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United States-Cuba Trade Act of 2001

**Congress:** 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Foreign Trade and International Finance

**Introduced:** Feb 27, 2001

**Current Status:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**Latest Action:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (Feb 27, 2001)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/senate-bill/401>

Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Baucus, Max [D-MT]

**Party:** Democratic • **State:** MT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		Feb 27, 2001
Sen. Roberts, Pat [R-KS]	R · KS		Feb 27, 2001
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 17, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 27, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 796	Identical bill	<b>Mar 8, 2001:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2001)

United States-Cuba Trade Act of 2001 - Expresses the sense of Congress that: (1) the United States should promote democratic change and economic reform by normalizing trade relations with Cuba; and (2) upon the enactment of this Act, it will no longer be necessary for the United States to continue to use Article XXI of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) 1994 with respect to Cuba, understanding that the President retains full authority to invoke Article XXI and comparable provisions in other Uruguay Round Agreements in the future in all appropriate circumstances. Amends the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to extend nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations) to the products of Cuba.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 27, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 27, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1632-1633)
- **Feb 27, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.