

UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL TRADE COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20436

**MEMORANDUM ON PROPOSED TARIFF LEGISLATION
of the 109th Congress¹**

[Date approved: November 10, 2005]²

Bill No. and sponsor: H.R. 2497 (Mr. Tim Holden of Pennsylvania).

Proponent name, location: Nisso America Inc., New York, NY.

Other bills on product (109th Congress only): None.

Nature of bill: Extension of temporary duty suspension through December 31, 2008.

Retroactive effect: None.

Suggested article description(s) for enactment (including appropriate HTS subheading(s)):

N1-[(6-Chloro-3-pyridyl)methyl]-N2-cyano-N1-methyl-acetamidine (CAS No. 135410-20-7) (provided for in suheading 2933.39.27)

Check one: Same as that in bill as introduced.
 Different from that in bill as introduced (see Technical comments section).

Product information, including uses/applications and source(s) of imports:

The subject product is a synthetic organic chemical used as an insecticide to control sucking insects on cotton and various fruits and vegetables. The proponent imports the product from Japan.

Estimated effect on customs revenue:

HTS subheading: <u>2933.39.27</u>					
	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009
Col. 1-General rate of duty					
Col. 1-General rate of duty	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%	6.5%
Estimated value <i>dutiable</i> imports	\$12,420,000	\$12,420,000	\$12,650,000	\$11,600,000	\$11,700,000
Customs revenue loss ^{1/}	\$807,300	\$807,300	\$822,250	\$754,000	\$760,500

^{1/} The estimated Customs revenue loss for 2005 and 2006 results from a temporary duty suspension under HTS heading 9902.03.92 that expires December 31, 2006.

Source of estimated dutiable import data: Industry estimates.

Contacts with domestic firms/organizations (including the proponent):

¹ Industry analyst preparing report: Philip Stone (202-205-3424); Tariff Affairs contact: David Michels (202-205-3440).

² Access to an electronic copy of this memorandum is available at http://usitc.gov/tata/hts/other/rel_doc/bill_reports/index.htm.

Name of firm/organization	Date contacted	US production of same or competitive product claimed?	Submission attached?	Opposition noted?
		(Yes/No)		
Nisso America, Inc. (Proponent) John Kasper, 212-490-0350	8/26/2005	No	No	No
AtoFina Cerex Charles Kitchin, Fax: 703-527-2092	9/09/2005	No	No	No
BASF Corporation Greg Thies, Fax: 202-558-5101	9/09/2005	No	No	No
Bayer Corporation Karen L. Niedermeyer, Fax: 412-777-4740	9/09/2005	No	No	No
Crop Life America Lawrence Norton, Fax: 202-463-0474	9/09/2005	No	No	No
Dow Agro Science Lisa Schroeter, Fax: 202-429-3467	9/09/2005	No	No	No
DuPont Nancy Johnson, Fax: 202-728-3649 Elaine Olsen, Fax: 302-892-7343	9/09/2005	No	No	No
FMC Jerry Prout, Fax: 202-956-5235	9/09/2005	No	No	No
LANXESS Corporation Jamie B. Schaeffer, Fax: 412-809-3614	09/09/2005	No	No	No
Monsanto Corporation Michael Parrish, Fax: 202-789-1867	09/09/2005	No	No	No
Syngenta Mike Blythe, Fax: 336-632-6084	09/09/2005	No	No	No
Valent USA Robin Demouth, Fax: 925-256-2776	09/09/2005	No	No	No

Technical comments:³ None.

³ The Commission may express an opinion on the HTS classification of a product to facilitate consideration of the bill. However, by law, only the U.S. Customs Service is authorized to issue a binding ruling on this matter. The Commission believes that the U.S. Customs Service should be consulted prior to enactment of the bill.

109TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 2497

To extend the temporary suspension of duty on Acetamiprid Technical.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 19, 2005

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

A BILL

To extend the temporary suspension of duty on Acetamiprid
Technical.

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. ACETAMIPRID TECHNICAL.**

4 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Heading 9902.03.92 of the Har-
5 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States (relating to
6 Acetamiprid Technical) is amended by striking “12/31/
7 2006” and inserting “12/31/2008”.

8 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by
9 subsection (a) applies to goods entered, or withdrawn from

- 1 warehouse for consumption, on or after the 15th day after
- 2 the date of enactment of this Act.

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