

115TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

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To amend the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act to extend the transition period for preferential treatment of certain textile and apparel articles.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 5, 2017

Mr. NELSON (for himself and Mr. RUBIO) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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 “Caribbean Trade Ex-
5 tension Act of 2017”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXTENSION OF TRANSITION PERIOD FOR PREF-**
2 **ERENTIAL TREATMENT OF CERTAIN TEXTILE**
3 **AND APPAREL ARTICLES.**

4 Section 213(b) of the Caribbean Basin Economic Re-
5 covery Act (19 U.S.C. 2703(b)) is amended—

6 (1) in paragraph (2)(A)—

7 (A) in clause (iii)—

8 (i) in subclause (II)(cc), by striking

9 “2020” and inserting “2030”; and

10 (ii) in subclause (IV)(dd), by striking

11 “2020” and inserting “2030”; and

12 (B) in clause (iv)(II), by striking “18” and

13 inserting “28”; and

14 (2) in paragraph (5)(D)(i), by striking “2020”

15 and inserting “2030”.

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