

109TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

# S. 3674

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JULY 17, 2006

Mr. CARPER (for himself and Mr. GREGG) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## 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. CERTAIN WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR NOT COVERING**  
4                       **THE ANKLE WITH COATED OR LAMINATED**  
5                       **TEXTILE FABRICS.**

6       (a) IN GENERAL.—Subchapter II of chapter 99 of  
7       the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States is  
8       amended by inserting in numerical sequence the following  
9       new heading:

“	9902.64.12	Women's footwear, except vulcanized footwear and footwear with waterproof molded bottoms, including bottoms comprising an outer sole and all or part of the upper, valued over \$20/pair, not covering the ankle, designed to be worn in lieu of, but not over, other footwear as a protection against water, oil, grease or chemicals or cold or inclement weather where such protection includes protection against water that is imparted by the use of a coated or laminated textile fabric (provided in subheading 6404.19.20) .....	Free	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/2009	”.
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1           (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by  
 2 subsection (a) applies to goods entered, or withdrawn from  
 3 warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after  
 4 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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