

HR 6337

To amend the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 to require Congressional approval before the President adjusts imports that are determined to threaten to impair national security.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Foreign Trade and International Finance

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade. (Jul 13, 2018)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** WI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (23 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Coffman, Mike [R-CO-6]	R · CO		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Cooper, Jim [D-TN-5]	D · TN		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Costello, Ryan A. [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Curtis, John R. [R-UT-3]	R · UT		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Larsen, Rick [D-WA-2]	D · WA		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Panetta, Jimmy [D-CA-20]	D · CA		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Sanford, Mark [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Jul 11, 2018
Rep. Amash, Justin [R-MI-3]	R · MI		Jul 12, 2018
Rep. Faso, John J. [R-NY-19]	R · NY		Jul 12, 2018
Rep. O'Halleran, Tom [D-AZ-1]	D · AZ		Jul 12, 2018
Rep. LaHood, Darin [R-IL-18]	R · IL		Jul 13, 2018
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Jul 13, 2018
Rep. Budd, Ted [R-NC-13]	R · NC		Jul 24, 2018
Rep. Love, Mia B. [R-UT-4]	R · UT		Jul 24, 2018
Rep. Stefanik, Elise M. [R-NY-21]	R · NY		Jul 24, 2018
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Jul 24, 2018
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 25, 2018
Rep. Cole, Tom [R-OK-4]	R · OK		Jul 25, 2018
Rep. Marshall, Roger [R-KS-1]	R · KS		Sep 6, 2018

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 11, 2018
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 13, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 S 3013	Identical bill	Jun 6, 2018: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Summary (as of Jul 11, 2018)

This bill amends the Trade Expansion Act of 1962 to require congressional approval for a presidential adjustment of an import due to a national security threat. Specifically, the bill requires the President to submit a proposal to Congress, which Congress may approve by a joint resolution. Under current law, the President determines whether any adjustment of an import is necessary, and must submit to Congress the reasons for any action taken or not taken.

The bill retroactively applies to any proposed action made two years before enactment of this bill. In general, any rate of duty modification occurring in the time period two years before enactment of this bill and the date before enactment of this bill must revert to the previous rate.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 13, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
- **Jul 11, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 11, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.