

**Miscellaneous Tariff Bill**  
**Preliminary Disclosure Form**

**Part I: Type of Disclosure**

This form is being submitted for H.R. 5035 as a disclosure accompanying the introduction of a bill.

**Part II: Written Statement**

Member Name: Rosa L. DeLauro

- A.  Is the tariff relief specified in this Miscellaneous Tariff Bill available to any entity that imports and pays duties pursuant to this tariff heading? If not, why?

The tariff relief should be offered to any importer of magnet snaps as these snaps are only used as a component part in the manufacturing of finished leather goods.

Please list the name and contact information for any known entities currently importing under the tariff heading specified in the Miscellaneous Tariff Bill:

Romag Fasteners, Inc.  
Howard Reiter, President  
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- B.  Does the tariff relief specified in this Miscellaneous Tariff Bill benefit downstream producers, manufacturers, purchasers, and consumers?

Yes. The operational mechanism of the magnet snap is a rare earth magnet, which is not mined or produced in the United States. This product must be imported from the world's only supplier, China. Since China is controlling world pricing, the tariff abatement will help lower costs to all U.S. manufacturers who use magnet snaps in the manufacturing of finished leather goods, as well as lower costs for consumers, the eventual end-users of leather goods.

**Part III: Financial Benefit Certification**

I hereby certify that neither myself nor my spouse has a financial interest in any entity named in Part II.A above.



(Member Signature)

April 30, 2012

Date