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Public Affairs Alliance of Iranian Americans



**Congressional Scorecard
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2007-2008**

About PAAIA

The Public Affairs Alliance of Iranian Americans (PAAIA) is a nonprofit, bipartisan, nonsectarian, independent organization that represents the domestic interests of the Iranian American community before U.S. policymakers, opinion makers and the American public at large. We work to expand opportunities for the active participation of Iranian Americans in the democratic process at all levels of government and in the public debate, and to foster greater understanding of our community and its Persian heritage. PAAIA seeks to achieve its mission by focusing on three major areas of activities: Community Building, Image Building, and Influence Building.

PAAIA's influence building objective is to engage U.S. policy makers and gain recognition for the Iranian American community as a credible and influential constituency that adds significantly to policy debates, and on whose support they can count. To that end, PAAIA is undertaking to work with other organizations to educate Iranian Americans about members of Congress and their positions on matters of interest, as well as about policy developments of interest, to advocate for policies and legislation that are in the best interests of our community, and to identify, promote and support qualified Iranian American candidates for public office.

Congressional Scorecard

The PAAIA 2007-2008 Congressional Scorecard rates members of Congress on certain votes and other positions taken in the House of Representatives and the Senate in the 110th Congress, which affect the domestic issues of the Iranian American community.

The primary purpose of the Scorecard is to ensure that Iranian Americans are informed about the voting records and performances of their members of Congress. In addition, the Scorecard ensures that members of Congress are aware that their votes and positions on issues of importance to the Iranian American community will be analyzed and made public. It examines votes and positions for only the years in question, and does not in any way reflect each individual's voting record in the past. The Scorecard is merely an informational tool used by PAAIA and its affiliated organizations and does not indicate our approval or disapproval of the Members of Congress in question.

The Scorecard is based on legislation or other issues currently before the U.S. Congress. PAAIA focuses on bills and congressional actions, which bear on two areas: civil liberties and immigration. The following analysis divides legislation into these categories. The analysis also states whether PAAIA supports (+) or opposes (-) each measure, and explains the reasoning behind PAAIA's decision.

PAAIA is focused on domestic U.S. affairs as they relate to the Iranian American community, and is not a platform for promoting U.S. foreign policy. However, we recognize that it is important that Iranian Americans be informed about legislative initiatives and the positions that their members of Congress are taking concerning this topic. Accordingly, we have profiled bills which are currently pending before the House and Senate concerning Iran and the United States. Senators and representatives who have introduced, cosponsored, or voted for the legislation have an (x) next to their name, rather than a (+) or (-). This is in keeping with PAAIA's neutrality on the subject.

SENATE

Immigration

1. S. 2205 ---The DREAM Act, introduced by Senator Richard Durbin (D-IL) on October 18th, 2007. The act amends the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to repeal the denial of an unlawful alien's eligibility for higher education benefits based on state residence. The act also authorizes the Secretary of Homeland Security to cancel the removal of aliens who (a) entered the U.S. before they turned 16, and have been present in the country for more than five years before the DREAM Act was adopted, (b) are of good character, (c) are not eligible for deportation, (d) have been admitted to an institution of higher education, or earned a high school or equivalent diploma, and (e) have never been under an order of exclusion, deportation, or removal from at least the age of 16. On October 24, 2007, the Senate voted against a cloture motion to proceed with the consideration of S.2205. Cloture motions in the Senate require a vote of 60 votes for approval. S. 2205 received only 52 votes. Senators who voted in favor of the motion will receive (+); those who voted against it will receive (-).

2. S. 1639 --- A bill to provide for comprehensive immigration reform and for other purposes was introduced by Senator Edward M. Kennedy (D-MA) on June 18, 2007. S. 1639 attempts to massively reform America's immigration system by strengthening border security and offering a path to citizenship to the estimated 12 million illegal immigrants currently residing in the U.S. It also increases family-sponsored immigrant visas until backlogs are adjudicated, and establishes a merit-based immigration evaluation system. S. 1639 creates a new preference category for parents of U.S. citizens who are at least 21 years old, and a new hardship category for people who would have met eliminated categories. It creates a new special visitor visa for parents of U.S. citizens and for spouses and minor children of Y-1 visa holders. In addition, S.1639 increases per-country limits for family based and employment based immigrants. Senators who voted for S. 1639 will receive a (+); those who voted against it will receive a (-).

3. S. 3084--- Introduced into the Senate by Senator Barbara Boxer (D-CA) on June 5, 2008. The bill amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to include among those aliens not subject to worldwide numerical immigrant limitations persons who have earned a master's or higher degree from a U.S. institution of higher education in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics, and who have an employment offer from a U.S. employer in a field related to one of these degrees. S. 3084 currently has 3 cosponsors and is pending before the Judiciary Committee. Cosponsors of S.3084 will receive a (+).

Civil Liberties

1. S. 1927 --- Also known as the Protect America Act, was introduced into the Senate on August 1, 2007 by Senator Mitch McConnell (R-KY), and was passed on August 3. The act amends the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (FISA) of 1978, allowing the director of national intelligence and the attorney general to authorize the surveillance of all communications involving foreign targets. The original FISA had required that a warrant be issued to conduct surveillance. S. 1927 allows for the monitoring of electronic communications of people inside the U.S. without a court order or oversight as long as the monitoring did not target one particular person "reasonably believed to be" in the country. It also allows the NSA to collect communications between people in foreign countries without a warrant, regardless of whether or not the communications travel through telecommunication equipment located in the United States. Senators who voted for S. 1927 will receive a (-); those who voted against it will receive a (+).

