

HR 8351

Formula Act

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Sponsor

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

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

Cosponsors (28 total)

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Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2022
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Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jul 13, 2022
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Rep. Smith, Adrian [R-NE-3]	R · NE		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Smith, Jason [R-MO-8]	R · MO		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Smucker, Lloyd [R-PA-11]	R · PA		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Thompson, Mike [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Wenstrup, Brad R. [R-OH-2]	R · OH		Jul 13, 2022
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-3]	D · PA		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-26]	D · NY		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Kelly, Mike [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-38]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Stewart, Chris [R-UT-2]	R · UT		Jul 14, 2022
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		Jul 15, 2022
Rep. Estes, Ron [R-KS-4]	R · KS		Jul 15, 2022
Rep. Schweikert, David [R-AZ-6]	R · AZ		Jul 15, 2022
Rep. Williams, Nikema [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jul 15, 2022

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 13, 2022

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 HR 8174	Related bill	Jun 22, 2022: Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.

Formula Act

This bill provides through December 31, 2022, duty-free treatment to infant formula.

During this time period, articles of infant formula shall not be subject to (1) any additional safeguard duties that may be imposed under subchapter IV of chapter 99 of the Harmonized Tariff Schedule; or (2) any other import quotas, tariff-rate quotas, additional duties, or any other duties, fees, exactions, or charges that otherwise would apply to such articles.

Importers shall provide the applicable and anticipated tariff classifications for articles of infant formula on applicable customs entry documents.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 21, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Voice Vote.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Passed Senate without amendment by Voice Vote. (consideration: CR S3593-3594)
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Presented to President.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Signed by President.
- **Jul 21, 2022:** Became Public Law No: 117-160.
- **Jul 19, 2022:** Received in the Senate, read twice.
- **Jul 15, 2022:** Mr. Blumenauer moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jul 15, 2022:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6629-6631)
- **Jul 15, 2022:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 8351.
- **Jul 15, 2022:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jul 15, 2022:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6663-6664)
- **Jul 15, 2022:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 421 - 2 (Roll no. 363).
- **Jul 15, 2022:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 421 - 2 (Roll no. 363). (text: CR H6629)
- **Jul 15, 2022:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 13, 2022:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 13, 2022:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

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