (D) of such section.

"(2) INDIVIDUAL WITH ACUTE KIDNEY INJURY DEFINED.—In this subsection, the term 'individual with acute kidney injury' means an individual who has acute loss of renal function and does not receive renal dialysis services for which payment is made under section 1881(b)(14)."

MOTION TO CONCUR.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I have a motion at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Ryan of Wisconsin moves that the House concur in the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 1295.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 338, the motion shall be debatable for 1 hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means.

The gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. RYAN) and the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Wisconsin.

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GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material to H.R. 1295, the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015, as amended, currently under consideration.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the distinguished gentleman from Washington (Mr. Reichert), a senior member of the Committee on Ways and Means, the chairman of the Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures, who is the author of the Trade Adjustment Assistance bill.

Mr. REICHERT. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding and thank him for his leadership on this series of trade bills that we have been considering for the last few weeks.

Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of the preferences bill before us. This bipartisan legislation renews both the Generalized System of Preferences and the African Growth and Opportunity Act. GSP is an important program, both to Washington State businesses and promoting economic development across the globe.

Similarly, the renewal of AGOA is critical to further strengthening our ties with Africa. The strong bipartisan vote this legislation received weeks ago made clear there is strong support for these programs in Congress and among the American people.

Also included in this legislation is a renewal of Trade Adjustment Assistance, and I am proud, as Mr. RYAN said, to sponsor the House legislation to renew TAA because there is a need for this program. I believe increased trade is good for all Americans. It creates jobs and it makes America stronger. But I also understand that as we create jobs and trade, and our jobs change over the next few years, along the way some workers may need extra assistance and additional training. That is why TAA is so important.

Now, we have made great strides this past week by sending TPA to the President's desk; and I am also proud that TPA was attached to another bill, which happened to be a labor bill, TSP, which created a fair application of retirement benefits for Federal public safety officers. Now, Mr. Speaker, we must move forward, pass TAA and AGOA today, General System of Preferences.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, the debate these last weeks and months has been about how do we get a strong and effective trade policy and trade agreement. That debate only intensifies now. Supporters of trade promotion authority, TPA, thought vague negotiating objectives and a passive role for Congress in the process were the way to go, in part because many on the majority side feel that more trade is essentially better, no matter its terms or conditions.

The opponents of TPA wanted to ensure that TPP negotiations were on the right track, with no blank check to USTR, when there are so many outstanding areas where we are not satisfied with the status of negotiations or where we are uncertain of their outcome. Now we can focus like a laser beam on those issues. The argument about the process of TPA is now behind us and the challenge of the substance of TPP smack in front of us.

Automatic embrace of centuries-old doctrines does not meet the challenges of intensifying globalization, so we will continue to shine a bright light on the critical issues, like market access, state-owned enterprises, intellectual property and access to medicines, worker rights, environment, currency manipulation, and investment provisions that could put at risk domestic regulations. Our calls for improvements to the negotiations will only grow louder.

In order for TPP to gain the support of the American people, it will need to gain the votes of a much broader coalition of Members of Congress than voted for TPA. The issue is not protrade versus antitrade, but whether we shape trade agreements to spread the benefits broadly, including the middle class of Americans.

Take, for example, the two trade bills before us today: the African Growth and Opportunity Act and our trade preferences programs. House Democrats have been key architects of these programs. For example, in the 1990s, our colleagues CHARLIE RANGEL and JIM MCDERMOTT, working with Phil Crane, laid the foundation for the African Growth and Opportunity Act of 2000.

These programs are designed to help shape trade, to ensure that its benefits are more broadly based. We can see that in AGOA, stronger labor and other eligibility criteria and the inclusion of textile and apparel products can give us additional leverage to help raise living standards.

The same is doubly true with the Haiti program. While there is much work to be done in Haiti, one critical element of our program, inspections of factories by the independent group Better Work, is resulting in improved compliance with Haitian labor laws and better conditions for workers there.

Finally, this bill includes a reauthorization of Trade Adjustment Assistance. I am an ardent supporter of TAA and introduced a bill earlier this year with ADAM SMITH to reauthorize it. I support H.R. 1295. To be sure, this TAA is not perfect. It falls short of the high water mark we established for the program in 2009.

At a time when trade is expanding and is expected to expand even further with new trade agreements, we should be ensuring adequate funding for workers who lose their jobs as a result of trade and are transitioning to new jobs, not cutting the program. But we need to restore the program also for service workers and for trade with all countries, improvements that were wrongly allowed to lapse at the end of 2013, and we need to extend the entire program for the future.

TPA, TPP, TAA, it might seem like a word scramble, but going forward, TPP, to the American people, will be about jobs and wages. They expect us to work hard to get it right as it is being negotiated, not simply leaving their elected officials with a "yes" or a "no" vote after TPP is done. We have a lot of work to do, and there is no ducking these issues now.

I reserve the balance of my time. Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, people on both sides of the aisle have been working for years to promote American trade. We took big steps when we passed TPA last week and sent it to the President yesterday. Passing TPA, I believe, is an achievement that this Congress should be very proud of. It is going to empower Congress in trade negotiations. It will help America get the best possible trade agreements for American workers, and it will tell the world that the America that they knew and the America that they know is an America that is still willing to lead.

I especially want to thank my colleagues in the House, like Congressman RON KIND and Congressman EARL BLU-MENAUER, for their leadership on this issue. I also want to thank our friends in the Senate, like Senators HATCH and WYDEN. But to pass TPA, we needed a little bit of trust. We promised our Democratic friends, if they stay with us on TPA, that we will follow through with this bill that is before us today, and so we are here today to keep our word.

There are three parts to this bill, all three of which have bipartisan support. First, we reauthorize the Trade Adjustment Assistance Act, which is in keeping with the agreements that we have made. This program helps workers whose jobs have moved elsewhere to find new opportunities through job training. Traditionally, we have always authorized TPA and TAA, and that is what we are doing here. We have always authorized them together, and that is effectively what we are doing here. We have made some improvements to the program.

Second, we reauthorize a number of trade preferences for developing countries. This bill reauthorizes a number of programs that have broad bipartisan support: AGOA, GSP, and Haiti Hope. These programs lower trade barriers between our country and these developing countries. It is the best example of trade not aid that you can come up with. They grow our trading ties, because when we grow, they grow. This is good policy that has been well respected and supported by both sides of the aisle. Therefore, we have every incentive to get this done.

Third, we make sure that our companies can use our trade remedy laws to address unfair trade practices. This is something that we have worked with our colleagues on both sides of the aisle, our colleagues from steel country and the House Steel Caucus, to make sure that our trade laws are actually enforced and, when our trade laws are not being followed, when they are being abused, that we have quick remedies to these situations. All of this legislation will strengthen the American economy. It will strengthen America's credibility on the world stage, and it will strengthen American leadership.