2. H.R. 6304 --- Discussed in the House section of this article, was passed in the Senate on July 9, 2008. Senators who voted for the bill will receive a (+).

Foreign Policy

1. S. 1430 --- Also known as the Iran Sanctions Enabling Act, was introduced into the Senate on May 17, 2007 by Senator Barack Obama (D-IL). The act authorizes state and local governments to adopt and enforce measures to divest their assets from, or prohibit investment in, companies with investments of \$20 million or more in Iran's energy sector. It also directs the Secretary of the Treasury to publish biannually in the Federal Register a list of everyone, inside or outside the United States, that has an investment of more than \$20 million in the energy sector in Iran, and to maintain the names of everyone on this list to the Department of Treasury website. S. 1430 currently has 37 cosponsors. It has been referred to the committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs but has not been voted on. Cosponsors of S. 1430 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

2. S. 970 --- Also known as the Iran Counter-Proliferation Act, was introduced into the Senate on March 22, 2007 by Senator Gordon H. Smith (R-OR). The act enlarges preexisting sanctions against Iran, amending the Iran Sanctions Act of 1996 to expand the definitions of "petroleum resources" and "person." It subjects Iran to specified economic sanctions unless the President certifies to Congress that Iran has dismantled all nuclear enrichment-related and reprocessing-related programs. The act also authorizes the president to carry out exchange programs with the people of Iran, and to make voluntary grant-based contributions to the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) for the creation of a nuclear fuel bank. S. 970 currently has 72 cosponsors. It has been referred to the Committee on Finance but has not been voted on. Cosponsors of S. 970 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

3. S. RES. 580 --- Introduced in the Senate on June 2, 2008. The resolution declares that preventing the Iranian government from acquiring a nuclear weapons capacity is vital to U.S. national security. It urges the President to use his authority to impose sanctions on Iranian banks who are supporting terrorist groups or engaging in proliferation activities, international banks conducting financial transactions with Iranian banks under sanction, energy companies with large investments in Iranian petroleum or natural gas, and all companies that do business with Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard. The resolution demands that the president lead an international effort to increase pressure on Iran to suspend its nuclear enrichment activities, and calls for a ban on the exportation of refined petroleum products to Iran. S. RES. 580 also states that nothing it advocates should be interpreted as authorizing the use of force against Iran. This resolution currently has 52 cosponsors. The resolution is pending before the Committee on Foreign Relations. Cosponsors of S.Res.580 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Immigration

1. H.R.1275 --- Introduced in the Senate as S.2205 or the "DREAM Act" (discussed above), was introduced in the House by Congressman Howard L. Berman (D-CA 28th) on March 1, 2007. H.R. 1275 currently has 86 cosponsors. It has been referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness but has not been voted on. Cosponsors of H.R. 1275 will receive a (+).

2. H.R.3217 --- Introduced by Congressman Ron Paul (R-TX 14th) on July 27, 2007. The bill, also known as the Terror Immigration Elimination Act of 2007, would prohibit the issuance of a student, training, vocational or diversity visa to an alien who is a national of Saudi Arabia, or of a country which the U.S. government designates as being a supporter of terrorism or as not cooperating fully with U.S. antiterrorism efforts. H.R. 3217 currently has 1 Cosponsors. It has been referred to the Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law but has not been voted on. Cosponsors of H.R. 3217 will receive a (-).

3. H.R.6039 --- Introduced by Congresswoman Zoe Lofgren (D-CA 16th) on May 13, 2008. The act amends the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize certain aliens who have earned a master's or higher degree from a United States institution of higher education in a field of science, technology, engineering, or mathematics to be admitted for permanent residence. H.R. 6039 currently has 34 cosponsors and is pending before the House Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law. Cosponsors of H.R. 6039 will receive a (+).

Civil Liberties

1. S.1927 -- Introduced in the Senate (discussed above), was passed in the House on August 4, 2007, and signed into law the following day. House members who voted for S.1927 will receive a (-); those who voted against it will receive a (+).

2. H.R. 6304 --- Also known as the FISA Amendments Act of 2008, was introduced in the House by Congressman Silvestre Reyes (D-TX 16th), and passed and signed into law on July 10, 2008. It would amend the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 to establish a procedure for authorizing certain acquisitions of foreign intelligence, and for other purposes. The act requires FISA court permission to wiretap Americans who are overseas, and prohibits targeting a foreigner to eavesdrop on an American's calls or emails without court approval. H.R. 6304 also prohibits the government from invoking war powers or other authorities to supercede surveillance rules in the future. Representatives who voted for the bill will receive a (+).

3. H.RES. 476 --- Introduced in the House by Congressman Marty Meehan (D-MA 5th) on June 11, 2007. The resolution condemns discrimination, violence, and bigotry against Iranian Americans. It acknowledges the diversity of the Iranian American community and its contributions to American society. At the same time, it expresses serious concern over increasing reports of discrimination against Iranian Americans and other Americans of Middle Eastern descent. It calls for government leaders and law enforcement personnel to insure that the civil liberties of Iranian Americans are protected, and to investigate and prosecute hate crimes. The resolution also encourages Iranian Americans to share incidents of discrimination they have experienced with local, state, and federal officials. H.RES.476 currently has 8 cosponsors. H.RES. 476 is pending before the House Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. Cosponsors will receive a (+).

