

104TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 1746

To correct the marking requirements for American-made hand tools.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 13, 1996

Mr. GRAMM introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred
to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

To correct the marking requirements for American-made
hand tools.

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. MARKING OF CERTAIN AMERICAN-MADE HAND**
4 **TOOLS.**

5 Section 304 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C.
6 1304) is amended by redesignating subsections (f), (g),
7 (h) and (i) as subsections (g), (h), (i) and (j), respectively,
8 and inserting after subsection (e) the following new sub-
9 section:

1 “(f) MARKING OF AMERICAN-MADE METAL FORG-
2 INGS.—The marking requirements of subsections (a) and
3 (b) shall not apply to—
4 “(1) metal forgings that—
5 “(A) are imported for processing into fin-
6 ished hand tools in the United States, and
7 “(B) have not been improved in condition
8 beyond rough burring, trimming, grinding,
9 turning, hammering, chiseling, or filing, and
10 “(2) hand tools made from metal forgings de-
11 scribed in paragraph (1).”.

