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House Ways and Means Committee

Subject: HR 5160, HR 5161, HR 5162

Please pass the above bills suspending duty on acrylic fiber used to make carbon fiber. SGL Carbon Fiber is a major employer for Evanston, Wyoming. I am not affiliated with SGL Carbon Fiber in any way, but have seen this company contribute to our community in many positive ways including providing jobs, supporting community endeavors, and encouraging economic growth.

By suspending these duties, it will enable SGL Carbon Fiber to have an equal competitive advantage in the marketplace so that it cannot only maintain jobs but also expand and provide more jobs. I have seen SGL Carbon Fiber add jobs over the past few years; however, they are now in a position of reduction of jobs. These bills will allow them to replace those lost jobs and provide additional ones.