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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.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 16, 2020

Mrs. WALORSKI (for herself and Mr. PETERSON) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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,*

1 **SECTION 1. EXTENSION OF EXCLUSIONS OF GOODS OF**
2 **CHINA FROM ADDITIONAL DUTIES IMPOSED**
3 **UNDER SECTION 301 OF THE TRADE ACT OF**
4 **1974.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the
6 date of the enactment of this Act, the United States Trade
7 Representative—

8 (1) shall extend the date of expiration of each
9 exclusion of a good of China from additional duties
10 imposed under section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974
11 (19 U.S.C. 2411) that has been granted under the
12 authority of such section and is in effect as of July
13 16, 2020 for a period of not less than one year from
14 such date of expiration; and

15 (2) shall publish in the Federal Register a no-
16 tice of such extension.

17 (b) EXCEPTION.—The Trade Representative is not
18 required to extend the date of expiration of the exclusion
19 of a good of China from additional duties as described in
20 subsection (a) if, not later than fifteen days after the date
21 of the enactment of this Act, the Trade Representative—

22 (1) determines that—

23 (A) the good is strategically important or
24 related to “Made in China 2025’ ” or other Chi-
25 nese industrial programs; and

1 (B) extension of such date of expiration
2 would cause severe harm to the United States;
3 and

4 (2) provides a detailed justification for such de-
5 termination to—

6 (A) the Committee on Ways and Means of
7 the House of Representatives and the Com-
8 mittee on Finance of the Senate; and

9 (B) the party that requested the exclusion;
10 and

11 (3) publishes in the Federal Register a notice of
12 such determination.

13 (c) U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION.—Not
14 later than 30 days after the date of enactment of this Act,
15 the Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection
16 shall issue updated instructions with respect to entry guid-
17 ance and implementation of this Act.

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