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By Committee on Economic Development, Agriculture & Trade

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Beginning on page 2, line 29, after "rule;" strike all material through "beef." on page 3, line 8 and insert the following:

"NOW, THEREFORE, Your Memorialists respectfully pray that the United States Department of Agriculture: (1) Reaffirm to the Congress and the courts that the rule to lift the limited ban on importation of Canadian beef is based on sound scientific proof that consumer safety and animal health in the United States will be maintained; and (2) redouble its efforts to swiftly and successfully conclude negotiations with our trading partners to reestablish critical export markets for United States beef based on the same sound science."

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