With that, I urge its passage.

I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. LEVIN. I now yield 3 minutes to the gentleman from New York (Mr. RANGEL), who was an inspiration for AGOA and a major author.

(Mr. RANGEL asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, this is a good day for America, and it is a good day for us in the House. There are so many people to thank for making this day possible, not just for the people in developing countries in Africa, but, more importantly, for Americans who recognize, unless we can raise the level of survival in other countries, our country is not fulfilling its moral and economic obligations.

I want to give a special thanks to the chairman of the Committee on Ways

and Means. It is kind of rough listening to him talking about TPP, the Trans-Pacific Partnership, because he knows and I know that, if we wanted each bill passed, we would be concerned not by what the multinationals want, but we would be concerned about the middle class. The middle class you can help by having infrastructure, you can help by having an education, all the things that are not Democratic issues. On this particular AGOA bill, he gave assurances that he thought that this standing alone did not have to get involved in the controversy that people had over the more controversial bill. Like he said, he made his commitment. He kept his commitment. It is things like this that should have younger Members realizing Congress can do it, we can work together, and I thank him publicly for that.

You will be hearing more from other Members in terms of the involvement that they have had. Certainly, Mr. LEVIN from the very, very beginning working with JIM MCDERMOTT, working with Republicans, gave birth to this bill 10 years ago, and his guidance and support and the Ways and Means members have given another year.

KAREN BASS, she is something special. She came to us after serving as California speaker. She grabbed Africa, foster care, and those types of issues that people have left behind, but she managed to make certain that everyone knows that this country cares, and cares deeply.

It is ironic that as we talk about Africa, we are talking about Haiti, we are talking about developing countries, and we also are talking about those workers who, through no fault of their own and because of international and national decisions, have lost their opportunity to have self-esteem and to have a job.

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These are issues that we have touched on in this bill. These are issues that go nowhere in terms of how far America has to go in order to be fair and equal and allow us to include real wages, real education, and real opportunity in the pursuit of happiness.

But since we are trying and since there is nothing in this bill that doesn't point us in the right direction, especially on the same day that the United States Supreme Court has recognized that compassion is not restricted to just those who can afford insurance on their own, I just want to thank the leadership in this House, both Republican and Democrats, for the great work that allows me to be a proud Member of this House.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, at this time, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman Pennsylvania (Mr. MEEHAN), a distinguished Member of the Ways and Means Committee.

Mr. MEEHAN. I thank the chairman for his leadership in bringing the bipartisan solution to the trade promotion authority.

I stand right now in support of the Trade Preferences Extension Act, which is before us at the moment, and encourage my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to join in supporting this.

I speak first about Trade Adjustment Assistance, a program I have seen in my own district, where I have watched for workers, when it can be demonstrated that they have had their jobs impacted because of foreign implications, there is a support network in place.

I have seen the value of that program and believe that it is important that we keep the tradition of TAA, but we also need to point out that there have been significant improvements in this program.

There is streamlining. Some of the underperforming programs were not reauthorized. There is accountability. There will now be performance goals for TAA that are aligned with other job training programs.

Consolidation is a third part. It is a process in which we will promote direct services for participants over administrative spending. These are important and critical improvements to a program that already has a history.

I just want to close my comments. There is a very important provision in the Trade Preferences Extension Act dealing with improving antidumping and countervailing duty laws.

As an attorney, I appreciate the importance of creating an accurate record. This allows us to do this in a vitally important area, in the battle against the dumping that is being done that are affecting American jobs at home.

First and most important, it will allow the Department of Commerce to have the ability to create an accurate record. When, in fact, what you have is a foreign party that fails to cooperate with the agency's request, they will be able to impute the information that is necessary to make that case.

In addition, they will be empowered to be able to disregard prices or costs of inputs that foreign producers purchase if the Department of Commerce has reason to believe or suspects that the inputs in question have been subsidized or dumped.

Once again, it creates an accurate record

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. I yield the gentleman an additional 1 minute.

Mr. MEEHAN. I thank the gentleman

Because I think this is such a critically important issue to be able to create the kind of record—and it gives the Department of Commerce the kind of discretion to be able to look at the facts and to take recalcitrant countries and hold them accountable by creating what is accurate in the form of the case that we can make to assure that workers here at home are being protected

These are important and valuable assets in the ability for us to continue to

protect American jobs. It is for those reasons that I strongly encourage my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to support the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Oregon (Mr. Blumenauer), another distinguished member of our committee.

Mr. BLUMENAUER. I appreciate the gentleman's courtesy.

I rise in support of the effort today, and I would first acknowledge what my friend, the chairman of the committee, said a moment ago.

At times, trust is in short supply in this institution for a whole host of reasons, but we were given ironclad assurances from the Speaker, from the President, from the chairman, from Senator Wyden, Senator Hatch, and Leader McConnell that TAA would come back to this floor to be voted on. I think it is important that that has in fact occurred

To adapt, respond, and grow a 21st century workforce, we need Trade Adjustment Assistance. What we have before us is an improvement over current law. It is not as good as what we had in 2009. I hope that we will be able to build on this and move forward. This program has helped more than 100,000 Americans, including 3,000 of my fellow Oregonians who received job training and financial support.

There will continue to be winners and losers in the global economy, whether we have trade agreements with countries or not, like with pressures from China. It is important that we provide this for our workers. With our vote today, we do so.

I lend my voice saluting Chairman RANGEL for the work that he has done on AGOA. Having this package before us, including new economic opportunities for growing the economies of Africa, Haiti, and other places around the world is critically important. The 10-year extension is an example of how trade can improve these critical living standards.

Finally, I have to acknowledge one little parochial interest in this bipartisan provision I worked on with Mr. REICHERT that creates jobs in the Northwest and helps all outdoor enthusiasts.

Right now, innovative footwear faces an unreasonable reality coming to our borders. Two identical-looking running shoes are imported. One must pay a significantly higher tariff for a single reason: they have a waterproof liner.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield the gentleman an additional 30 seconds.

Mr. BLUMENAUER. Coming from the Pacific Northwest, waterproof matters. To be able to end this outmoded tariff code charging extremely high tariffs for no reason at all, I think, is an important step forward.

I look forward to continuing work to fine-tune the tariff regimen that we have, but this is an important one for the people that I represent in the Northwest. I appreciate working with Mr. REICHERT to be able to get this one across the finish line.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield 3 minutes to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. TIBERI), the chairman of the Trade Subcommittee.

Mr. TIBERI. Mr. Speaker, this is a good day for America.

