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110TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H.R. 1830

To extend the authorities of the Andean Trade Preference Act until September 30, 2009.

Mr. Rangel Cosponsors: Mr. Levin Mr. Burtan

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. RANGEL introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on

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. EXTENSION OF ANDEAN TRADE PREFERENCE
- 4 **ACT.**
- 5 (a) Extension.—Section 208(a) of the Andean
- 6 Trade Preference Act (19 U.S.C. 3206(a)) is amended by
- 7 striking "June 30, 2007" and inserting "September 30,
- 8 2009".

| 1 | (b) Repeal of Conditional Extensions.—Sec- |
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| 2 | tion 208 of the Andean Trade Preference Act (19 U.S.C. |
| 3 | 3206) is amended— |
| 4 | (1) by striking "(a) Termination.—Subject to |
| 5 | subsection (b), no" and inserting "No"; and |
| 6 | (2) by striking subsection (b). |
| 7 | SEC. 2. TREATMENT OF CERTAIN APPAREL ARTICLES. |
| 8 | Section 204(b)(3)(B) of the Andean Trade Pref- |
| 9 | erence Act (19 U.S.C. 3206(b)(3)(B)) is amended— |
| 10 | (1) in clause (iii)— |
| 11 | (A) in subclause (II)— |
| 12 | (i) by striking "Subject to section |
| 13 | 208, the" and inserting "The"; and |
| 14 | (ii) by striking "4 succeeding 1-year |
| 15 | periods" and inserting "6 succeeding 1- |
| 16 | year periods"; and |
| 17 | (B) in subclause (III)— |
| 18 | (i) by striking "means 2 percent" and |
| 19 | inserting "means— |
| 20 | "(aa) 2 percent"; |
| 21 | (ii) by striking the period at the end |
| 22 | and inserting "; and"; and |
| 23 | (iii) by adding at the end the fol- |
| 24 | lowing: |

| 1 | "(bb) for the 1-year period begin- |
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| 2 | ning October 1, 2007, and the 1-year |
| 3 | period beginning October 1, 2008, the |
| 4 | percentage determined under item |
| 5 | (aa) for the 1-year period beginning |
| 6 | October 1, 2006."; and |
| 7 | (2) in clause (v)(II)— |
| 8 | (A) by striking "Subject to section 208, |
| 9 | during" and inserting "During"; and |
| 10 | (B) by striking "3 succeeding 1-year peri- |
| 11 | ods" and inserting "5 succeeding 1-year peri- |
| 12 | ods". |