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H. R. 2746

To amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to provide for the restriction on assistance to the Government of Indonesia.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 7, 1995

Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island (for himself and Mrs. LOWEY) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “East Timor Human
5 Rights Accountability Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. RESTRICTION ON ASSISTANCE TO THE GOVERN-**
7 **MENT OF INDONESIA.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 620 of the Foreign Assist-
9 ance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2370) is amended by adding
10 at the end the following new subsection:

1 “(y) Assistance may not be provided under this or
2 any other Act for a fiscal year to the Government of Indo-
3 nesia unless the President determines and certifies to the
4 Congress that—

5 “(1) assistance provided under this or any other
6 Act for the preceding fiscal year to such Government
7 has not been used to violate human rights in East
8 Timor or to support the occupation of East Timor
9 by Indonesia; and

10 “(2) such Government has provided assurances
11 to the President that assistance to be provided for
12 the current fiscal year will not be used to violate
13 human rights in East Timor or to support the occu-
14 pation of East Timor by Indonesia.”.

15 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The restriction on assistance
16 contained in section 620(y) of the Foreign Assistance Act
17 of 1961, as added by subsection (a), shall apply only with
18 respect to assistance provided in fiscal years beginning on
19 or after the date of the enactment of this Act.

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