Foreign Policy

1. H.R. 770 --- Also known as the Iran Nuclear Nonproliferation Act, was introduced by Congresswoman Barbara Lee (D-CA 9th) on January 31, 2007, and was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, as well as the Committees on Armed Services and Intelligence. H.R. 770 declares that (1) full diplomatic, political, and economic relations between the United States and Iran cannot be normalized unless enforceable safeguards are put in place to prevent weaponization of Iran's nuclear program and the government of Iran ends its support for international terrorist groups, but the attainment of these objectives should not constitute preconditions for any diplomatic dialogue; and (2) no congressional authorization for the use of military force in any act enacted before the date of enactment of this act constitutes an authorization for the use of military force against Iran or its nuclear program. The bill also prohibits funds available to the Department of Defense (DOD) or any other federal department or agency from being used to carry out any covert action for the purpose of causing regime change in Iran, or to carry out any military action against Iran in the absence of an imminent threat. H.R. 770 currently has 21 cosponsors. It has been referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations but has not been voted on. Cosponsors of H.R. 770 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

2. H.R. 2347 --- Introduced in the Senate as S.1430 (discussed above) was introduced in the House on May 16, 2007 by Congressman Barney Frank (D-MA 4th). H.R. 2347 passed in the House of Representatives on July 31, 2007 by a margin 408 – 6. Those who voted for H.R. 2347 will receive a (x) next to their names.

3. H.R. 3390 --- Introduced in the Senate as S. 970 (discussed above) was introduced in the House by Congressman Darrell Issa (R-CA 49th) on August 3, 2007. It was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Ways and Means, Oversight and Government Reform, and Intelligence for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker of the House. The legislation currently has 1 cosponsor and has not been voted on. Cosponsors of H.R. 3390 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

4. H.Con.Res.362 --- Introduced in the House by Congressman Gary L. Ackerman (D-NY 5th) on May 22, 2008. The resolution declares that preventing the Iranian government from acquiring a nuclear weapons capacity is vital to U.S. national security. It urges the President to use his authority to impose sanctions on: (1) Iranian banks engaged in proliferation activities or the support of terrorist groups; (2) international banks which conduct financial transactions with proscribed Iranian banks; (3) energy companies with large investments in the Iranian petroleum or natural gas sector; and (4) all companies which do business with Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps. The resolution demands that the president lead an international effort to increase pressure on Iran to suspend its nuclear enrichment activities, and calls for a ban on the exportation of refined petroleum products to Iran, imposing stringent inspection requirements on all persons, vehicles, ships, planes, trains, and cargo entering or departing Iran. H.Res.362 also states that nothing it advocates should be interpreted as authorizing the use of force against Iran. H.Con.Res362 currently has 280 sponsors, and is pending before the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. Cosponsors of H.Con.Res.362 will have a (x) placed next to their names.

SENATE

PAAIA Position	Immigration			Civil Liberties		Foreign Policy		
	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3
	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	None	None	None
Alabama								
Jeff Sessions (R)	-	-		-			x	x
Richard C. Shelby (R)	-	-		-	+			
Alaska								
Lisa Murkowski (R)	-	-		-	+		x	
Ted Stevens (R)	-	-		-	+		x	
Arizona								
Jon Kyl (R)	-	+		-	+		x	
John McCain (R)		+					x	
Arkansas								
Blanche L. Lincoln (D)	+	+		-	+		x	
Mark Pryor (D)	-	-		-	+	x	x	
California								
Barbara Boxer (D)		+	+			x	x	
Dianne Feinstein (D)	+	+		-	+			
Colorado								
Wayne A. Allard (R)	-	-		-	+		x	
Ken Salazar (D)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Connecticut								
Christopher J. Dodd (D)		+		+			x	
Joseph Lieberman (D)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Delaware								
Joseph Biden, Jr. (D)	+	+		+		x		
Thomas R. Carper (D)	+	+		-	+		x	x
Florida								
Mel Martinez (R)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Bill Nelson (D)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Georgia								
Saxby Chambliss (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Johnny Isakson (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Hawaii								
Daniel K. Akaka (D)	+	+		+			x	
Daniel K. Inouye (D)	+	+		-	+		x	
Idaho								
Larry E. Craig (R)	+	+		-	+		x	
Michael D. Carpo (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x

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	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3
	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	None	None	None
Illinois								
Richard J. Durbin (D)	+	+		+		x	x	
Barack Obama (D)	+	+		+	+	x	x	
Indiana								
Evan Bayh (D)	+	-		-	+		x	
Richard Lugar (R)	+	+			+			
Iowa								
Charles E. Grassley (R)	-	-		-	+			x
Tom Harkin (D)	+	-						
Kansas								
Sam Brownback (R)	+	-		-	+	x	x	x
Pat Roberts (R)	-	-		-	+	x	x	x
Kentucky								
Jim Bunning (R)	-	-			+		x	
Mitch McConnell (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Louisiana								
Mary Landrieu (D)	-	-		-	+		x	x
David Vitter (R)	-	-		-	+	x	x	x
Maine								
Susan Collins (R)	+	-		-	+	x	x	x
Olympia J. Snowe (R)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Maryland								
Ben Cardin (D)	+	+		+	+	x	x	x
Barbara A. Mikulski (D)	+	+		-		x	x	x
Massachusetts								
Edward M. Kennedy (D)		+		+		x	x	
John F. Kerry (D)	+	+			+	x	x	
Michigan								
Carl Levin (D)	+	+		+	+			x
Debbie Stabenow (D)	+	-		+	+		x	x
Minnesota								
Norm Coleman (R)	+	-		-	+	x	x	x
Amy Klobuchar (D)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Mississippi								
Thad Cochran (R)	-	-		-	+			x
T.Lott (R), R.Wicker (R)	-	+			+	x	x	x
Missouri								
Christopher S. Bond (R)	-	-		-	+			x
Claire McCaskill (D)	-	-		-	+			