As the previous speaker just said, globalization occurs with or without America engaging in the world. It is important for America to engage in the world, to write the rules of the global balance economy; but whether or not we do or we don't, there will be winners and losers because of globalization.

This bill is called the preferences bill, but it is more than just about preferences. It is about America's leadership in Africa. It is about America's leadership in Haiti. It is about America's leadership at home in providing trade assistance for those workers who did lose their job because of globalization.

My dad was one of them. Long before America engaged in a bilateral trade agreement, my dad lost his job as a steelworker. There are important provisions in this bill written by Chairman RYAN that will help the steel industry. That is really important. My dad was in that industry. He lost his job of 25 years. He benefited from trade assistance.

This is important for American workers. This is also important for those workers who lost their job through no fault of their own and who lost their health care. The health coverage tax credit is renewed in this bill.

This bill almost wasn't, quite frankly. There was a lot of rhetoric on the floor of this House and the floor of the other House about the word of our chairman and the word of our Speaker and about how this wouldn't come up and we can't trust them.

Well, let me tell you, ladies and gentlemen, our chairman's word has been gold from day one in this process. Every commitment he has made has come through. Through this process, every commitment our Speaker has made has come to be.

We wouldn't be on the floor today debating this bill and approving this bill in a little while if it weren't for the leadership of Chairman RYAN and the leadership of Speaker BOEHNER. They both deserve our thanks.

Also, the chairman has put together a great staff at the Ways and Means Committee. They should be thanked for their yeoman's work in this process, which has been very difficult but very bipartisan and very bicameral.

Americans want this place to work. Americans want Congress to work together for America's benefit. America's leadership in the world today is a little bit stronger. The light of America is shining a little bit brighter because of the work that this Congress has done on this bill and the other bills, including the customs bill that this Congress

has put together and will be sending to the President's desk shortly.

America is going to lead in the global economy because of what we have done today. Americans should be proud that Congress is working again.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. KIND), another distinguished member of our committee.

Mr. KIND. I thank my friend for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of this trade preferences bill and the Trade Adjustment Assistance legislation that is before us today.

As the previous speaker pointed out, for us to be in this situation did require a little leap of faith. We weren't sure how we were going to be able to get back after the procedural snafu earlier to have a chance to reconsider Trade Adjustment Assistance, but I give credit, and I thank the leadership on both sides of the aisle, especially my good friend and colleague on the Ways and Means Committee, Mr. RYAN from Wisconsin; the Speaker; and Senator McConnell.

They promised, as we did move forward trying to give the President trade promotion authority, that they wouldn't pull any punches, that they would allow Trade Adjustment Assistance to come back for consideration, and that is exactly what is happening today.

This has not been an easy process, but this week, the President will get trade promotion authority on his desk so this administration can go forward and try to negotiate the best agreement in the Trans-Pacific Partnership—and even with our European allies—that we can obtain in order to elevate standards and begin to level the playing field so that our workers, our farmers, our businesses have a better chance of competing in that global environment, especially the fastest growing region in the Pacific Rim right now. That is what TPP is all about.

It is also important to recognize the significant work done with the African Growth and Opportunity Act. That is all about our relationship with the countries in Africa and Haiti and where we go here in the 21st century together. It is important that we get this accomplished today, along with the Trade Adjustment Assistance bill.

That is the help we are able to provide displaced workers who are impacted by globalization the job training and education funds so they can reintegrate as quickly as possible in the economy and be full participants of this 21st century global economy.

That would not have happened if the political stars had not aligned. There are areas of common agreement here in this country, as represented in this Congress. Today is proof of that, being able to move forward on a trade agenda that is important for U.S. global leadership, important for our workers, growing the economy and our competitiveness as a Nation.

Again, I commend the leadership shown on both sides of the aisle. We are looking forward to more opportunity to work together in the future. I encourage my colleagues to support this legislation.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself 30 seconds.

I add my thanks, Mr. Speaker. Mr. TIBERI left, but he did a lot of work on this legislation. He did yeoman's work on it.

I just want to echo the sentiment that has been said here, which is passing these very challenging bills, doing a number of bills, did require a lot of trust between the two parties, which we have not seen a lot of lately.

I am just very pleased to be a part of this dynamic where we have given each other our words, we have kept our words, and therefore, we are getting this done. As a result of that, I believe that the country is far better off. This policy is good for America, and it restores our leadership in the world.

I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. PASCRELL), another distinguished member of our committee.

Mr. PASCRELL. Mr. Speaker, I have heard from both sides of the aisle the term "winners and losers."

Our workers who are laid off because of the deals that have been put before this Congress in the last 15 years are not losers. They are the most productive workers in the world. How dare you call them losers.

We are all patting each other on the back here. We are talking about a piece of legislation that is like putting the cart before the horse.

We want to prevent people from being laid off—engineers, laborers, technicians. Our trade deals have been a joke. Not one person has come to this floor to explain to us—and I know that is not the bill we are talking about, that has already been deep-sixed in its past—not one person has come to the floor and told us how these jobs are going to be created through trade.

We are not antitrade. What we want is fair trade deals. How dare you call our workers losers.

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The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is reminded to direct his remarks to the Chair.

Mr. PASCRELL. Mr. Speaker, I say that through you to them.

All we have been hearing over the past few months is that we need to grant the President fast-track authority so we can finalize the Trans-Pacific Partnership because it will be good for American workers; and yet here we are today, voting on a package to prepare for the opposite: the loss of American jobs because of a trade deal that doesn't put American workers first.

I could support the Trade Adjustment Assistance. You need to help those people who are going to be laid off because of these trade deals that are so great so that they kept their jobs or some other jobs were created. Where are those jobs?

If American workers are going to have the rug pulled out from under them because of trade deals, something should be there to break their fall. The sad reality is that we need TAA. And even the sadder reality is that, despite the great need, this TAA bill before us today is inadequate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield the gentleman an additional 30 seconds.

Mr. PASCRELL. The trade adjustment bill we are voting on today contains a number of flaws. The TAA has been used as a bargaining chip to push the TPA over the finish line. I would prefer that we didn't need a TAA at all. Trade Adjustment Assistance is not preferable to a job.

Secondly, the bill cuts funding for the worker from \$575 to \$450 million per year. You got your pound of flesh. At a time when trade is expanding, this bill slashes funding for worker training by 20 percent.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. PAULSEN), a distinguished member of the Ways and Means Committee and a member of the Trade Subcommittee, in an effort to try and restore the civil dialogue and bipartisan dialogue we have been having.

Mr. PAULSEN. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding and for his leadership in bringing forward some additional trade legislation today that is very, very important.

I am going to rise in support of H.R. 1295, the Trade Preferences Extension Act, for a couple of key reasons, because there are some key, important provisions that accomplish some very critical goals.

