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# H. R. 2192

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. MCGOVERN 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. MARKING OF IMPORTED JEWELRY BOXES.**

4       (a) **MARKING REQUIREMENT.**—By no later than the  
5       date that is 1 year after the date of enactment of this  
6       Act, the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe and im-  
7       plement regulations that require that all jewelry boxes de-  
8       scribed in subsection (b) that enter, or are withdrawn from  
9       warehouse for consumption, into the customs territory of  
10      the United States have the English name of the country

1 of origin indelibly marked in a conspicuous place on such  
2 jewelry boxes by cutting, die-sinking, engraving, stamping,  
3 or some other permanent method. The exceptions from  
4 marking requirements provided for in section 304 of the  
5 Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1304) shall not apply to  
6 jewelry boxes subject to this section.

7 (b) JEWELRY.—The jewelry boxes referred to in sub-  
8 section (a) are jewelry boxes provided for in headings  
9 4202.92.60, 4202.92.90, and 4202.99.10 of the Har-  
10 monized Tariff Schedule of the United States.

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