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	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3
	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	None	None	None
Montana								
Max Baucus (D)	-	-		+		x	x	
Jon Tester (D)	-	-		+	+		x	
Nebraska								
Charles Hagel (R)	+	+		-	+			
Ben Nelson (D)	+	-		-	+	x	x	
Nevada								
John Ensign (R)	-	-		-	+		x	
Harry Reid (D)	-	+		+				
New Hampshire								
Judd Gregg (R)	+	+	+		+			x
John Sununu (R)	+	-		-	+		x	x
New Jersey								
Frank Lautenberg (D)	+	+		+	+	x	x	
Robert Menendez (D)	+	+		+	+	x	x	x
New Mexico								
Jeff Bingaman (D)	+	-		+				
Pete V. Domenici (R)	-	-		-	+			
New York								
Hillary R. Clinton (D)	+	+		+			x	
Charles E. Schumer (D)	+	+		+		x	x	
North Carolina								
Richard Burr (R)	-	-		-	+		x	
Elizabeth Dole (R)	-	-		-	+	x	x	x
North Dakota								
Kent Conrad (D)	-	+		-	+		x	x
Byron L. Dorgan (D)	-	-				x	x	x
Ohio								
Sherrod Brown (D)	+	-		+			x	
George Voinovich (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Oklahoma								
Tom Coburn (R)	-	-		-		x		x
James M. Inhofe (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Oregon								
Gordon Smith (R)	-	-		-	+	x		x
Ron Wyden (D)	+	+		+		x		x
Pennsylvania								
Bob Casey, Jr (D)	+	+		-	+	x	x	x
Arlen Specter (R)	-	+		-	+			

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	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	3
	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	None	None	None
Rhode Island								
Jack Reed (D)	+	+		+				
Sheldon Whitehouse (D)	+	+		+	+		x	
South Carolina								
Jim DeMint (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Lindsey Graham (R)	-	+		-	+		x	x
South Dakota								
Tim Johnson (D)	+				+	x	x	x
John Thune (R)	-	-		-	+	x	x	x
Tennessee								
Lamar Alexander (R)	-	-			+		x	x
Bob Corker (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x
Texas								
John Cornyn (R)	-	-		-	+	x	x	x
Kay B. Hutchison (R)	+	-		-	+		x	x
Utah								
Robert F. Bennet (R)	+	+		-	+		x	x
Orrin Hatch (R)	+	-		-	+			x
Vermont								
Patrick J. Leahy (D)	+	+		+				
Bernie Sanders (I)	+	-		+				
Virginia								
John W. Warner (R)	-	-		-	+			
Jim Webb (D)	+	-		-				
Washington								
Maria Cantwell (D)	+	+		+		x	x	x
Patty Murray (D)	+	+				x	x	x
West Virginia								
Robert C. Byrd (D)	-	-		+				
John D. Rockefeller (D)	+	-		+	+			
Wisconsin								
Russell D. Feingold (D)	+	+		+				
Herb Kohl (D)	+	+		+	+		x	
Wyoming								
Mike Enzi (R)	-	-		-	+			
C.Thomas (R) J.Barasso (R)	-	-		-	+		x	x

HOUSE

PAAIA Position	Immigration			Civil Liberties			Foreign Policy			
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
Alabama										
1 Jo Bonner (R)				-				x		x
2 Terry Everett (R)				-				x		
3 Mike Rogers (R)				-				x		x
4 Robert B. Aderholt (R)				-				x		x
5 Robert E. Cramer Jr. (D)				-				x		
6 Spencer Bachus (R)				-				x		
7 Artur Davis (D)			+	-				x		x
Alaska										
AL Don Young (R)								x		x
Arizona										
1 Rick Renzi (R)				-				x		x
2 Trent Franks (R)				-				x		x
3 John B. Shadegg (R)			+	-				x		x
4 Edward R. Pastor (D)	+		+	+	+			x		x
5 Harry Mitchell (D)				-				x		x
6 Jeff Flake (R)				-						
7 Raul M. Grijalva (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
8 Gabrielle Giffords (D)			+	+				x		x
Arkansas										
1 Marion Berry (D)				+				x		x
2 Vic Snyder (D)				-				x		
3 John Boozman (R)				-				x		x
4 Michael Ross (D)				-				x		x
California										
1 Mike Thompson (D)				+	+			x		x
2 Wally Herger (R)				-				x		x
D. Lungren, D.Ose (R)				-				x		x
4 John T. Doolittle (R)				-				x		
5 Dorris Matsui (D)				+	+			x		
6 Lynn C. Woolsey (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
7 George Miller (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
8 Nancy Pelosi (D)				+				x		
9 Barbara Lee (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
10 Ellen O. Tauscher (D)			+	+				x		x
11 Gerald McNeerney (D)				+				x		x
12 T. Lantos, J.Spier (D)	+				+			x		x
13 Fortney Pete Stark (D)				+			x	x		

