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Sweetener Users Welcome Senate Vote on Bipartisan TPA Bill

Call on House to Pass the Legislation As Soon As Possible

Washington, DC (May 22, 2015) – Today, the [Sweetener Users Association](#) (SUA) released a statement following passage of the *Bipartisan Congressional Trade Priorities and Accountability Act of 2015* (TPA-2015).

“We applaud the Senate for advancing legislation that will ensure America’s trade negotiators are able to secure trade agreements that benefit U.S. businesses across the whole of the economy, including the sugar-using industry.

“As an industry supporting more than 600,000 American jobs, expanding market access around the globe for U.S. sugar-using manufacturers through trade agreements is critical to ensuring adequate supplies, maintaining the viability of the sector and jobs. Today’s Senate approval of the bipartisan Trade Promotion Authority bill helps put the United States on a solid path forward to continue negotiating and closing trade deals that benefit America.

“We urge House leadership to schedule a floor vote on TPA-2015 without delay.”

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