

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMM. PRINT 118-14
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Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. __. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

2 Congress—

3 (1) condemns the Government of Iran for the
4 1988 massacre, which led to as many as 30,000 exe-
5 cutions of political prisoners in Iran, and for denying
6 and for denying the evidence of this manifest set of
7 crimes against humanity;

8 (2) urges the Administration and the United
9 States and its allies to put on their agenda to help
10 the families of the victims of the Iranian regime to
11 identify and prosecute the perpetrators of the 1988
12 massacres and the massacres of protesters against
13 this regime in the recent uprisings;

14 (3) stands with the people of Iran, who are le-
15 gitimately defending their rights for freedom against
16 repression and condemns the brutal killing of Ira-
17 nian protesters by the Iranian regime;

18 (4) calls on the United States Government, in
19 cooperation with our ally Albania, to ensure the full
20 protection of the Iranian political refugees in Ashraf

1 3 in Albania many of whom were witnesses of the
2 1988 massacre and other political killings in Iran,
3 and for them to benefit from all rights stipulated in
4 the Geneva Convention 1951 and the European Con-
5 vention on Human Rights, including the right to life,
6 liberty, and security, and protection of property, as
7 well as freedom of expression and assembly; and
8 (5) recognizes the rights of the Iranian people
9 and their struggle to establish a democratic, secular,
10 and non-nuclear Republic of Iran.