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
14 Anna G. Eshoo (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
15 Michael M. Honda (D)	+		+	+	+	+		x		
16 Zoe Lofgren (D)	+		+	+	+	+		x		
17 Sam Farr (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
18 Dennis A. Cardoza (D)				+				x		x
19 George Radanovich (R)				-				x		x
20 Jim Costa (D)				-				x		x
21 Devin Nunes (R)				-				x		x
22 Kevin McCarthy (R)				-				x		x
23 Lois Capps (D)	+			+	+			x		
24 Elton Gallegly (R)				-				x		x
25 Howard P. McKeon (R)				-				x		
26 David Dreier (R)				-				x		x
27 Brad Sherman (D)				+				x		x
28 Howard L. Berman (D)	+		+	+				x		
29 Adam B. Schiff (D)	+			+				x		x
30 Henry A. Waxman (D)	+			+	+	+		x		x
31 Xavier Becerra (D)	+				+			x		
32 Hilda L. Solis (D)	+			+	+			x		
33 Diane E. Watson (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
34 Lucille Roybal-Allard (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
35 Maxine Waters (D)				+	+		x	x		
36 Jane F. Harman (D)	+			+				x		x
37 Laura Richardson (D)								x		x
38 Grace F. Napolitano (D)	+		+	+	+			x		x
39 Linda Sanchez (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
40 Edward R. Royce (R)				-				x		x
41 Jerry Lewis (R)				-				x		
42 Gary G. Miller (R)				-				x		x
43 Joe Baca (D)	+			+				x		x
44 Ken Calvert (R)				-				x		x
45 Mary Bono (R)				-				x		x
46 Dana Rohrabacher (R)				-				x		x
47 Loretta Sanchez (D)			+	+	+			x		x
48 John Campbell (R)			+	-		+		x		x
49 Darrel Issa (R)				-				x	x	x
50 Brian Bilbray (R)				-				x		x
51 Bob Filner (D)	+			+	+		x	x		x
52 Duncan Hunter (R)								x		

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
53 Susan A. Davis (D)	+			+	+			x		
Colorado										
1 Diana DeGette (D)	+			+	+			x		x
2 Mark Udall (D)	+			+				x		x
3 John T. Salazar (D)				-				x		x
4 Marilyn Musgrave (R)				-				x		x
5 Doug Lamborn (R)				-				x		x
6 Thomas Gerard Tancredo (R)										x
7 Ed Perlmutter (D)				+				x		
Connecticut										
1 John B. Larson (D)				+	+			x		
2 Joseph Cortney (D)				+	+			x		x
3 Rosa L. DeLauro (D)				+	+			x		
4 Christopher Shays (R)				-		+		x		x
5 Christopher Murphy (D)				+	+			x		x
Delaware										
AL Michael N. Castle (R)				-				x		
Florida										
1 Jeff Miller (R)				-						
2 Allen Boyd (D)				-				x		x
3 Corrine Brown (D)	+			+				x		x
4 Ander Crenshaw (R)								x		x
5 Ginny Brown- Waite (R)				-						x
6 Cliff Stearns (R)				-				x		x
7 John L. Mica (R)				-		+		x		x
8 Ric Keller (R)				-				x		
9 Gus Bilirakis (R)				-				x		x
10 C.W. Bill Young (R)				-				x		
11 Kathy Castor (D)	+			+				x		x
12 Adam H. Putnam (R)				-				x		x
13 Vern Buchanan (R)				-				x		x
14 Connie Mack IV (R)				-				x		x
15 Dave Weldon (R)				-				x		x
16 Tim Mahoney (D)				+				x		x
17 Kendrick Meek (D)	+			+	+			x		x
18 Ileana Ros-Lehtinen (R)	+			-						x
19 Robert Wexler (D)				+	+					x
20 Debbie Schultz (D)	+			+	+			x		x
21 Lincoln Diaz-Balart (R)	+			-				x		x
22 Ron Klein (D)								x		x

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
23 Alcee L. Hastings (D)	+			+				x		x
24 Tom Feeney (R)				-				x		x
25 Mario Diaz-Balart (R)	+			-				x		x
Georgia										
1 Jack Kingston (R)				-				x		x
2 Sanford D. Bishop, Jr. (D)				+				x		x
3 Lynn Westmoreland (R)				-				x		x
4 Hank Johnson (D)				+	+			x		x
5 John Lewis (D)				+	+			x		
6 Tom Price (R)				-				x		x
7 John Linder (R)				-				x		x
8 Jim Marshall (D)				-				x		x
9 Nathan Deal (D)				-				x		
10 Paul Broun (R)				-				x		x
11 Phil Gingrey (R)				-				x		x
12 John Barrow (D)				-				x		x
13 David Scott (D)				+				x		x
Hawaii										
1 Neil Abercrombie (D)	+			+	+					
2 Mazie K. Hirono (D)	+			+	+			x		
Idaho										
1 William T. Sali (R)				-				x		x
2 Michael K. Simpson (R)				-				x		x
Illinois										
1 Bobby L. Rush (D)				+				x		
2 Jesse L. Jackson, Jr. (D)	+			+	+			x		x
3 Dan Lipinski (D)				-				x		x
4 Luis V. Gutierrez (D)	+			+				x		
5 Emanuel Rahm (D)				+				x		x
6 Peter Roskam (R)				-				x		x
7 Danny K. Davis (D)				+	+		x	x		
8 Melissa L. Bean (D)				-				x		x
9 Janice D. Schakowsky (D)	+			+	+			x		x
10 Mark S. Kirk (R)				-				x		x
11 Jerry Weller (R)				-				x		x
12 Jerry F. Costello (D)				+	+			x		x
13 Judy Biggert (R)				-				x		x
14 Bill Foster (D)					+			x		
15 Timothy V. Johnson (R)				+	+					x

