

107<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 4188

To suspend temporarily the duty on certain 12-volt batteries.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 11, 2002

Mr. HOUGHTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on Ways and Means

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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 12-VOLT BATTERIES.**

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

“	9902.85.07	12V lead-acid storage batteries, of a kind used for the auxiliary source of power for burglar or fire alarms and similar apparatus of subheading 8531.10.00 (provided for in subheading 8507.20.80) .....	Free	No change	No change	On or before 12/31/2005	”.
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1           (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by  
2 subsection (a) applies with respect to goods entered, or  
3 withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, on or after  
4 the 15th day after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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