

Everett	Latham	Rohrabacher	Murtha	Roybal-Allard	Strickland	Stark	Torres	Waters
Ewing	LaTourette	Ros-Lehtinen	Nader	Rush	Stupak	Strickland	Towns	Waxman
Fawell	Lazio	Rothman	Oberstar	Sabo	Tanner	Stupak	Velazquez	Wise
Foley	Leach	Roukema	Obey	Sanchez	Thompson	Thurman	Vento	Woolsey
Forbes	Lewis (CA)	Royce	Olver	Sanders	Thurman			
Fossella	Lewis (KY)	Ryun	Ortiz	Sandlin	Tierney		NAYS—350	
Fowler	Linder	Salmon	Owens	Sawyer	Torres	Abercrombie	Ensign	LaTourette
Fox	Livingston	Sanford	Pallone	Schumer	Towns	Ackerman	Etheridge	Lazio
Franks (NJ)	LoBiondo	Saxton	Pascarell	Scott	Velazquez	Aderholt	Everett	Leach
Frelinghuysen	Lucas	Scarborough	Pastor	Serrano	Vento	Allen	Ewing	Levin
Galleghy	Luther	Schaefer, Dan	Payne	Sherman	Visclosky	Archer	Fattah	Lewis (CA)
Ganske	Manzullo	Schaffer, Bob	Pelosi	Skaggs	Waters	Armey	Fawell	Lewis (KY)
Gekas	McCarthy (NY)	Sensenbrenner	Peterson (MN)	Skelton	Watt (NC)	Bachus	Fazio	Linder
Gibbons	McCollum	Sessions	Pickett	Slaughter	Waxman	Baesler	Foley	Lipinski
Gilchrest	McCrery	Shadegg	Pomeroy	Smith, Adam	Wexler	Baker	Forbes	Livingston
Gillmor	McDade	Shaw	Poshard	Snyder	Weygand	Baldacci	Ford	LoBiondo
Gilman	McHugh	Shays	Price (NC)	Spratt	Wise	Barcia	Fossella	Lowe
Goode	McInnis	Shimkus	Rahall	Stabenow	Woolsey	Barr	Fowler	Lucas
Goodlatte	McIntosh	Shuster	Rangel	Stenholm	Wynn	Barrett (NE)	Fox	Luther
Goodling	McIntyre	Sisisky	Rodriguez	Stokes		Bartlett	Franks (NJ)	Maloney (CT)
Goss	McKeon	Skeen				Barton	Frelinghuysen	Maloney (NY)
Graham	Metcalf	Smith (MI)				Bass	Frost	Manton
Granger	Mica	Smith (NJ)	Bereuter	Harman	Reyes	Bateman	Furse	Manzullo
Greenwood	Miller (FL)	Smith (OR)	Carson	Jenkins	Riley	Bentsen	Galleghy	Martinez
Gutknecht	Minge	Smith (TX)	Clay	Johnson (CT)	Schiff	Bereuter	Ganske	Mascara
Hall (TX)	Moran (KS)	Smith, Linda	Cubin	Lantos	Solomon	Berman	Gekas	Matsui
Hansen	Morala	Snowbarger	Foglietta	McKinney	Yates	Berry	Gibbons	McCarthy (MO)
Hastert	Myrick	Souder	Gonzalez	Neal		Bilbray	Gilchrest	McCarthy (NY)
Hastings (WA)	Nethercutt	Spence				Bilirakis	Gillmor	McCollum
Hayworth	Neumann	Stark				Bishop	Gilman	McCrery
Hefley	Ney	Stearns				Blagojevich	Goode	McDade
Herger	Northup	Stump				Bliley	Goodlatte	McGovern
Hill	Norwood	Sununu				Blumenauer	Goodling	McHale
Hilleary	Nussle	Talent				Blunt	Gordon	McHugh
Hobson	Oxley	Tauscher				Boehlert	Goss	McInnis
Hoekstra	Packard	Tauzin				Boehner	Graham	McIntosh
