

Mr. HAYWORTH. Mr. Speaker, I rise in strong support of the aforementioned legislation by my friend from Ohio and urge other Members to join us in this effort.

Mr. Speaker, there is a gulf between the rhetoric of Washington and the reality of everyday life in America. Not only are religious broadcasters under attack from this administration and its political appointees, also over our break we heard the Occupational Safety and Health Administration was going to come into one's home if one had a personal work station, if one was a telecommuter.

Mr. Speaker, it is in that spirit that I bring quite literally hope to the House floor today, the Home Office Protection Enhancement Act. Because even though the administration has backed away, now we know that rhetoric does not square with the reality.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, I would call on our President tonight to make sure that his words match his actions and to ensure that the only snow job in Washington was the blizzard visited upon the East Coast earlier this week.

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RETURN ELIAN GONZALEZ TO HIS FATHER

(Mr. RODRIGUEZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. RODRIGUEZ. Mr. Speaker, I believe Elian Gonzalez should be allowed to return to his father. If it would be

the reverse and we would have our child in Cuba, we would expect no difference.

Our responsibility is to look beyond the political issues. It is unfortunate that this issue has been politicized. It is unfortunate that it has gotten to this point.

If we look at our own present law, we would have allowed that individual to go to the father and to his grandmothers. The extended family that is there, even within the courts, should not have any jurisdiction. I feel very strongly that Americans should also be supportive of this. It is unfortunate that it has been tainted with politics and that that youngster has been used in politics.

I have heard also that, why is not the father here? Well, it is my understanding, I know that the gentleman from New York (Mr. SERRANO) has advised him not to come to the United States because they were concerned that, legally, he would have been detained here and a subpoena would also have forced him to be here. He also has another family.

We need to be conscientious. If we look at family values, we need to return Elian Gonzalez back to Cuba.

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OPPOSITION TO GRANTING PERMANENT NORMAL TRADE RELATIONS TO CHINA

(Mr. WOLF asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his re-

marks and include therein extraneous material.)

Mr. WOLF. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to express my grave concern in granting China permanent normal trade relations. A recent Zogby International poll shows that the American people overwhelmingly oppose granting permanent trade relations with China until human rights and religious freedom improve.

Sixty-eight percent of the Republicans, 70 percent of the Democrats, 65 percent of Independents insist on better human rights and religious freedom within China before establishing permanent MFN. Every age group, every gender, every income, every political spectrum insists on human rights.

The American people know about the Chinese government's continued persecution of the Protestant House Church. They know the Chinese Government has seven Catholic Bishops in jail. They know that the Chinese has 10 Catholic priests in prison.

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They know they have plundered Tibet, and they know they are persecuting the Muslims.

I personally believe if the Congress votes to grant permanent normal trade relations, or MFN, for China, Congress will be on the wrong side of the American people and I believe on the wrong side of history.

Mr. Speaker, I provide for the RECORD documents in support of my comments.

39. Should the US have a permanent open market with China and admit the country to the global trade system or should the US insist on better human rights and freedom of religion in China before we establish a permanent open market?

	Total		Region				Party				Primary			Union												
	f	%	East		South		CentGrLk		West		Democrat		Republican		Cannot Vote		Yes		No/NS							
			f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%						
Open Market	212	21.2	61	24.4	54	20.8	70	21.9	27	15.7	81	19.4	77	20.3	54	26.6	101	20.3	91	20.7	20	31.3	47	23.2	165	20.7
Human Rights	686	68.5	168	67.2	172	66.4	217	67.8	129	75.0	294	70.3	259	68.2	133	65.5	346	69.5	303	69.0	37	57.8	139	68.5	547	68.5
NS	103	10.3	21	8.4	33	12.7	33	10.3	16	9.3	43	10.3	44	11.6	16	7.9	51	10.2	45	10.3	7	10.9	17	8.4	86	10.8
Total	1001	100.0	250	100.0	259	100.0	320	100.0	172	100.0	418	100.0	380	100.0	203	100.0	498	100.0	439	100.0	64	100.0	203	100.0	798	100.0

	US Direction				Personal Finances				Age Group—B															
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	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%
Open Market	148	25.4	58	16.7	6	8.3	101	24.2	27	19.4	83	18.9	1	20.0	6	17.1	23	23.5	92	22.0	62	23.0	28	16.2
Human Rights	390	67.0	250	72.0	46	63.9	283	67.9	95	68.3	307	69.8	1	20.0	25	71.4	65	66.3	297	70.9	179	66.3	118	67.1
NS	44	7.6	39	11.2	20	27.8	33	7.9	17	12.2	50	11.4	3	60.0	4	11.4	10	10.2	30	7.2	29	10.7	29	16.8
Total	582	100.0	347	100.0	72	100.0	417	100.0	139	100.0	440	100.0	5	100.0	35	100.0	98	100.0	419	100.0	270	100.0	173	100.0

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	Total		Born Again		Ideology						Gender		Work Outside													
	f	%	Yes		No/NS		Prog/VLiberal		Liberal		Moderate		Conservative		Very Cons		NS		Male		Female		Yes		No/NS	
			f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%	f	%
Open Market	212	21.2	37	15.7	57	23.8	15	25.0	42	24.0	85	23.4	54	17.3	12	19.4	3	11.1	108	28.7	104	16.6	59	17.2	45	16.0
Human Rights	686	68.5	177	75.0	147	61.5	42	70.0	117	66.9	247	68.0	222	70.9	44	71.0	14	51.9	236	62.8	450	72.0	247	71.8	203	72.2
NS	103	10.3	22	9.3	35	14.6	3	5.0	16	9.1	31	8.5	37	11.8	6	9.7	10	37.0	32	8.5	71	11.4	38	11.0	33	11.7
Total	1001	100.0	236	100.0	239	100.0	60	100.0	175	100.0	363	100.0	313	100.0	62	100.0	27	100.0	376	100.0	625	100.0	344	100.0	281	100.0

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