

Amendment List

An Original Bill to extend the African Growth and Opportunity Act, the Generalized System of Preferences, the preferential duty treatment program for Haiti, and for other purposes

April 22, 2015

Committee Number	Senator	Summary	Off-Set
17	Hatch #1	To perfect the legislation	
18	Hatch #2	To perfect the legislation	
19	Hatch #3	To perfect the legislation	
20	Hatch #4	To perfect the legislation	
21	Hatch #5	To perfect the legislation	
22	Hatch #6	To perfect the legislation	
23	Roberts/ Portman/ Cantwell #1	To update the Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) by eliminating the statutory exclusion for travel goods	
24	Isakson #1	Reauthorization of the African Growth and Opportunity Act for South Africa for a period of 3 years	
25	Isakson #2	Requiring that the President conduct an out-of-cycle review of South Africa	
26	Toomey #1	An amendment to benefit American Citizens and strengthen the economies of America's most vulnerable trading partners	
27	Stabenow/ Cantwell/Cardin #1	To promote the role of women in social and economic development in Sub-Saharan Africa	
28	Stabenow/ Roberts #2	Expanding agricultural trade technical assistance with an increased focus on sectors that support women	
29	Cantwell/ Portman #1	Creates tariff classifications specific to "recreational performance outerwear" and eliminates import tariffs on those apparel products	To be determined
30	Cantwell #2	Amend the definition of athletic footwear in the Harmonized Tariff Schedule (HTS) to clarify that it includes certain outdoor performance footwear	To be determined
31	Nelson #1	Extend the tariff preference level on certain imports of textiles from Bahrain under the United States-Bahrain Free Trade Agreement, with an offset	

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32	Nelson/Cardin #2	Extend the tariff preference levels on certain imports of textiles from Bahrain under the United States-Bahrain Free Trade Agreement and Nicaragua under the Dominican Republic-Central America Free Trade Agreement (CAFTA-DR), with an offset	
33	Menendez #1	Providing Certainty to U.S. business regarding the Generalized Systems of Preferences	TBD
34	Cardin #1	An amendment to extend the Tariff Preference Level program for Nicaragua	To be provided
35	Cardin #2	An amendment clarifying U.S. interests in regards to emerging markets	No Revenue Effect
36	Cardin #3	An amendment requiring publication of country utilization strategies on the AGOA website	No Revenue Effect
37	Cardin #4	An amendment recognizing that focused trade capacity building efforts help businesses understand trade and investment opportunities and maximize that benefits of AGOA	No Revenue Effect
38	Cardin #5	And amendment expanding and strengthening key U.S. policies in regard to deepening and expanding trade and investment ties between Sub-Saharan Africa and the United States	No Revenue Effect
39	Cardin #6	An amendment encouraging public-private partnerships to create needed transportation and communications infrastructure	No Revenue Effect
40	Cardin #7	An amendment strengthening and expanding trade capacity building efforts	
41	Cardin #8	An amendment regarding the digital publication of AGOA Forum statements and commitments	
42	Cardin #9	An amendment requiring the digital publications of information from each study required by this Act	No Revenue Effect
43	Cardin #10	An amendment allowing for concurrent MCC compacts	To be provided
44	Cardin #11	An amendment on the role of women-owned firms and the African Women Entrepreneurial Program (AWEP) within AGOA	

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45	Bennet #1	An amendment to require a report on how U.S. trade preferences programs contribute to the reduction of poverty and the elimination of hunger	
46	Warner #1	Amends 506(A)(b) of the Trade Act of 1974	To be provided