Horn	Pappas	Taylor (MS)				Bonilla	Granger	McIntyre
Hostettler	Parker	Taylor (NC)				Bono	Green	McKeon
Houghton	Paul	Thomas				Borski	Greenwood	Meehan
Hulshof	Paxon	Thornberry				Boswell	Gutknecht	Metcalf
Hunter	Pease	Thune				Boucher	Hall (OH)	Mica
Hutchinson	Peterson (PA)	Tiahrt				Boyd	Hall (TX)	Millender-
Hyde	Petri	Traficant				Brady	Hamilton	McDonald
Inglis	Pickering	Turner				Bryant	Hansen	Miller (FL)
Istook	Pitts	Upton				Bunning	Hastert	Minge
John	Pombo	Walsh				Burr	Hastings (WA)	Moakley
Johnson, Sam	Porter	Wamp				Burton	Hayworth	Mollohan
Jones	Portman	Watkins				Buyer	Hefley	Moran (KS)
Kasich	Pryce (OH)	Watts (OK)				Callahan	Herger	Moran (VA)
Kelly	Quinn	Weldon (FL)				Calvert	Hill	Morella
Kim	Radanovich	Weldon (PA)				Camp	Hilleary	Murtha
Kind (WI)	Ramstad	Weller				Campbell	Hilliard	Myrick
King (NY)	Redmond	White				Canady	Hinojosa	Nadler
Kingston	Regula	Whitfield				Cannon	Hobson	Nethercutt
Klug	Riggs	Wicker				Cardin	Hoekstra	Neumann
Knollenberg	Rivers	Wolf				Castle	Holden	Ney
Kolbe	Roemer	Young (AK)				Chabot	Hooley	Northup
LaHood	Rogan	Young (FL)				Chambliss	Horn	Norwood
Largent	Rogers					Chenoweth	Hostettler	Nussle
						Christensen	Houghton	Obey
						Clay	Hoyer	Ortiz
						Coble	Hulshof	Oxley
						Coburn	Hunter	Packard
						Collins	Hutchinson	Pappas
						Combest	Hyde	Parker
						Condit	Inglis	Pascarell
						Cook	Istook	Pastor
						Cooksey	Jackson (IL)	Paul
						Costello	Jackson-Lee	Paxon
						Cox	(TX)	Pease
						Cramer	Jenkins	Peterson (PA)
						Crane	John	Petri
						Crapo	Johnson (CT)	Pickering
						Cummings	Johnson (WI)	Pitts
						Cunningham	Johnson, E. B.	Pombo
						Danner	Johnson, Sam	Pomeroy
						Davis (IL)	Jones	Portman
						Davis (VA)	Kanjorski	Portman
						Deal	Kaptur	Poshard
						DeGette	Kasich	Price (NC)
						Delahunt	Kelly	Pryce (OH)
						DeLay	Kennedy (RI)	Quinn
						Dellums	Kennelly	Radanovich
						Diaz-Balart	Kildee	Rahall
						Dickey	Kilpatrick	Ramstad
						Dicks	Kim	Redmond
						Dixon	Kind (WI)	Regula
						Dooley	King (NY)	Riggs
						Doolittle	Kingston	Rivers
						Doyle	Klecza	Roemer
						Dreier	Klink	Rogan
						Duncan	Klug	Rogers
						Dunn	Knollenberg	Rohrabacher
						Edwards	Kolbe	Ros-Lehtinen
						Ehlers	Kucinich	Rothman
						Ehrlich	LaHood	Roukema
						Emerson	Lampson	Roybal-Allard
						Engel	Largent	Royce
						English	Latham	Rush

