H. R. 2094

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore the 80-percent deduction for meal and entertainment expenses.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 14, 2003

Mr. Foley introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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. RESTORATION OF 80-PERCENT DEDUCTION
- 4 FOR MEAL AND ENTERTAINMENT EXPENSES.
- 5 (a) In General.—Subsection (n) of section 274 of
- 6 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to only 50
- 7 percent of meal and entertainment expenses allowed as de-
- 8 duction) is amended—
- 9 (1) by striking "50 percent" in paragraph (1)
- and inserting "80 percent", and

- 1 (2) by striking "50 PERCENT" in the subsection
- 2 heading and inserting "80 PERCENT".
- 3 (b) Conforming Amendment.—Subsection (n) of
- 4 section 274 of such Code is amended by striking para-
- 5 graph (3).
- 6 (c) Effective Date.—The amendments made by
- 7 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after
- 8 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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