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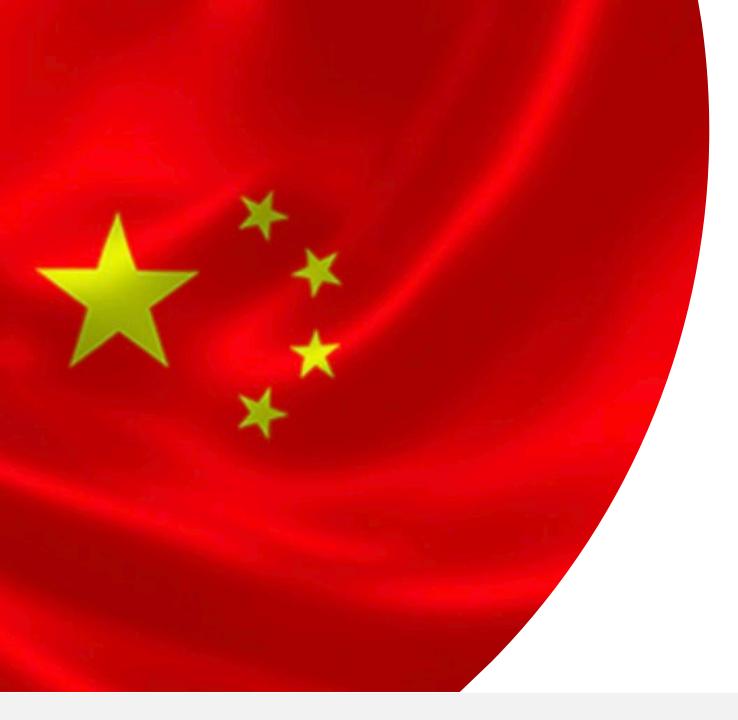








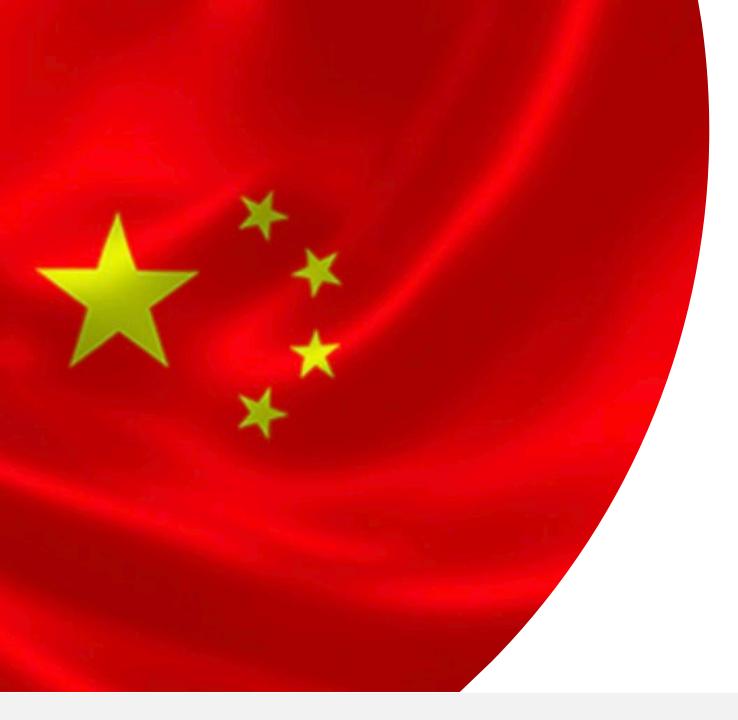




#### **301 China Tariffs**

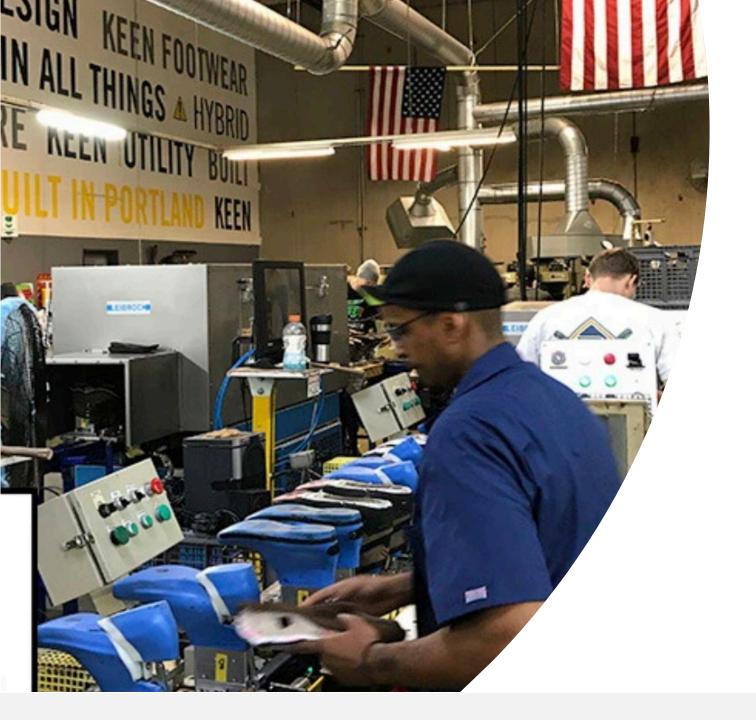
#### 3 key developments

- US-China tensions
- No tariff relief to address inflation
- Slow USTR review process



#### **301 China Tariffs**

- Lawsuit
- Exclusion Process
- Shifting mood in Congress



# Miscellaneous Tariff Bill or MTB

- What is the MTB?
  - Temporary and limited tariff relief
  - Products not available in the US
  - Narrowly defined
- How Does it Work?



### **Generalized System of Preferences or GSP**

- What is GSP?
  - Handbags but not footwear
  - 119 countries that meet program rules
- How Does it Work?

#### **Breakdown of Current Congress**

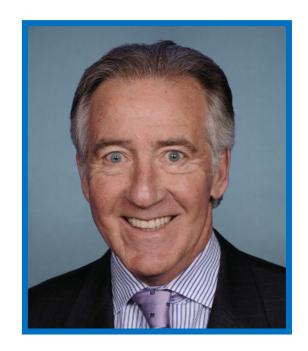
**Key Players on Trade Policy**The "Big Four" Committee Chairman on Trade



Ron Wyden (D-OR)
Chair
Senate Finance



Mike Crapo (R-ID)
Ranking Member
Senate Finance



Richard Neal (D-MA)
Chair
House Ways & Means



Kevin Brady (R-TX)
Ranking Member
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#### Can They Make A Deal?

TAA + MTB/GSP

- Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) for displaced workers
- Even for MTB, where no domestic production?



#### **Can They Make A Deal?**

- Gavel vs. Calendar
- Backup plan on GSP: "Refund Only" bill (H.R. 8906)



# **Uyghur Forced Labor Prevention Act or UFLPA**

- Applies to any good
- "Rebuttable presumption"
- Entity List
- Textile and apparel



#### **Supply Chain Challenges**

- Ocean shipping
- Railroad strike avoided
- Port negotiations?

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### Questions?



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