## 105TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## H. R. 1974

To amend the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978 to eliminate current Federal subsidies for alcoholic beverage promotions overseas.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 19, 1997

Mr. Kennedy of Massachusetts introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

## 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. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "End Taxpayer Pro-
- 5 motion of Alcohol Overseas Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON PROMOTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEV-
- 7 ERAGES.
- 8 Section 203 of the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978
- 9 (7 U.S.C. 5623) is amended by adding at the end the fol-
- 10 lowing:

- 1 "(h) Prohibition on Promotion of Alcoholic
- 2 Beverages.—None of the funds appropriated or other-
- 3 wise made available to carry out this section may be used
- 4 to promote the sale or export of alcohol or alcoholic bev-

5 erages.".

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