

**AMENDMENT TO STATE, FOREIGN OPERATIONS,
AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS BILL
OFFERED BY MR. NEWHOUSE OF WASHINGTON**

At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert
the following:

1 LIMITATION ON FUNDS TO REPAY DEBT OWED TO THE
2 GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE’S REPUBLIC OF CHINA
3 SEC. __. None of the funds made available in this
4 Act may be used directly or indirectly to repay debt owed
5 to the Government of the People’s Republic of China or
6 any instrumentality thereof.



In the report, at the appropriate place, insert the following:

Prohibition on Repayment of Debts Owed to the Government of the People’s Republic of China.—The bill includes a prohibition on the use of U.S. foreign assistance provided under this Act from being used by recipient countries to repay bilateral debts owed to the Government of the People’s Republic of China.