



July 21, 2026

The Honorable Gus Bilirakis  
Chairman, Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade  
Committee on Energy and Commerce  
U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Jan Schakowsky  
Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade  
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Dear Chairman Bilirakis and Ranking Member Schakowsky:

The PACK Act Coalition thanks you for holding the Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade's upcoming consumer protection hearing, which will include consideration of the Packaging and Claims Knowledge (PACK) Act, H.R. 6832. This important legislation seeks to address inconsistencies in state laws governing recyclable, compostable, and reusable claims on consumer packaging.

We strongly support the PACK Act because it creates a federal framework under the Federal Trade Commission for making recyclable, compostable, and reusable claims on consumer packaging. We appreciate that this uniform structure will replace the confusing patchwork of state regulations, helping

businesses provide accurate and transparent information across state lines. By reducing consumer confusion and enabling informed choices, we believe the PACK Act will promote proper management of packaging materials at end-of-life, diverting them from landfills and advancing a circular economy.

We greatly appreciate the Subcommittee's attention to this issue and urge you to advance this critical legislation. We stand ready to support your efforts to enact the PACK Act. Please do not hesitate to contact Danielle Waterfield, AMERIPEN Policy Director & General Counsel, at [DanielleW@ameripen.org](mailto:DanielleW@ameripen.org) with any questions.

Sincerely,

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| Amcor                                              | International Sleep Products Association    |
| American Bakers Association                        | IPG                                         |
| American Beverage Association                      | Keurig Dr Pepper                            |
| American Chemistry Council                         | The Kraft Heinz Company                     |
| American Cleaning Institute                        | Lubrication Specialties                     |
| American Forest & Paper Association                | McCormick & Company                         |
| American Frozen Food Institute                     | Meat Institute                              |
| AMERIPEN                                           | Mondelez                                    |
| Biodegradable Products Institute                   | National Confectioners Association          |
| Can Manufacturers Institute                        | National Association of Manufacturers       |
| Carton Council                                     | NatureWorks                                 |
| Charter Next Generation                            | Nestlé USA                                  |
| CJ Biomaterials                                    | Novolex                                     |
| Conagra                                            | Paperboard Packaging Council                |
| Consumer Brands Association                        | PepsiCo                                     |
| Consumer Healthcare Products Association           | Personal Care Products Council              |
| Consumer Technology Association                    | Pet Food Institute                          |
| DART                                               | PLASTICS Industry Association               |
| Dow                                                | Plumbing Manufacturers International        |
| EPS Industry Alliance                              | Printing United Alliance                    |
| Ferrara Candy Company                              | Sazerac                                     |
| Ferrero                                            | SNAC International                          |
| Foodservice Packaging Institute                    | The Alternative Fuels & Chemicals Coalition |
| Flexible Packaging Association                     | The J.M. Smucker Company                    |
| General Mills                                      | The Marzetti Company                        |
| INDA, Association of the Nonwoven Fabrics Industry | The Plant Based Products Council            |
| International Dairy Food Association               | Toppan Packaging Americas                   |
| International Molded Fiber Association             | U.S. Chamber of Commerce                    |
|                                                    | Western Plastics Association                |
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