

HR 445

To amend section 304 of the Tariff Act of 1930 with respect to the marking of imported home furniture.

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**Chamber:** House

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

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 14, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Amends the Tariff Act of 1930 with respect to the requirement that every article of foreign origin (or its container) imported into the United States be marked conspicuously, legibly, indelibly, and permanently in a manner to indicate to an ultimate purchaser in the United States the English name of the article's country of origin.

Prohibits any exception to such marking requirement for imported home furniture.

### **Actions Timeline**

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