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Trump Issues Executive Orders

Imposing Tariffs on China, Canada, Mexico

On **February 1st**, **President Trump** issued an [executive order](#) to impose a 10% additional duty on **China**, 25% on **Mexico**, and 25% on **Canada**. He also decided that “energy goods” from **Canada** would be tariffed at 10%, instead of 25%.

Trump cited the reasons for these tariffs was the ongoing fentanyl and opioid crisis, and the national security of our northern and southern borders.

The effective date for the collection of the additional tariffs will be 12:01 am EST. Feb. 4th, though goods in transit as of 12:01 a.m. EST on Feb. 1 will not be subject to the duties.

If you have any questions concerning the above, you can contact the following individuals:

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