First, it extends those vital trade preferences with both Africa, through the African Growth and Opportunity Act, as well as Haiti. And these investments now, these preference programs, provide vital opportunities for American investment, for U.S. investment, long-term investment. These countries are asking for this investment for the long term.

It helps the African workers, it helps Haitian workers and businesses as they establish themselves as developing countries to making sure they are going to be set for the 21st century global economy.

So, Mr. Speaker, this is more about establishing soft power, strategic alliances, and that is smart power.

Secondly, the legislation renews the Generalized System of Preferences program. Now, this is another very important program that reduces tariffs and, therefore, it reduces prices. It helps consumers here in the United States each and every day and the amount of product that they consume.

Importantly, Mr. Speaker, the bill authorizes also the USTR to designate

certain travel goods, including purses, briefcases, attache cases, and backpacks, to be eligible under this GSP program, expanding new production opportunities for U.S. businesses. This is a provision that I personally have long supported.

Mr. Speaker, I think what you are seeing over the last few days is the trade agenda moving forward on a very bipartisan basis. Every President since Franklin Delano Roosevelt, regardless of their political background and their party background, has understood and engaged the world with the United States leading in trade.

That tradition is continuing now with this Congress, with this President. We want to see it through. We want to see more opportunity for enhanced trade, because more trade means more jobs and higher-paying jobs for our American workers, especially in manufacturing right here at home.

Mr. Speaker, I thank the chairman for bringing this important bill to the floor. I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting it.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from California (Ms. LEE).

Ms. LEE. Mr. Speaker, let me thank our ranking member for yielding and for your very critical and tremendous leadership on these issues.

Mr. Speaker, as a strong supporter of this African Growth and Opportunity Act, let me first say that I am extremely disappointed that AGOA was used as a bargaining chip to pass the unrelated Trade Adjustment Assistance package. AGOA has been a long-time cornerstone of the U.S.-Africa relationship.

And I just have to thank Congressman RANGEL and Congresswoman BASS and members of the Congressional Black Caucus who have done everything they could do, everything possible to keep AGOA a clean bill, without being loaded with non-Africa traderelated issues

Yet, in spite of these efforts, we are faced with a bill, really, that looks like a Christmas tree. But I will reluctantly vote for this because Africa deserves better. It deserves not to be caught up in the gimmicks of this body. And we will continue to fight for American jobs, American workers, and a TPP that creates jobs in America, economic growth in America, and preserves jobs in America. So this is not over.

On top of the very cynical way that these trade bills have been brought to the floor, the TAA included in this bill is inadequately funded and fails to protect workers who will ultimately be displaced by massive trade agreements like the TPP—and that will happen.

It is unfortunate that we have to pass a TAA to protect workers from job losses that we know will exist which we are told won't exist. So at least we need to, sooner or later, come back with a TAA that is fully funded, at least to the tune of \$575 million. We have got to do that.

This TAA fails to cover all workers who will adversely be affected by TPP, and it even excludes public sector employees from eligibility. This is simply wrong. We must do better.

It is time for us to get real and stop putting American workers at risk with trade deals like TPP. We need an adequate trade assistance bill and a trade policy that protects and creates American jobs and economic growth in America.

But, quite frankly, we have to have trade policies that create markets also for African goods, jobs in Africa.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentlewoman has expired.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield the gentlewoman an additional 15 seconds.

Ms. LEE. Also jobs in Africa; healthcare issues like HIV and AIDS; development assistance, such as the Millennium Challenge Account.

So we can't neglect Africa, and we can't allow the continent of Africa to be used as a gimmick in this overall process, which I think was very, very poor and reflects poorly on this body.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, let me yield myself 1 minute to try and clarify some of what was just mentioned

The reason we are here with this bill and the reason TAA is attached to the AGOA bill is because of the dilatory tactics from the minority a couple of weeks ago.

In keeping with our word, we brought this Trade Preferences bill through the House on its own stand-alone. And so the reason this is happening is not because of the majority, but because of what the minority did with respect to the TAA bill. So I just want to be very clear, that is why we are where we are.

Having said all of that, we are still keeping our agreement going that these bills are going through.

The second point I would like to make is TPP does not exist yet. There is no Trans-Pacific Partnership trade agreement. There are talks. There have been talks for years, and those talks are still ongoing. But we do not have a trade agreement yet. That was why we needed to pass TPA, so that we can get a trade agreement like TPP.

So I would just encourage all Members not to oppose something they have not yet seen, not to prejudge an agreement that does not yet exist.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself an additional 1 minute.

It is very important that we recognize 95 percent of the world's consumers. They don't live in this country. They live in other countries. And if we want good jobs that pay more, we need to be able to make and grow things in America and sell them overseas into other markets, other countries.

Since TPA last expired in 2007, there have been 100 trade agreements negotiated and enacted around the world where we were a party to zero, none of

them. What that means is other countries are lowering the trade barriers between themselves, and we, America, by not being a part of this, have much higher barriers. So when we want to make something and sell it overseas, it is a lot more expensive for them to buy our products than buying our competitors' products.

There were 48 trade agreements enacted in Asia since 2000 alone. We were a party to two of them.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has again expired.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, giving myself an additional 30 seconds, we were a party to two of those agreements and, as a result, our share of trade going into Asia, meaning exports going there from our country, went down 42 percent.

One in five jobs is tied to trade. These jobs pay more. This is about jobs

So I would simply encourage our Members: Don't take a position on something that doesn't exist yet. Read. See with your own eyes, then form an opinion. But I would argue, it is not in your constituents' interest to simply say what you are for or against before you even see what it is.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, could I ask for the balance of our time?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Michigan has $12\frac{1}{4}$ minutes remaining.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself 1 minute.

Mr. Speaker, the reason for the vote on TAA some days ago was because it was used as a bargaining chip to get votes for TPA. That is what the vote on TAA was all about.

Secondly, I just want to observe, it is said don't judge TPP in opposition before you see it. The problem is so many people are judging in favor of it while it is still being negotiated and labeling it for a certain kind of an agreement while it is still being negotiated.

So, for those who criticize those who are opposed before they see it, I would like to say to them, what is good for the goose is good for the gander. Don't embrace it so fully and so passionately before it is completed, and it is far from being completed.

Mr. Speaker, I yield 1 minute to the gentleman from Virginia (Mr. Con-NOLLY).

Mr. CONNOLLY. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman, my friend from Michigan, and I take his word seriously. I think it is good counsel for both sides. Let's wait and see what the fine print has to say before we draw our lines in support or opposition. I take those words to heart.