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	1 Yes	2 No	3 Yes	1 No	2 Yes	3 Yes	1 None	2 None	3 None	4 None
16 Donald A. Manzullo (R)				-				x		x
17 Phil Hare (D)				+	+			x		x
18 Ray LaHood (R)										
19 John Shimkus (R)				+				x		x
Indiana										
1 Peter J. Visclosky (D)				+				x		x
2 Joe Donnelly (D)				-				x		
3 Mark E. Souder (R)				-				x		x
4 Steve E. Buyer (R)				-				x		
5 Dan Burton (R)				-				x		x
6 Mike Pence (R)				-				x		x
7 Andre Carson (D)	+			+	+			x		
8 Brad Ellsworth (D)				-				x		x
9 Baron P. Hill (D)				-	+			x		
Iowa										
1 Bruce Braley (D)				+	+			x		
2 Dave Loebsack (D)				+	+			x		
3 Leonard L. Boswell (D)				-				x		
4 Tom Latham (R)				-				x		x
5 Steve King (R)				-				x		x
Kansas										
1 Jerry Moran (R)				-				x		x
2 Nancy Boyda (D)				+						
3 Dennis Moore (D)				+				x		
4 Todd Tiahrt (R)				-				x		x
Kentucky										
1 Ed Whitfield (R)				-				x		
2 Ron Lewis (R)				-				x		
3 John Yarmuth (D)				+				x		
4 Geoff Davis (R)				-				x		
5 Harold Rogers (R)				-				x		
B. Chandler, E.Fletcher (R)				-				x		x
Louisiana										
1 B.Jindal, S. Scalie (R)								x		x
2 William J. Jefferson (D)				+	+		x	x		
3 Charlie Melancon (D)				-				x		x
4 Jim McCrery (R)				-				x		x
5 Rodney Alexander (D)				-				x		x
6 Don Cazayoux (D)				-				x		x

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
7 Charles W. Boustany (R)				-				x		
Maine										
1 Thomas H. Allen (D)				+	+			x		
2 Michael H. Michaud (D)				+	+			x		x
Maryland										
1 Wayne T. Gilchrest (R)			+	-						
2 C.A. "Dutch" Ruppberger (D)				+				x		x
3 John Sarbanes (D)	+			+	+			x		x
4 A.Wynn, D.Edwards (D)	+			+	+			x		
5 Steny H. Hoyer (D)				+				x		x
6 Roscoe G. Bartlett (R)				-						x
7 Elijah E. Cummings (D)	+			+	+			x		
8 Chris Van Hollen, Jr. (D)				+	+			x		x
Massachusetts										
1 M.Meehan (D), J.Oliver(D)	+			+	+	+	x	x		
2 Richard E. Neal (D)				+	+			x		
3 James P. McGovern (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
4 Barney Frank (D)				+	+		x	x		x
5 Niki Tsongas (D)				+	+			x		x
6 John F. Tierney (D)				+	+			x		
7 Edward J. Markey (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
8 Michael E. Capuano (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
9 Stephen F. Lynch (D)				+	+			x		
10 William D. Delahunt (D)			+	+	+			x		
Michigan										
1 Bart Stupak (D)				+				x		
2 Peter Hoekstra (R)				-				x		x
3 Vernon J. Ehlers (R)				-				x		
4 Dave Camp (R)				-				x		x
5 Dale E. Kildee (D)				+				x		
6 Fred Upton (R)				-				x		
7 Tim Wallberg (R)				-				x		x
8 Michael J. Rogers (R)				-				x		x
9 Joseph Knollenberg (R)				-				x		x
10 Candice S. Miller (R)				-				x		x
11 Thaddeus G. McCotter (R)				-				x		x
12 Sander M. Levin (D)				+	+			x		x
13 Carolyn C. Kilpatrick (D)					+			x		
14 John Conyers Jr. (D)			+	+	+		x	x		

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
15 John D. Dingell (D)				+	+			x		
Minnesota										
1 Tim Walz (D)				-	+			x		
2 John Kline (R)				-				x		x
3 Jim Ramstad (R)				-				x		x
4 Betty McCollum (D)				+	+			x		
5 Keith Ellison (D)	+			+	+			x		
6 Michelle Bachmann (R)				-				x		x
7 Collin C. Peterson (D)				-				x		
8 James L. Oberstar (D)				+	+			x		
Mississippi										
1 R.Wicker(R) T. Childers(D)				-				x		x
2 Bennie G. Thompson (D)				+				x		x
3 C.W. "Chip" Pickering, Jr. (R)				-				x		
4 Gene Taylor (D)				-				x		
Missouri										
1 William L. Clay (D)					+			x		
2 Todd Akin (R)				-				x		x
3 Russ Carnahan (D)				+	+			x		x
4 Ike Skelton (D)								x		
5 Emanuel Cleaver II (D)	+			+				x		x
6 Samuel B. Graves (R)				-				x		x
7 Roy Blunt (R)				-				x		x
8 Jo Ann H. Emerson (R)				-				x		x
9 Kenny C. Hulshof (R)				-				x		
Montana										
AL Dennis R. Rehberg (R)				-				x		x
Nebraska										
1 Jeff Fortenberry (R)				-				x		x
2 Lee Terry (R)				-				x		x
3 Adrian Smith (R)				-				x		x
Nevada										
1 Shelley Berkley (D)	+			+				x		x
2 Dean Heller (R)				-				x		x
3 Jon C. Porter (R)				-				x		x
New Hampshire										
1 Carol Shea-Porter (D)				+	+			x		
2 Paul Hodes (D)				+	+			x		x

