

## CONGRESSIONAL EARMARKS, LIMITED TAX BENEFITS, OR LIMITED TARIFF BENEFITS

Under clause 9 of rule XXI, lists or statements on congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits were submitted as follows:

## OFFERED BY MR. CONYERS

The provisions in H.R. 6304, the FISA Amendments Act of 2008, that warranted a referral to the Committee on the Judiciary do not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9(d), 9(e), or 9(f) of rule XXI.

## OFFERED BY MR. REYES

In accordance with clause 9 of rule XXI of the Rules of the House of Representatives,

H.R. 6304, the FISA Amendments Act of 2008, does not contain any congressional earmarks, limited tax benefits, or limited tariff benefits as defined in clause 9(d), 9(e), or 9(f) of rule XXI.

## DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 6041: Mr. CARTER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. MARCHANT, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. CONAWAY.

H. Res. 356: Mr. CONAWAY.

## PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

279. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Common Council of the City of Ithaca, New York, relative to a Resolution calling for talks to begin as early as possible between the Chinese Government and His Holiness the Dalai Lama to discuss ending the repression of Tibetan demonstrations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

280. Also, a petition of the Common Council of the City of New Britain, Connecticut, relative to Resolution No. 30074 expressing opposition to the war in Iraq after its misleading and deceptive methods of garnering initial support; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Foreign Affairs.