I must say, I echo the words of Chairman RYAN. We are here today not under some cynical ploy to use the Africa bill to pass Trade Adjustment Assistance, rather, we are here to save Trade Adjustment Assistance because

some decided it was worth sacrificing to get at Trade Promotion Authority. That was their political judgment, and they are entitled to it. But they are not entitled to then accuse those of us trying to save that program of cynicism. That is the least thing happening today.

We are all about trying to keep workers who might be displaced, who will be displaced from globalization and, yes, maybe trade, get some training, get some help. That is what this program, has done. It is a democratic program, and Chairman Ryan and Speaker BOEHNER have kept their word.

That is what today's vote is also about: redeeming a pledge made to us that we would have a second bite at this apple. And thank God we do, because American workers are going to benefit from it.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 1 minute to the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. Ellison), who is so active on these issues.

Mr. ELLISON. Mr. Speaker, Mr. Chairman, ranking member, I will submit for the RECORD a letter from the President of the AFL-CIO, Mr. Richard Trumka

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR AND CONGRESS OF INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS.

Washington, DC, June 24, 2015. DEAR REPRESENTATIVE: We are in the final stretch of a long and contentious battle over the congressional grant of trade negotiating authority to the President. Congress has now approved fast track authority, which will give the executive branch the opportunity to negotiate-in secret-as many trade agreements as it can through at least June 30, 2018 (and likely through 2021). Fast track 2015 fails to hold the executive branch accountable for achieving negotiating objectives, addressing the U.S. trade imbalance, or ensuring that trade deals adequately protect good jobs, workers rights, environmental protections, access to affordable medicines, food safety, and other vital protections for working families.

This week, Trade Adjustment Assistance (H.R. 1295 or TAA) will come before the House of Representatives. Unfortunately, and against the advice of many members of Congress, TAA has been packaged with an important and necessary bill to provide trade preferences to sub-Saharan African countries—the African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA). The AFL-CIO has long supported renewal of AGOA, and we will continue to work closely with our African trade union brothers and sisters to ensure that AGOA supports workers' rights and sustainable development.

The AFL-CIO has been clear that this TAA bill is inadequately funded and fails to take into account job disruptions from massive pending trade agreements like the Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) and others that may be negotiated over the course of the next six years. TAA ought to include a minimum funding level of \$575 million and ensure that public sector workers are eligible. Moreover, the funding mechanism for TAA remains highly problematic: despite a fix to one "pay-for," partial funding for TAA is achieved in this bill by cutting \$250 million from Medicare payments to hospital kidney dialysis centers. These unrelated program

cuts are unwarranted and compromise the integrity of the program. Furthermore, this violates the principle that Medicare savings should be plowed back into Medicare.

The sequencing and cynical packaging of votes on Trade Promotion Authority (TPA), TAA, and the Customs Enforcement bill have been designed to obfuscate clear policy issues and force members of Congress to make awkward and conflicting votes with inadequate information.

Scheduling a fast track vote without assurance that an adequately funded TAA would ever be enacted or that important trade enforcement measures would be included compounds the existing failures of U.S. trade policy to promote the interests of working families. There is significant uncertainty about what version of the Customs bill might eventually emerge from the conference process, or whether any TAA or Customs bill will eventually reach the President's desk at all.

The changes made to the Customs bill in the House of Representatives eviscerated key enforcement, currency and human rights provisions, while inserting ideologically motivated and counter-productive negotiating objectives with respect to climate change and immigrant rights. Every member of Congress who voted for TPA essentially endorsed this process and signaled a willingness to accept these problematic changes to the fast track objectives, as well as a willingness to enact new job-killing trade agreements without any guarantee that displaced workers will receive adequate training and support.

We deplore the procedural machinations used by the Republican congressional leader-ship and endorsed by the White House to advance a flawed package of trade bills, absent any clarity or certainty about the final outcomes.

We cannot endorse the current TAA legislation, given its shortcomings. We would oppose TAA in a heartbeat if by doing so we could be assured that we could slow or stop a flawed trade agenda from moving forward, and we are confident that we would have the votes to defeat it. However, in light of the unfortunate passage of TPA by the House and the Senate, we recognize that many members will be reluctant to imperil the passage of AGOA and may reasonably lack confidence that the Republican leadership will give them a chance to vote for an improved TAA bill.

Despite President Obama's repeated assurances that he would not sign TPA without TAA, this no longer seems to be the case. The President has made clear that his only priority in the trade agenda is passage of TPA—regardless of what happens with respect to currency, trade enforcement, trafficking in persons, immigration policy or climate change—let alone assistance to dislocated workers. We do not have confidence that the White House would hold out for a stronger TAA bill if this one were to fail. We therefore urge you to vote your conscience, and we will respect your decision, whatever it may be.

We will redouble our efforts to shape and improve U.S. trade policy. We will vigorously oppose TPP if it continues on its current course—with problematic provisions on investor-state-dispute settlement, procurement and intellectual property rights; without any protections against currency manipulation; with weak rules of origin; and with inadequate protections for workers' human rights and the environment. We will continue to work closely with Congress and with our allies in the environmental, consumer, human rights, family farm, faith, development, domestic business, immigrants', women's and Internet privacy rights organizations-among many others-to educate and mobilize our members and the American public about what a good trade policy ought to be and why this one falls short.

Sincerely,

RICHARD L. TRUMKA,

President.

Mr. ELLISON. Mr. Speaker, I submit this letter from Mr. Trumka because I think, perhaps more than anybody else in this whole country, he is in touch with workers and what they need; and labor has been a solid wall of opposing the Trans-Pacific Partnership and the Trade Promotion Authority.

The fact is, when people said we don't know what it is and it is an unknown, that is not true. We have, as Members, been able to go and read some of it. Pieces of it have been leaked. And everything I have seen so far has been incredibly disappointing and represents a real threat to the interests of working people, which Mr. Trumka is an expert on.

I mean, I think it is really odd that we think the person who is expert at representing American workers knows so little and workers in general know so little about what is good for them. Maybe we should listen to the people who have borne the brunt of these trade bills in this country, from NAFTA all the way down.

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Mr. ELLISON. The fact is, yeah, we do need Trade Adjustment Assistance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield the gentleman an additional 1 minute.

Mr. ELLISON. If this Trans-Pacific Partnership is anything like the trade bills we have seen so far, we are going to need a way bigger Trade Adjustment Assistance than this represents.

Trade Adjustment Assistance is a good thing, but it is an admission that we are going to have displaced workers. We are saying people will be hurt by this trade bill, and so we are going to try to mitigate some of the harm.

The billions and billions of dollars that will be made by transnational corporations from the Trans-Pacific Partnership—well, let me tell you, we ought to be doing a whole lot more than the meager amount of Trade Adjustment Assistance that is captured in this bill.