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
New Jersey										
1 Robert E. Andrews (D)	+			+	+			x		
2 Frank LoBiondo (R)				-				x		x
3 Jim Saxton (R)								x		x
4 Christopher H. Smith (R)				-				x		x
5 Scott Garrett (R)				-				x		x
6 Frank Pallone, Jr. (D)				+	+			x		x
7 Michael A. Ferguson (R)				-				x		x
8 Bill Pascrell Jr. (D)				+	+			x		
9 Steven R. Rothman (D)	+			+	+			x		x
10 Donald M. Payne (D)				+	+			x		
11 Rodney Frelinghuysen (R)				-				x		x
12 Rush D. Holt (D)	+			+	+			x		
13 Albio Sires (D)	+			+				x		x
New Mexico										
1 Heather Wilson (R)				-				x		
2 Steve Pearce (R)				-				x		
3 Tom Udall (D)				+	+			x		
New York										
1 Tim H. Bishop (D)				+				x		x
2 Steve J. Israel (D)				+	+			x		x
3 Peter T. King (R)				-				x		x
4 Carolyn McCarthy (D)	+			+				x		x
5 Gary L. Ackerman (D)	+			+				x		x
6 Gregory W. Meeks (D)	+			+				x		
7 Joseph Crowley (D)	+		+	+				x		x
8 Jerrold Nadler (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
9 Anthony D. Weiner (D)	+			+	+					x
10 Edolphus Towns (D)	+			+	+			x		x
11 Yvett Clarke (D)	+				+		x			
12 Nydia M. Velazquez (D)	+			+	+			x		
13 Vito Fosella (R)				-				x		x
14 Carolyn B. Maloney (D)	+		+	+	+	+		x		x
15 Charles B. Rangel (D)	+			+	+			x		
16 Jose E. Serrano (D)	+			+	+			x		
17 Eliot L. Engel (D)				+				x		x
18 Nita M. Lowey (D)	+			+				x		x
19 John Hall (D)				+	+			x		x
20 Kristen Gillibrand (D)				+				x		x

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	1 Yes	2 No	3 Yes	1 No	2 Yes	3 Yes	1 None	2 None	3 None	4 None
21 Michael R. McNulty (D)				+	+					x
22 Maurice D. Hinchey (D)				+	+			x		
23 John M. McHugh (R)				-				x		x
24 Micheal Arcuri (D)				+				x		x
25 James T. Walsh (R)				-				x		x
26 Thomas M. Reynolds (R)				-				x		x
27 Brian Higgens (D)				-				x		x
28 Louise M. Slaughter (D)				+	+			x		x
29 Randy Kuhl (R)				-				x		x
North Carolina										
1 George Butterfield (D)				+				x		
2 Bob Etheridge (D)				-				x		
3 Walter B. Jones Jr. (R)				+						
4 David E. Price (D)	+			+	+			x		
5 Virginia Foxx (R)				-				x		x
6 Howard Coble (R)								x		x
7 Mike McIntyre (D)				-				x		x
8 Robin Hayes (R)										x
9 Sue Wilkins Myrick (R)				-				x		x
10 Patrick McHenry (R)				-				x		x
11 Heath Shuler (D)				-						x
12 Melvin L. Watt (D)				+	+		x	x		
13 Brad Miller (D)				+	+			x		x
North Dakota										
AL Earl Pomeroy (D)				-				x		
Ohio										
1 Steve Chabot (R)				-				x		x
2 Jean Schmidt (R)				-				x		x
3 Michael R. Turner (R)				-				x		x
4 Jim Jordan (R)				-				x		x
5 Bob Latta (R)				-				x		x
6 Charlie Wilson (D)				-				x		x
7 David L. Hobson (R)				-				x		
8 John Boehner (R)				-				x		
9 Marcy Kaptur (D)				+	+			x		
10 Dennis J. Kucinich (D)	+			+	+		x	x		
11 Stephanie Tubbs Jones (D)				+	+			x		x
12 Patrick J. Tiberi (R)				-				x		x
13 Betty S. Sutton (D)				+	+					x

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	1 Yes	2 No	3 Yes	1 No	2 Yes	3 Yes	1 None	2 None	3 None	4 None
14 Steven C. LaTourette (R)				-				x		x
15 Deborah Pryce (R)				-				x		x
16 Ralph Regula (R)				-				x		
17 Tim J. Ryan (D)				+	+			x		x
18 Zack Space (D)				-				x		x
Oklahoma										
1 John Sullivan (R)				-				x		x
2 Don Boren (D)				-				x		x
3 Frank D. Lucas (R)				-				x		x
4 Tom Cole (R)				-				x		x
5 Mary Fallin (R)				-				x		x
Oregon										
1 David Wu (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
2 Greg Walden (R)				-				x		x
3 Earl Blumenauer (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
4 Peter A. DeFazio (D)				+	+		x	x		
5 Darlene Hooley (D)				+	+					
Pennsylvania										
1 Robert A. Brady (D)				+	+			x		x
2 Chaka Fattah (D)	+			+	+			x		x
3 Philip S. English (R)				-				x		x
4 Jason Altmire (D)				-				x		x
5 John E. Peterson (R)				-				x		
6 Jim Gerlach (R)				-				x		x
7 Joe Sestak (D)				+				x		x
8 Patrick Murphy (D)				+				x		x
9 Bill Shuster (R)				-				x		x
10 Christopher Carney (D)				-				x		x
11 Paul E. Kanjorski (D)				+				x		
12 John P. Murtha (D)				+				x		
13 Allyson Y. Schwartz (D)				+	+			x		x
14 Mike F. Doyle (D)				+	+			x		x
15 Charles W. Dent (R)				-				x		x
16 Joseph R. Pitts (R)				-				x		
17 Tim Holden (D)				+				x		x
18 Timothy F. Murphy (R)				-				x		x
19 Todd R. Platts (R)				-				x		x
Rhode Island										
1 Patrick J. Kennedy (D)			+	+	+			x		x

