

S 2545

A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to clarify the duty on sanitary towels and tampons, diapers and diaper liners for babies, and similar articles, of any material.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

Introduced: May 7, 2012

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (May 7, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]

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

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Finance Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 7, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 7, 2012)

Amends the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify the article description and duty treatment of sanitary towels and tampons, diapers and diaper liners for babies, and similar articles, of any material. Grants duty-free treatment of other such articles.

Declares that the amendments made by this Act shall not be construed to affect the special duty rate staging with respect to such articles imported from Australia proclaimed before enactment of such Act.

Actions Timeline

- **May 7, 2012:** Introduced in Senate
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