

Dear Sir;

I am offering my 100% support for HR 4217 and HR 4218 to be included in the proposed miscellaneous trade package.

The yarns represented in the bills are co-polyamide yarns that are manufactured in Switzerland and are distributed in the United States by Haroldite Industries, Inc. located in Taunton Ma. The yarns act as aids in manufacturing, but do not become part of any finished product. The yarns content makes them noncompetitive to anything manufactured in the United States. The yarns contain at least 10% by weight of Nylon 12. This makes the yarn unique. The yarn is formulated in various ways to yield different results but always contains the 10% of Nylon 12.

We use these special yarns for separating knitted trim and knitted panels. These materials are sewn together to make finished garments.

The United States knitting industry has been reduced to a shadow of the industry it once was. We, who are left are struggling to keep going. Suspension of the duties on this yarn will reduce costs.

My company Rotex-Jess Corp. is the largest purchaser of this special product.

Thank you for your consideration.

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