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## **SUA Applauds House & Senate Committees for Advancing TPA Bill**

*Committee Action Sets the Stage for Floor Votes in Both Chambers*

Washington, DC (April 23, 2015) – Today, the [Sweetener Users Association](#) (SUA) released the following statement in response to the Senate Finance Committee and House Ways and Means Committee favorably reporting out *The Bipartisan Congressional Trade Priorities and Accountability Act of 2015* (TPA-2015).

“We applaud the leaders of the Senate Finance and House Ways and Means committees for working together in a bipartisan manner to advance the TPA-2015 bill through the committees this week.

“We urge House and Senate leadership to schedule floor votes on this important piece of legislation as soon as possible to ensure that America’s trade negotiators are able to get the best possible deals in ongoing trade negotiations, including the Trans-Pacific Partnership and the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership.

“Solid, market-opening U.S. trade agreements are central to the growth of the U.S. economy and jobs in all 50 states, including the estimated 600,000 in the sugar-using industry.”

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