PAALA Position	Immigration			Civil Liberties			Foreign Policy			
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
2 James R. Langevin (D)	+			+				x		x
South Carolina										
1 Henry E. Brown Jr. (R)				-				x		x
2 Joe Wilson (R)				-				x		x
3 J. Gresham Baret (R)				-				x		x
4 Bob Inglis (R)				-				x		x
5 John M. Spratt, Jr. (D)				+				x		x
6 James E. Clyburn (D)				+				x		
South Dakota										
Stephanie Herseth (D)				-				x		x
Tennessee										
1 David Davis (R)				-				x		x
2 John J. Duncan (R)				-				x		
3 Zach Wamp (R)				-				x		x
4 Lincoln Davis (D)				-				x		x
5 Jim Cooper (D)				-				x		x
6 Bart Gordon (D)				-				x		x
7 Marsha Blackburn (R)				-				x		x
8 John S. Tanner (D)				-				x		
9 Stephen Cohen (D)				+	+			x		
Texas										
1 Loiue Gohmert (R)				-				x		x
2 Ted Poe (R)				-				x		x
3 Sam Johnson (R)										x
4 Ralph M. Hall (D)				-				x		x
5 Jeb Hensarling (R)				-				x		x
6 Joe Barton (R)				-				x		
7 John A. Culberson (R)				-				x		x
8 Kevin Brady (R)				-				x		
9 Al Green (D)	+			+				x		x
10 Michael McCaul (R)			+	-				x		x
11 Mike Conaway (R)				-				x		x
12 Kay Granger (R)				-				x		x
13 William "Mac" Thornberry (R)				-				x		
14 Ron E. Paul (R)		-						x		
15 Ruben Hinojosa (D)	+							x		
16 Silvestre Reyes (D)	+			+				x		
17 Chet Edwards (D)				-				x		x
18 Sheila Jackson Lee (D)	+			+	+			x		x

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
19 Randy Neugebauer (R)				-				x		
20 Charles A. Gonzalez (D)	+			+	+			x		x
21 Lamar S. Smith (R)				-				x		x
22 Nicholas Lampson (R)				-				x		x
23 Ciro Rodriguez (D)				-				x		x
24 Kenny Marchant (R)				-				x		x
25 Lloyd Doggett (D)				+	+		x	x		
26 Michael C. Burgess (R)				-				x		x
27 Soloman P. Ortiz (D)	+			+				x		
28 Henry Cuellar (D)			+	-				x		x
29 Gene Green (D)	+			+				x		x
30 Eddie Bernice Johnson (D)				+	+			x		
31 John R. Carter (R)			+	-				x		
32 Pete Sessions (R)			+	-				x		x
Utah										
1 Rob Bishop (R)				-				x		x
2 James David Matheson (D)				-				x		x
3 Chris Cannon (R)			+	-				x		x
Vermont										
Peter Welch (D)				+	+			x		
Virginia										
1 J.A. Davis (R), R. Whitman (R).										x
2 Thelma Drake (R)				-				x		x
3 Robert C. Scott (D)				+	+			x		
4 J. Randy Forbes (R)				-				x		
5 Virgil H. Goode, Jr. (R)								x		
6 Bob Goodlatte (R)				-				x		x
7 Eric I. Cantor (R)				-				x		x
8 James P. Moran (D)			+	+	+	+		x		x
9 Rick Boucher (D)				+				x		
10 Frank R. Wolf (R)				-				x		
11 Thomas M. Davis (R)			+	-				x		
Washington										
1 Jay Inslee (D)				+	+			x		
2 Richard R. Larsen (D)	+			+	+			x		
3 Brian Baird (D)				+				x		
4 Doc Hastings (R)				-				x		x
5 Cathy McMorris Rodgers (R)				-				x		x
6 Norman D. Dicks (D)				+				x		x

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	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	4
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	None	None	None	None
7 Jim McDermott (D)	+		+	+	+			x		
8 David Reichart (R)			+	-				x		x
9 Adam Smith (D)	+		+	+				x		x
West Virginia										
1 Alan B. Mollohan (D)				+	+			x		
2 Shelley Moore Capito (R)				-				x		x
3 Nick J. Rahall II (D)				+				x		
Wisconsin										
1 Paul D. Ryan (R)				-				x		x
2 Tammy Baldwin (D)				+	+			x		
3 Ron Kind (D)				+				x		x
4 Gwen S. Moore (D)	+			+	+			x		
5 F.J. Sensenbrenner, Jr. (R)				-				x		
6 Thomas E. Petri (R)				-				x		
7 David R. Obey (D)				+	+			x		
8 Steve Kagen (D)				+	+			x		x
Wyoming										
Barbara Cubin (R)				-						x