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H. RES. 635

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) must allow taxpayers the same lame excuses for missing documentation that the IRS itself is currently proffering.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. STOCKMAN submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

RESOLUTION

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The resolution may be cited as the “Dog Ate My Tax Receipts Resolution”.

Whereas, the IRS claims that convenient, unexplained, miscellaneous computer malfunction is sufficient justification not to produce specific, critical documentation; and

Whereas, fairness and Due Process demand that the American taxpayer be granted no less latitude than we afford the bureaucrats employed presently at the IRS: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the House of Rep-
2 resentatives that unless and until the Internal Revenue
3 Service produces all documentation demanded by sub-
4 poena or otherwise by the House of Representatives, or
5 produces an excuse that passes the red face test,

6 All taxpayers shall be given the benefit of the doubt
7 when not producing critical documentation, so long as the
8 taxpayer's excuse therefore falls into one of the following
9 categories:

10 (1) The dog ate my tax receipts

11 (2) Convenient, unexplained, miscellaneous
12 computer malfunction

13 (3) Traded documents for five terrorists

14 (4) Burned for warmth while lost in the Yukon

15 (5) Left on table in Hillary's Book Room

16 (6) Received water damage in the trunk of Ted
17 Kennedy's car

18 (7) Forgot in gun case sold to Mexican drug
19 lords

20 (8) Forced to recycle by municipal Green Czar

21 (9) Was short on toilet paper while camping

22 (10) At this point, what difference does it
23 make?

- 1 In any case, IRS can see the NSA for a good, high quality
- 2 copy.

