

115TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. R. _____

To prohibit the use of funds for certain parades.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. VEASEY introduced the following bill; which was referred to the
Committee on _____

A BILL

To prohibit the use of funds for certain parades.

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 “Preventing Allocation
5 of Resources for Absurd Defense Expenditures Act” or the
6 “PARADE Act”.

7 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITION ON USE OF FUNDS FOR CERTAIN PA-**
8 **RADES.**

9 (a) IN GENERAL.—None of the funds appropriated
10 or otherwise made available for the Department of De-
11 fense or for the White House or the Executive Office of
12 the President may be used for a covered parade.

1 (b) COVERED PARADE.—In this section, the term
2 “covered parade” means a parade that—

3 (1) is sponsored by the Department of Defense
4 or by the White House or the Executive Office of the
5 President; and

6 (2) is not a parade that has been held to com-
7 memorate a holiday or special event during the ten-
8 year period preceding the date of the enactment of
9 this Act.