

## HR 7665

To direct the United States Trade Representative to extend the exclusions of goods of China from additional duties imposed under section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974, and for other purposes.

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

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

**Introduced:** Jul 16, 2020

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jul 16, 2020)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 16, 2020

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Jul 16, 2020)

This bill requires the U.S. Trade Representative (USTR) to extend for at least one year the exclusion of certain Chinese goods from additional duties. Such goods include medical-care products needed to address the COVID-19 (i.e., coronavirus disease 2019) pandemic.

The USTR is not required to take such action if it determines that (1) a good is strategically important or related to certain Chinese industrial programs, and (2) such an extension would cause severe harm to the United States.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jul 16, 2020:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 16, 2020:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
- **Jul 16, 2020:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.