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# H. R. 3992

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 9, 2012

Mr. BERMAN (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## 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. NONIMMIGRANT TRADERS AND INVESTORS**  
4 **FROM ISRAEL.**

5 Israel shall be deemed to be a foreign state described  
6 in section 101(a)(15)(E) of the Immigration and Nation-  
7 ality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(15)(E)) for purposes of  
8 clauses (i) and (ii) of such section if the Government of

- 1 Israel provides similar nonimmigrant status to nationals
- 2 of the United States.

