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Expressing the sense of the Congress that all Chinese people, including the people of Taiwan, deserve to be represented in international institutions.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. CAMPBELL submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the Congress that all Chinese people, including the people of Taiwan, deserve to be represented in international institutions.

Whereas the people of Taiwan enjoy a free economy with the 19th largest gross domestic product in the world yet that economy, due to political difficulties, is not represented in world economic fora;

Whereas the people of Taiwan have the 14th largest trade economy in the world and the 7th largest amount of foreign investment in the world and hold one of the largest amounts of foreign exchange reserves in the world;

Whereas the people of Taiwan are committed to the economic and political norms of the international community;

Whereas the denial of representation to the people of Taiwan from international institutions weakens the ability of those institutions to speak for all the people of our world and is unfair to the people of Taiwan; and

Whereas such representation would not affect the international legal status of the people of Taiwan or of China:
Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of the Congress that it
3 should be United States policy to support the representa-
4 tion of all Chinese people, including the people of Taiwan,
5 in international institutions.

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