

111TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 2331

To suspend temporarily the duty on cellular plastic membrane sheets of polytetrafluoroethylene resin.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 29, 2009

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

A BILL

To suspend temporarily the duty on cellular plastic membrane sheets of polytetrafluoroethylene resin.

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. CELLULAR PLASTIC MEMBRANE SHEETS OF**
4 **POLYTETRAFLUOROETHYLENE RESIN.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of
6 the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is
7 amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following
8 new heading:

“	9902.01.00	Cellular plastic membrane sheets of polytetrafluoroethylene resin measuring 10 microns to 140 microns thick that, when tested, retain polystyrene latex beads of 0.15 microns diameter, and cellular plastic membrane sheets of polysulfone resin of various thicknesses and porosity, each certified by the importer for use in manufacturing filters of heading 8421 (provided for in subheading 3921.19.00)	Free	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/2011	”.
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1 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by
2 subsection (a) applies to articles entered, or withdrawn
3 from warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day
4 after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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