

HR 6311

To amend the Trade Act of 1974 to authorize the United States Trade Representative to take discretionary action if a foreign country is engaging in unreasonable acts, policies, or practices relating to the environment, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]

Party: Democratic • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-25]	D · TX		Sep 29, 2010
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Sep 29, 2010
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 29, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 29, 2010)

Amends the Trade Act of 1974 to authorize the United State Trade Representative (USTR) to take certain discretionary trade action against foreign countries that engage in unreasonable acts, policies, or practices that fail to enforce their environmental laws effectively.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 29, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1847)
- **Sep 29, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.