

H.J.RES. 15  
SECTION-BY-SECTION ANALYSIS

H.J. Res. 15 cites a number of facts regarding the Christmas tree industry, including: that Christmas trees have been sold commercially in the United States since the 1850s; that 32.8 million U.S. households purchased live-cut Christmas trees in 2005; and that, while Christmas trees are grown in all 50 States, Oregon, North Carolina, Michigan, Washington, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, New York, Minnesota, Virginia, California, and Ohio are the top producers of live-cut Christmas trees.

The bill recognizes:

The important contributions of the live-cut Christmas tree industry, Christmas tree growers, and persons employed in the live-cut Christmas tree industry to the economy of the United States.