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# H. R. 1644

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 15, 2011

Mr. RIVERA introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## 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. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN ASSISTANCE TO**  
4 **REFUGEES.**

5 Section 412(e) of the Immigration and Nationality  
6 Act (8 U.S.C. 1522(e)) is amended by adding at the end  
7 the following:

1       “(9) No cash assistance or medical assistance may  
2 be provided under this subsection to any refugee who,  
3 after entering the United States, travels to a country the  
4 government of which the Secretary of State has deter-  
5 mined has repeatedly provided support for acts of inter-  
6 national terrorism pursuant to section 6(j) of the Export  
7 Administration Act of 1979 (50 U.S.C. App. 2405(j)), sec-  
8 tion 620A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22  
9 U.S.C. 2371), or section 40 of the Arms Export Control  
10 Act (22 U.S.C. 2781).”.

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