## NOT VOTING—17

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Mr. ROEMER changed his vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the motion to table the motion to reconsider was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. JENKINS. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 599, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

## MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, I have a privileged motion at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. GIBBONS). The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. DOGGETT moves that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to adjourn offered by the gentleman from Texas [Mr. DOGGETT].

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. DOGGETT. Mr. Speaker, on that, I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 66, nays 350, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 600]

YEAS—66

Andrews	Evans	McNulty
Barrett (WI)	Farr	Meek
Becerra	Filner	Menendez
Bonior	Flake	Miller (CA)
Brown (CA)	Frank (MA)	Mink
Brown (FL)	Gejdenson	Oberstar
Brown (OH)	Gephardt	Olver
Clement	Harman	Pallone
Clyburn	Hastings (FL)	Payne
Conyers	Hefner	Pelosi
Coyne	Hinchey	Peterson (MN)
Davis (FL)	Jefferson	Pickett
DeFazio	LaFalce	Rangel
DeLauro	Lantos	Rodriguez
Deutsch	Lewis (GA)	Sabo
Dicks	Loftgren	Sanchez
Dingell	Markey	Scott
Dixon	McDermott	Skelton
Doggett		

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Abercrombie	Dooley	Kaptur
Ackerman	Doyle	Kennedy (MA)
Allen	Edwards	Kennedy (RI)
Andrews	Engel	Kennelly
Baldacci	Eshoo	Kildee
Barcia	Etheridge	Kilpatrick
Becerra	Evans	Klecza
Berman	Farr	Klink
Berry	Fattah	Kucinich
Bishop	Fazio	LaFalce
Blagojevich	Filner	Lampson
Blumenauer	Flake	Levin
Bonior	Ford	Lewis (GA)
Borski	Frank (MA)	Lipinski
Boucher	Frost	Loftgren
Brown (CA)	Furse	Lowe
Brown (FL)	Gejdenson	Maloney (CT)
Brown (OH)	Gephardt	Maloney (NY)
Cardin	Gordon	Manton
Clayton	Green	Markey
Clement	Gutierrez	Martinez
Clyburn	Hall (OH)	Mascara
Conyers	Hamilton	Matsui
Costello	Hastings (FL)	McCarthy (MO)
Coyne	Hefner	McDermott
Cummings	Hilliard	McGovern
Danner	Hinchey	McHale
Davis (IL)	Hinojosa	McNulty
DeFazio	Holden	Meehan
DeGette	Hooley	Meek
Delahunt	Hoyer	Menendez
DeLauro	Jackson (IL)	Millender-
Dellums	Jackson-Lee	McDonald
Deutsch	(TX)	Miller (CA)
Dicks	Jefferson	Mink
Dingell	Johnson (WI)	Moakley
Dixon	Johnson, E. B.	Mollohan
Doggett	Kanjorski	Moran (VA)

Ryun	Smith (OR)	Tiaht
Salmon	Smith (TX)	Tierney
Sanders	Smith, Adam	Trafficant
Sandlin	Smith, Linda	Turner
Sanford	Snowbarger	Upton
Sawyer	Snyder	Visclosky
Saxton	Solomon	Walsh
Scarborough	Souder	Wamp
Schaefer, Dan	Spence	Watkins
Schaffer, Bob	Spratt	Watt (NC)
Schumer	Stabenow	Watts (OK)
Sensenbrenner	Stearns	Weldon (FL)
Serrano	Stenholm	Weldon (PA)
Sessions	Stump	Weller
Shadegg	Sununu	Wexler
Shaw	Talent	Weygand
Shays	Tanner	White
Sherman	Tauscher	Whitfield
Shimkus	Tauzin	Wicker
Sisisky	Taylor (MS)	Wolf
Skaggs	Taylor (NC)	Wynn
Skeen	Thomas	Young (AK)
Slaughter	Thompson	Young (FL)
Smith (MI)	Thornberry	
Smith (NJ)	Thune	

## NOT VOTING—17

Ballenger	Gutierrez	Riley
Carson	Kennedy (MA)	Schiff
Clayton	McKinney	Shuster
Cubin	Neal	Stokes
Foglietta	Owens	Yates
Gonzalez	Reyes	

□ 1921

Mr. McNULTY changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

# UNITED STATES-TAIWAN ANTI-BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE COOPERATION ACT

Mr. GILMAN. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 302, I call up the bill (H.R. 2386) to implement the provisions of the Taiwan Relations Act concerning the stability and security of Taiwan and United States cooperation with Taiwan on the development and acquisition of defensive military articles, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. GIBBONS). The bill is considered read for amendment.

The text of H.R. 2386 is as follows:

H.R. 2386

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

## SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "United States-Taiwan Anti-Ballistic Missile Defense Cooperation Act".

## SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

The Congress finds the following:

(1) The stability and security of Taiwan and the balance of power in the Taiwan Strait are key elements for the continued peace and stability of the greater Asia-Pacific region, and the indefinite continuation of such stability and security and balance of power is in the vital national security interest of the United States.

(2) The People's Republic of China is currently engaged in a comprehensive military modernization campaign that is enhancing the power-projection capabilities of the People's Liberation Army, including the introduction of advanced ballistic and cruise missiles that could alter the current balance of power in the Taiwan Strait and in the greater Asia-Pacific region.

(3) The current lack of transparency in the People's Republic of China military infrastructure and its associated defense establishment and the opaqueness of the comprehensive efforts of the People's Liberation Army to modernize its ballistic and cruise missile programs could spark a regional arms race that would destabilize the East Asia and Western Pacific regions and threaten vital United States national security interests.

(4) In March 1996, the People's Liberation Army created a temporary, but de facto, blockade of both the international shipping lanes of the Taiwan Strait and the international airspace around Taiwan by conducting live-fire military exercises which included the launch of several advanced, nuclear-capable M-9 ballistic missiles to target areas close to major ports in both the northern and southern areas of Taiwan.