I will tell you this, the interests of the American people are what we should be thinking about. I have not heard a word about how this is going to help raise workers' wages. In fact, there is every reason to believe that this will put downward pressure on American workers at a time when we have seen historic income inequality and stagnation of worker pay.

America needs to be the land of opportunity, not the land of economic stagnation caused by trade bills like the one I am afraid we are about to talk about. I am moving on the TPP, and we will fight that.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield 2 minutes to the gentlewoman from California (Ms. BASS), who has made the AGOA such an important part of her life here.

Ms. BASS. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to support H.R. 1295, the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015, which includes the reauthorization of the African Growth and Opportunity Act, or AGOA

I want to thank Chairman RYAN, who made a commitment at the beginning of the year that we would follow through and we would make sure that AGOA was on the President's desk. I want to thank Ranking Member LEVIN; Chairman TIBERI; and a giant in this House and one of the original authors of AGOA and a mentor to me and many, many others in this house, Mr. CHARLIE RANGEL, for their leadership on AGOA.

I want to thank members of the African Diplomatic Corps, African heads of state, the diaspora, and members of the African civil society for their tireless work on this legislation.

It has been almost a year since President Obama brought together heads of state from 50 African nations for the historic U.S.-Africa leaders summit last August. This summit was the largest event any American President had held with African heads of state, and it was critical in creating the momentum and support that AGOA now enjoys.

Over the next 10 years, Africa will become an even more important part of the world economy with a large youthful population that is increasingly university educated, tech savvy, and entrepreneurial. Without question, it is in the interest of the United States and the countries of Africa that we work toward a stronger and mutually beneficial economic relationship that will stand the test of time.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield 1 minute to the gentleman from Texas (Mr. Cuellar).

Mr. CUELLAR. Mr. Speaker, 95 percent of all consumers are outside the United States. When you look at who exports and who is involved in international trade, over 80 percent of the companies that do this are small- and medium-sized companies. In fact, in the State of Texas, 93 percent of all the companies that export are small- and medium-sized companies.

One point that we understand, if we want to make sure that labor and environmental standards are higher in those countries that we want to deal with, the only way we can do that is by engaging, by talking, and by having a conversation; and that is why these trade agreements are important.

Again, I support a TPA. I support TAA. On TPP, let's reserve our judgment, and let's make a decision on the facts at this time.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. I have no further speakers. Since I reserve the right to close, I will let the gentleman finish his speakers, and then I will do a quick close.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield 1 minute to the gentlewoman from Texas (Ms. JACKSON LEE).

(Ms. JACKSON LEE asked and was given permission to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. JACKSON LEE. Mr. Speaker, let me thank Ranking Member Levin for always standing in the gap with a creative mind for trade but for workers.

Let me acknowledge my colleague from Wisconsin and indicate that those of us who stand here today have several reasons for doing so.

It was in 1997 that I traveled to the continent of Africa and looked at the rich resources of people and product and understood that that developing continent needed a bridge of opportunity. I am not against a bridge of opportunity, and therefore, I vote and support the African Growth and Opportunity Act and those African nations who have extended their hand of friendship to the United States to create jobs.

At the same time, I have to represent some of the most impoverished and one of the largest groups of working people in the South in the State of Texas. Oh, I know that there is benefit. Texas is a State that fits appropriately for benefit in trade, but there are workers that I must be concerned about. I really stand here today to support the Trade Adjustment Assistance Act.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The time of the gentlewoman has expired.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield an additional 1 minute to the gentlewoman from Texas (Ms. Jackson Lee).

Ms. JACKSON LEE. There is not one district where the Department of Labor does not document the loss of jobs through trade. I would rather be standing here today and saving a monumental amount of jobs for those individuals that may have skills that are not in the chief executive office.

I want to make sure that there is help, and I also want to say let's keep negotiating to get a component that deals with workers. The Trade Adjustment Assistance Act is for workers. It is to give you that cushion; and it is to, in actuality, be able to help over 10,853 workers in my State alone.

We are here today to say keep pushing for an equality in trade negotiations to be able to lift the boats of workers across America, and then we are telling those who may be the beneficiary or the victim of dumping or other tactics that we will not leave here without voting for Trade Adjustment Assistance.

Again, I thank my colleague for realizing we are better together than we are divided. I thank my colleague Mr. LEVIN, who was never wavered from understanding trade, but having the empathy of the working man and woman.

I stand with him, and we are going to move America forward.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the Motion to Concur to H.R. 1295—Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015.

Put simply, this bill will create jobs, protect workers and help grow our economy.

Specifically, this bill includes three separate provisions:

trade preferences for developing countries; trade adjustment assistance; and Leveling the Playing Field.

As it relates to the Trade Preferences Extension Act, this provides developing countries with duty-free access to a range of goods that are otherwise subject to tariffs to help promote commerce and boost our economy.

The bill extends the important African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA) and trade programs for countries who most need it such as Haiti through 2025.

As it relates to the Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA), since 1962, the Trade Adjustment Assistance has provided assistance to workers who face challenges due to global competition.

Pre 2009, the only beneficiaries of TAA were manufacturing workers out of work due to American trade, utilizing our free trade agreements to engage our global partners.

However, the 2009 legislation extended the program to cover a larger pool of workers such as those in the service sector, as well as manufacturing workers who lose their jobs due to trade with any country.

Additionally, TAA also extended coverage to public sector workers.

Currently, TAA has increased funding for worker training from \$220 million per year to \$575 million per year.

This is a step in the right direction.

I support this bill because it provides us with the opportunity to reauthorize TAA to protect workers who may lose their jobs due to trade with other countries.

According to the Department of Labor and Commerce, between 2009 and 2013 over 770 18th Congressional District constituents benefitted from the Trade Adjustment Assistance Program.

This means thousands of families were able to put food on their tables.

For instance, 46,521 workers were certified in the state of Texas between 2009 and 2013. In 2013 alone, over \$46,000,000 was allo-

In 2013 alone, over \$46,000,000 was allocated to Texas, covering over 10,853 workers in the state of Texas and thousands of families.

Finally, I support this bill because it levels the playing field.

Specifically, it includes improvements to U.S. antidumping and countervailing duty laws by:

providing the Department of Commerce with more discretion to determine dumping or subsidy rate to apply to an uncooperative foreign company:

requiring the International Trade Commissions (ITC) to consider additional factors when determining whether a domestic industry has been materially injured;

allowing Department of Commerce to use a different calculation methodology to compare domestic and foreign costs if the methodology does not produce an appropriate comparison;

clarifying that the Department of Commerce when approximating costs in a non-market foreign economy can disregard the price of goods that are dumped or benefit from illegal subsidies; and

providing that Department of Commerce with more discretion to reject voluntary respondents, which will allow the Department of Commerce to use its limited resources on other matters.

