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H. R. 5619

To amend the SAFE Port Act to provide for the eligibility of certain third party logistics providers for participation in the Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism program.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 28, 2010

Mr. OWENS introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Homeland Security

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. ELIGIBILITY OF CERTAIN THIRD PARTY LOGIS-**
4 **TICS PROVIDERS FOR PARTICIPATION IN C-**
5 **TPAT PROGRAM.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 212 of the SAFE Port
7 Act (Public Law 109–347; 6 U.S.C. 962) is amended by
8 inserting after “contract logistics providers,” the fol-

1 lowing: “non-asset based third party logistics providers
2 that arrange international transportation of freight, in-
3 cluding motor carrier brokers of property licensed by the
4 Department of Transportation,”.

5 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The amendment made by
7 subsection (a) takes effect on the date of the enact-
8 ment of this Act and applies with respect to appli-
9 cants seeking to participate in the Customs–Trade
10 Partnership Against Terrorism (“C–TPAT”) pro-
11 gram on or after the date on which the regulations
12 published pursuant to paragraph (2) take effect.

13 (2) REGULATIONS.—The Secretary of Home-
14 land Security, acting through the Commissioner re-
15 sponsible for United States Customs and Border
16 Protection of the Department of Homeland Security,
17 shall publish in the Federal Register criteria for par-
18 ticipation in C–TPAT program of non-asset based
19 third party logistics providers described in section
20 212 of the SAFE Port Act, as added by subsection
21 (a), not later than 60 days after the date of the en-
22 actment of this Act.

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