(5) In March 1996, the locations of People's Liberation Army military activities and M-9 missile target areas nearby to Taiwan's two largest ports, Keelung and Kaohsiung, created a de facto blockade of the Taiwan Strait, international waters and airspace, interfered with United States and international shipping and aviation, and impinged upon the national security interests of the United States, requiring the immediate deployment of two United States aircraft carrier battle groups to the South China Sea.

(6) The actions of the People's Liberation Army in such close proximity to Taiwan were deliberate attempts to disrupt Taiwan's social and economic stability and were carried out as attempts to intimidate the people of Taiwan during the period leading up to Taiwan's historic first democratic presidential election.

(7) The early development and deployment of an effective United States theater missile defense system to the Asia-Pacific region, and the adjustment of United States policy to include Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, under the protection of such defense system, would be prudent and appropriate responses to—

(A) the refusal by the People's Republic of China to renounce the use of force to determine the future of Taiwan;

(B) the nature of the military threat of the People's Republic of China posed by the increased focus of the People's Liberation Army on advanced missile development; and

(C) the demonstrated intent of the Government of the People's Republic of China to use live-fire military exercises and ballistic missile tests against the people and Government of Taiwan as tools of so-called coercive missile tests against the people and Government of Taiwan as tools of so-called coercive diplomacy.

(8) The early deployment of a United States theater anti-ballistic missile system in the Asia-Pacific region would maintain a balance of power in the Taiwan Strait and deter the People's Republic of China from resorting to military intimidation tactics to coerce or manipulate the people and freely-elected Government of Taiwan in the future.

(9) Taiwan's local air-defense capability provided by the United States Modified Air Defense System (MADS) is not adequate for the task of defending local areas of Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, from limited ballistic missile attacks or deterring the threat and use of force against Taiwan by the People's Liberation Army to achieve the political goals of the core leadership of the People's Republic of China.

(10) Taiwan has requested further United States cooperation on missile defense, including the conduct of a joint architecture study of the requirements for the establishment and operation of a missile defense sys-

tem for Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu.

## SEC. 3. APPLICABILITY OF TAIWAN RELATIONS ACT.

Section 3 of the Taiwan Relations Act (22 U.S.C. 3302) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(d) The provisions of subsections (a) and (b) supersede any provision of the Joint Communiqué of the United States and China of August 17, 1982."

## SEC. 4. STUDY AND REPORT RELATING TO ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A THEATER BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEM IN THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION.

(a) STUDY.—The Secretary of Defense shall carry out a study of the architecture requirements for the establishment and operation of a theater ballistic missile defense system in the Asia-Pacific region that would have the capability to protect Taiwan from ballistic missile attacks. The study shall include a description of appropriate measures by which the United States would cooperate with Taiwan and provide Taiwan with an advanced local-area ballistic missile defense system.

(b) REPORT.—Not later than July 1, 1998, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to the Committee on National Security of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate a report containing—

(1) the results of the study conducted under subsection (a);

(2) the factors used to obtain such results;

(3) a description of any existing United States missile defense system that could be transferred to Taiwan in accordance with the Taiwan Relations Act in order to allow Taiwan to provide for its self-defense against limited ballistic missile attacks.

(c) FORM OF REPORT.—The report under subsection (b) shall be submitted in both classified and unclassified form.

## SEC. 5. TRANSFER OF BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE SYSTEMS TO TAIWAN.

It is the sense of the Congress that the President, if requested by the Government of Taiwan and in accordance with the results of the study conducted under section 4, should transfer to the Government of Taiwan appropriate defense articles or defense services under the foreign military sales program under chapter 2 of the Arms Export Control Act (22 U.S.C. 2761 et seq.) for the purpose of establishing and operating a local-area ballistic missile defense system to protect Taiwan, including the Penghu Islands, Kinmen, and Matsu, against limited ballistic missile attacks.

## SEC. 6. STATEMENT OF POLICY RELATING TO UNITED STATES THEATER MISSILE DEFENSES FOR THE ASIA-PACIFIC REGION.

The Congress declares that it is in the national interest of the United States that Taiwan be included in any effort at ballistic missile defense cooperation, networking, or interoperability with friendly and allied nations in the Asia-Pacific region.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 302, the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the bill and modified by the amendments printed in part 4 of House Report 105-379 is adopted.

The text of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute as amended pursuant to House Resolution 302 is as follows:

H.R. 2386

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*