Job creation, economic security, growing our economy and the protection of workers are the reasons why I support this bill.

For the millions of American lives that will be enriched by this bill that is why I strongly support the Trade Preference Extension Act of 2013.

I support this bill and will keep an eye on it to make sure we make good on our promise to the American people in creating jobs and our commitment to growing our economy.

I urge all members to support the bill.

Mr. LEVIN. I yield I minute to the gentlewoman from California (Ms. PELOSI), our leader.

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding. I commend him for his tremendous, relentless, persistent leadership on behalf of America's workers. They have no better friend than you, Mr. Levin, and your pursuit of bigger paychecks for American workers and doing so without exploiting workers in other countries because, as we know, that only leads to stagnation of wages in America. You have understood that so clearly. You have taught us so well. It is an honor to serve with you, Mr. Levin.

We come to this place with the Senate passage of TPA and the recognition that there will only be TPA signed. It no longer is connected to TAA. We have a choice today to choose between voting for TAA or not.

If it was the intent of the Republicans in the Senate to attach TAA to AGOA in order to bring down both bills, they are very wrong because we reject that, even though we would have hoped for a better TAA.

When we are talking about trade agreements that involve 40 percent of the world's economy, very large with a very small TAA bill, it is woefully small, but at least it is there. I would have fought for a bigger bill. We are not given that opportunity.

As small as it is, tying it to AGOA and perhaps pulling down AGOA, well, we reject that. People said: Oh, let's just defeat the TAA bill, and AGOA will come up another way.

We didn't trust that. We don't trust that the Republicans would allow AGOA to come up another way. For that reason, from strength, knowing that we could defeat TAA, but at the same time bring down AGOA, it was wisely decided that we should just end this phase now, especially since the idea that both bills or no bill no longer existed.

This is the end of phase one, and to get to this point, there has been a massive mobilization in our country of people of faith; people who are concerned about environment; women's groups; and, of course, our friends in organized labor. There has been a massive mobilization for America's working families.

We all stand ready to go to the next phase, and that next phase is to keep a very sharp, clear, bright light focused on the provisions of the TPP. Most people really didn't realize TPP and TPA, they are different things. Now, they will know.

While I respect the values of the administration, giving their negotiators all of this power, it gives them no reason to come back with anything better than a great trade agreement for

America's working families, and that is what we are here to fight for.

We do not believe in trickle-down economics at home, and we do not believe in trickle-down trade policy where it helps people at the top, entities at the top, and then trickles down maybe to the workers.

We can do this thinking in new, fresh, and entrepreneurial ways. What has bothered me about this debate is it is so stale; it is so old in terms of you are either for globalization and recognize it as a reality and you are for participating in it or you are not—how condescending.

Of course, we know we live in a global economy. Globalization is something that goes well beyond trade. It is about outsourcing and offshoring and all kinds of other ways of taking jobs away from our workforce.

It is something that is a possibility that can be done, and that was my aspiration, that we can do something great, something new, something that benefited all workers, lifted up all workers, not exploiting some in some country to the advantage of multinational corporations and stagnation for American workers' wages.

Everybody says this is better than the status quo. Well, "better" is a comparative word. If the status quo is not good, better is less bad. We want something best. Good, better, best, never let it rest until good is better and better is best; that is what we were told in grade school.

Better can also mean less bad. If this is the standard that we are going with, something that is less bad than the status quo, that is simply not good enough.

The possibilities are so great for the world, for the planet, so we must recognize the relationship between trade policy and people's lives. We must recognize the relationship, the interconnection between commerce around climate.

We cannot enable a trade agreement to go forward that degrades the environment, especially now that our awareness is so great about the impact of business decisions on the environment that our people live in, the air that our people breathe, and the rest.

We must recognize that we can only accomplish this with greater transparency than this TPA enables us to have. That is done. We are arguing that.

We are saying now, for TPP, the American people need, expect, and deserve for us to see what the course of this debate is about so that they can weigh in, so that, at the end of the day, the final product will be something that we can rally around or understand why certain decisions had to go a certain way, but not something that is just put there to say, up or down, you either understand we live in a global economy or you do not.

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That is, again, Mr. Speaker, condescending and not worthy, really, of the

debate, and certainly not worthy of our responsibility to America's working families. So I am excited about the prospect as we go forward.

Mr. Speaker, I will vote for this legislation today. I wish we had a better TAA, and I certainly do not want to vote against the goal. I want to commend Karen Bass and Charlie Rangel who worked on this-created it, really—from the start. It is really important, and we should be happy about passing that. This could have been on the President's desk before now if our colleagues in the Senate would have just voted for it and sent it there, except that they decided to hijack it by putting this TAA in there and changing this debate. But that is okay. It is what it is.

We go forward again with a bright spotlight on TPP. If there is any value to what we have been through—which I think has been a great one in terms of mobilization and unifying people about the importance of the stability of America's financial stability and of America's working family—it is that we are ready with judgment and knowledge, again, engaged in the debate as we go forward. We won't be part of the debate because TPA prohibits that. But the American people will want to be engaged in that debate, and we, as their representatives, will have to vote on it at some point.

President Lincoln said that public sentiment is everything. The more the public knows about what is happening, I think, the better the agreement will be. That is my hope, and that is what we will fight for.

So this is another day, a new day to go forward. I congratulate my colleagues who have worked so hard to get us to where we are, but we have much more to do, much bigger possibilities for the American people, and much recognition that it is a whole new world in terms of our understanding of our interconnections. Technology aids us, information helps us, and communication can be our salvation as we share information.

So again, Mr. Speaker, I congratulate Mr. LEVIN for his leadership and so many people who worked so hard on all of this, and I look forward to possibly a time when we not only have a unified Democratic Caucus but a unified Congress to come together with one thing in mind as we approach the Fourth of July: remembering e pluribus unum from many, one. We are one country. I don't think partisan politics, Democrats, Republicans, have anything to do with this debate. It is a debate about advancing America's workers and about bigger paychecks for America's workers as we lift up workers throughout the world, as we protect our environment, and as we go into the future.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield 1 minute to the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS), a member of our committee.

Mr. DANNY K. DAVIS of Illinois. Mr. Speaker, we have had a very rigorous

and robust debate on trade. Trade is important to not only the entire country, but certainly it is important to the communities that I represent.

Throughout this process, I have followed the dictates of organized labor, and I have followed the dictates of the people I represent, which means I voted "no." I listened to the logic of the Democratic leader just this moment, and I am going to vote with her. I am going to vote for this legislation today because it is necessary to help those individuals who are going to be displaced, and they need all the help we can provide. I will vote to help them.

