

HR 3589

To amend the Trade Act of 1974 to extend trade adjustment assistance to certain service workers.

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Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 21, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 19, 2007)

Amends the Trade Act of 1974 to allow the filing of a petition with the Secretary of Labor for certification of eligibility to apply for trade adjustment assistance (TAA) by adversely affected workers in a service sector firm or subdivision. Defines "service sector firm" as an entity engaged in the business of providing information technology or other high technology services.

Revises group eligibility requirements for TAA to cover: (1) a shift, by such workers' firm or subdivision to a foreign country, in provision of services, like or directly competitive with services which are provided by such firm or subdivision; and (2) instances where such workers' firm or subdivision obtains or is likely to obtain such services from a foreign country.

Provides for the certification for TAA of adversely affected secondary workers in a service sector firm or subdivision.

Actions Timeline

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