

## 119TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION H.R. 2665

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. Bacon (for himself, Mr. Hurd of Colorado, Mr. Gottheimer, and Mr. Meeks) introduced the following bill; which was 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

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Trade Review Act of
- 5 2025".

## 1 SEC. 2. REVIEW BY CONGRESS OF IMPOSITION OF DUTIES.

- 2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 5 of title I of the Trade
- 3 Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2191 et seq.) is amended by add-
- 4 ing at the end the following:
- 5 "SEC. 155. REVIEW OF IMPOSITION OF DUTIES.
- 6 "(a) NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENT.—Not later than
- 7 48 hours after imposing or increasing a duty with respect
- 8 to an article imported into the United States, the Presi-
- 9 dent shall submit to Congress a notification of the imposi-
- 10 tion of or increase in the duty that includes—
- 11 "(1) an explanation of the reasoning for impos-
- ing or increasing the duty; and
- "(2) an assessment of the potential impact of
- imposing or increasing the duty on United States
- businesses and consumers.
- 16 "(b) Expiration of Duties; Extension by Con-
- 17 GRESS.—Any duty on an article imported into the United
- 18 States shall remain in effect for a period of not more than
- 19 60 days, unless there is enacted into law a joint resolution
- 20 of approval with respect to the duty under subsection (e).
- 21 "(c) DISAPPROVAL BY CONGRESS.—If a joint resolu-
- 22 tion of disapproval with respect to a duty is enacted into
- 23 law under subsection (e), the duty shall cease to have force
- 24 or effect.
- 25 "(d) Exclusion of Antidumping and Counter-
- 26 VAILING DUTIES.—This section does not apply with re-

spect to antidumping and countervailing duties imposed under title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1671) 3 et seq.). "(e) Joint Resolutions.— 4 5 "(1) Definitions.—In this section: 6 "(A) Joint resolution of approval.— 7 The term 'joint resolution of approval' means a 8 joint resolution the sole matter after the resolv-9 ing clause of which is as follows: 'That Con-10 gress approves the duty imposed with respect to 11 , notice of which was submitted to Congress on \_\_\_\_\_\_.', with the first blank 12 13 space being filled with a description of the arti-14 cle and the second blank space being filled with 15 the date of the notification under subsection 16 (a). 17 "(B) JOINT RESOLUTION OFDIS-18 APPROVAL.—The term 'joint resolution of dis-19 approval' means a joint resolution the sole mat-20 ter after the resolving clause of which is as fol-21 lows: 'That Congress disapproves the duty im-22 posed with respect to \_\_\_\_\_, notice of which was submitted to Congress on \_\_\_\_\_.', 23 24 with the first blank space being filled with a de-25 scription of the article and the second blank

1	space being filled with the date of the notifica-
2	tion under subsection (a).
3	"(2) Introduction.—
4	"(A) Joint resolution of approval.—
5	A joint resolution of approval may be intro-
6	duced in either House of Congress by any Mem-
7	ber during the 60-day period described in sub-
8	section (b).
9	"(B) Joint resolution of dis-
10	APPROVAL.—A joint resolution of disapproval
11	may be introduced in either House of Congress
12	by any Member at any time after the submis-
13	sion of a notification under subsection (a).
14	"(3) Expedited procedures.—The provi-
15	sions of subsections (b) through (f) of section 152
16	(19 U.S.C. 2192) apply to a joint resolution of ap-
17	proval or joint resolution of disapproval to the same
18	extent that such subsections apply to joint resolu-
19	tions under section 152.
20	"(4) Rules of the senate and the house
21	OF REPRESENTATIVES.—This subsection is enacted
22	by Congress—
23	"(A) as an exercise of the rulemaking
24	power of the Senate and the House of Rep-
25	resentatives, respectively, and as such is deemed

1	a part of the rules of each House, respectively,
2	but applicable only with respect to the proce-
3	dure to be followed in that House in the case
4	of a joint resolution of approval, and supersedes
5	other rules only to the extent that it is incon-
6	sistent with such rules; and

"(B) with full recognition of the constitutional right of either House to change the rules (so far as relating to the procedure of that House) at any time, in the same manner, and to the same extent as in the case of any other rule of that House.".

13 (b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of contents 14 for the Trade Act of 1974 is amended by inserting after 15 the item relating to section 154 the following:

"Sec. 155. Review of imposition of duties.".

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