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself the balance of my time.

Mr. Speaker, as we proceed to vote, let me just reflect a bit as someone who has been working on trade issues for some time.

At one point when USTR would not negotiate the trade agreement, Mr. RANGEL and I actually did the negotiating of the Peru free trade agreement with the Peruvian Government. I don't suggest that should be the usual practice.

As I look back on our debate on TPA, I think it has essentially been a prelude, a prelude to more vigorous debate about the contents of TPP. I think this debate has stirred the pot, and now it is important that this Congress—that this Congress—impact the ingredients in the pot and that we do so while the ingredients are being cooked and not simply afterwards, because these ingredients affect the lives of American businesses, American workers, and working families; and when we get it wrong, as sometimes has been true, people get hurt and millions of jobs are lost.

So I think we now have to rededicate ourselves as these negotiations proceed to be an active partner and insist that we be an active partner, that we know what is going on, and that we are able to discuss with the public what is going on. I think that is where we are today.

Within that spirit, Mr. Speaker, I urge that Democrats support this bill on TAA.

I yield back the balance of my time. Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself the balance of my time.

Mr. Speaker, first I would like to clarify a few things. The reason we are here is because of the defeat of TAA the first time it came through here. That is why this bill is such this way.

The idea that by combining this for the Preferences was somehow a plan in the other body to defeat the two bills, I would just like to remind people that the first Preferences bill passed 97–1 when it passed the Senate. This bill was voice-voted in the Senate yesterday, so if someone was planning on trying to defeat these bills, they sure picked the wrong way to go about doing it.

What is really happening here is a commitment is being honored the second time around to make sure that these bills have passed, and I am

pleased to see that. So I don't read into anything that the other body did other than respond to the fact that TAA was defeated here the first time around. Now we have rebuilt the process, kept the agreements, and here we are passing a bill that the Senate voice-voted yesterday.

Why is this important, Mr. Speaker? These three bills are bipartisan. TAA is offered by Mr. REICHERT, a Republican from Washington. Preferences is something that has gotten near universal support from both sides of the aisle. It is very good policy, and everyone on both sides of the aisle is in favor of TAA.

We also have heard from our manufacturers that they need trade remedy, that when another country and a company from another country violate our trade laws and dump product into our market, we ought to be able to do something about it. So there is a bipartisan acknowledgment on that front, too. That is why this package is here. I anticipate a good vote count.

At the end of the day, Mr. Speaker, the reason we are doing this is because we care about workers, we care about American leadership, and we care about jobs. The reason you need trade agreements is to remove those barriers so that the little guy, the small business, can also have access to these foreign markets. That is one of the elements to this debate that I think is

missing

Without trade agreements, big businesses can survive, no problem. Do you know why? Because big businesses can just erect a factory in another country to sell into that other country. It happens all the time. We call it outsourcing. So a big company can set up a factory in another country, hire people in that other country, and ship our jobs over there to make their product there to sell into those markets.

Trade agreements, on the other hand, remove those barriers, make it so that you can build it here and send it over there. That means small businesses can also get engaged in trade. Small businesses can also get access to these markets. So by getting in a trade agreement, we remove those barriers from these countries who say, "If you want to sell your product in our country, then make it in our country," to getting a trade agreement saying, "We remove these barriers, and we will allow you to make it in your country, America, and send it here."

Mr. Speaker, that is why we want trade agreements, so we can keep jobs and keep manufacturing in America, make and grow more things here so that we can have more jobs here and send them over there. It is why we have a trade surplus in manufacturing with the countries we had trade agreements with and a big manufacturing deficit with the countries we do not have trade agreements with.

We are pretty generous, Mr. Speaker. We already let a lot of other countries sell their goods into our country. Just go through Walmart, Farm & Fleet, K-Mart, or Shopko, wherever you go buy stuff, and you will see things made in other countries all down the aisle. I bought this shirt I am wearing right now in Kenosha, Wisconsin, at the outlet mall. It was made in Malaysia.

Go to these other countries, and you will not see something similar. You will not see a bunch of American products on their store shelves. Trade agreements say: Hey, wait, that is not fair. Let's make it fair. You give us the same kind of access to your country that we are giving you to our country.

That is what we get with trade agreements; level the playing field, keep it fair, and give us access to the fact that we have one in five jobs in America tied to trade, the fact that these jobs on average pay 18 percent more, so that we can keep that going so that we can have more jobs with higher wages. That is what this is about.

When a worker is displaced—if a worker is displaced—TAA is there to help that person get job training skills and benefits so they can get a new skill to get a new job to keep their life going where they want it to go.

So that is why I expect a good vote here today. I am pleased that we are able to honor the agreements that were made, and I am very pleased that we are sending the signal to the rest of the world that this country is still willing and able to lead.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. All time for debate has expired.

Pursuant to House Resolution 338, the previous question is ordered.

The question is on the motion by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. RYAN).

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on adoption of the motion will be followed by a 5-minute vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 2200.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 286, nays 138, not voting 9, as follows:

[Roll No. 388]

YEAS—286

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Messrs. LUCAS, WALKER, COLLINS of New York, STUTZMAN, KNIGHT, MILLER of Florida, CLAWSON of Florida, LONG, and BUCHANAN changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. SIRES and Mrs. LAWRENCE changed their vote from "nay" to "yea.

So the motion to concur was agreed

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, June 25th, 2015, I was absent during rollcall vote No. 388. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on the Motion to Concur in the Senate Amendment to H.R. 1295, the Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015 (TAA/AGOA).

Mr. RUSH. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, June 25, 2015 I was unavoidably delayed and missed rollcall vote 388. Had I been present I would have voted in the affirmative.

Ms. HAHN. Mr. Speaker, due to an unforeseen conflict, I unavoidably missed the following vote on June 25, 2015. Had I been present I would have voted as follows: on rollcall No. 388, I would have voted "aye" (June 25) (Motion to Concur in the Senate Amendment to H.R. 1295-Trade Preferences Extension Act of 2015).

Mr. SCOTT of Virginia. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 388, had I been present. I would have voted "ves."

CBRN INTELLIGENCE AND INFOR-MATION SHARING ACT OF 2015

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON). The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2200) to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear intelligence and information sharing functions of the Office of Intelligence and Analysis of the Department of Homeland Security and to require dissemination of information analyzed by the Department to entities with responsibilities relating to homeland security, and for other purposes, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Arizona (Ms. McSally) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

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The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 420, nays 2, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 389]

YEAS-420

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NOT VOTING-11

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) 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.

Stated for:

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, June 25th, 2015, I was absent during rollcall vote No. 389. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on the motion to suspend