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H. RES. 438

Expressing the sense of the House regarding the transfer to the People's Republic of China of technology that can be used in the development of strategic nuclear missiles.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

May 14, 1998

Mr. Ryun (for himself, Mr. Bliley, Mr. Miller of Florida, Mr. Hostettler, Mr. King, Mr. Inglis of South Carolina, Mr. Peterson of Pennsylvania, Mr. Stark, Mr. Pappas, Mr. Hilleary, Mrs. Cubin, Mrs. Fowler, Mr. Stump, Mr. Saxton, Mr. Tiahrt, Mr. Dickey, Mr. Snowbarger, Mr. Wamp, and Ms. Danner) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House regarding the transfer to the People's Republic of China of technology that can be used in the development of strategic nuclear missiles.

- Whereas missile guidance technology has already been transferred to a Chinese company that is involved in the production of strategic nuclear missiles;
- Whereas the People's Republic of China has refused to join the 29-nation Missile Technology Control Regime;
- Whereas it cannot be certified that the People's Republic of China is not transferring missile technology to Iran,

Pakistan, or other nations that have not joined the Missile Technology Control Regime; and

Whereas the People's Republic of China has threatened to use strategic nuclear missiles against the United States: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That it is the sense of the House of Rep-
- 2 resentatives that the President and the Congress should
- 3 act to ensure that no technology that can be used to de-
- 4 velop strategic nuclear missiles is transferred to the Peo-
- 5 ple's Republic of China unless—
- 6 (1) the People's Republic of China joins the
- 7 Missile Technology Control Regime;
- 8 (2) the People's Republic of China guarantees
- 9 that it does not and will not transfer strategic nu-
- 10 clear or other missile technology to Iran, Pakistan,
- or other nations that have not joined the Missile
- 12 Technology Control Regime; and
- 13 (3) the President certifies to the Congress that
- no such transfer is occurring or is likely to occur.

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