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Redress bill gains support in Congress

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Both the House and Senate versions of "The Civil Liberties Act Amendments of 1992," S.2553/H.R. 4551, are awaiting floor action. The Senate Governmental Affairs Committee passed S.2553 on August 5 and the House Judiciary Committee passed H.R. 4551 on August 11. The House bill has 91 co-sponsors and the Senate bill has 10 sponsors to date.

Karen Narasaki, JAACL Washington, D.C. representative, said that many of the JAACL members who had written letters of support to their congressmembers were receiving responses from them citing the lack of committee action as a reason for not taking a position on the bill. Narasaki said, "Since both bills are now out of their respective committees, members of Congress no longer have that as an excuse to not co-sponsor the bill."

The Senate co-sponsors include: Brock Adams (D-Wa.), Daniel Akaka (D-Hawaii), Alan Cranston (D-Cal.), Slade Gorton (R-Wa.), Daniel Inouye (D-Hawaii), Bob Packwood (R-Or.), Warren Rudman (R-NH), John Seymour (R-Cal.), Paul Simon (D-Ill.) and Ted Stevens (R-Ak.). Narasaki urged the community to meet with their representatives and senators this month when Congress is in recess and urge them to become a co-sponsor, if they are not one

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already, and to pass the legislation as soon as Congress reconvenes September 8. Following is a list of the House co-sponsors.

Neil Abercrombie (D-HI), Chester Atkins (D-MA), Les AuCoin (D-OR), Richard Baker (R-LA), Howard Berman (D-CA), Ben Blaz (R-Guam), Barbara Boxer (D-CA), Albert Bustamante (D-TX), Tom Campbell (R-CA), William Clay (D-MO), John Conyers (D-CA), Ronald Dellums (D-CA), Peter DeFazio (D-OR), Julian Dixon (D-CA), Mervyn Dymally (D-

CA), Don Edwards (D-CA), Eliot Engel (D-NY), Lane Evans (D-IL), Eni Faleomavaega (D-AS), Dante Fascell (D-FL), Vic Fazio (D-CA), Edward Feighan (D-OH), Hamilton Fish (R-NY), Richard Gephardt (D-MO), Benjamin Gilman (R-NY), Newt Gingrich (R-GA), Henry Gonzales (D-TX), Frank Guarini (D-NJ), Charles Hayes (D-IL), George Hochbrueckner (D-NY), Joan Kelly Horn (D-MO), Frank Horton (D-NY), William Hughes (D-NJ), Henry Hyde (R-IL), Andrew Jacobs (D-IN), Jim Jontz (D-IN), Joseph Kennedy III (D-MA), Dale Kildee (D-MI), Michael Kopetski (D-OR), Peter Kostmayer (D-PA), Tom Lantos (D-CA), Richard Lehman (D-CA), William Lehman (D-FL), Mel Levine (D-CA), Tom Manton (D-NY), Nick

Mavroules (D-MA), Matthew Martinez (D-CA), Robert Matsui (D-CA), Jim McDermott (D-WA), Michael McNulty (D-NY), George Miller (D-CA), John Miller (R-WA), Norman Mineta (D-CA), Patsy Mink (D-HI), John Moakley (D-MA), Jim Moody (D-WI), Sid Morrison (R-WA), Robert Mrazek (D-NY), Eleanor Holmes Norton (D-DC), Major Owens (D-NY), Wayne Owens (D-UT), Leon Panetta (D-CA), Ed Pastor (D-AZ), Nancy Pelosi (D-CA), Charles Rangel (D-NY), Bill Richardson (D-NM), Robert Roe (D-NJ), Ed Roybal (D-CA), Bernard Sanders (I-VT), George Sangmeister (D-IL), Patricia Schroeder (D-CO), Charles Schumer (D-NY), Jose Serrano (D-NY), David Skaggs (D-CO), Stephen Solarz (D-NY), Fourtney Pete Stark (D-CA), Louis Stokes (D-OH), Gerry Studds (D-MA), Al Swift (D-WA), Esteban Torres (D-CA), Edolphus Towns (D-NY), Jolene Unsoeld (D-WA), Bruce Vento (D-MN), James Walsh (R-NY), Maxine Waters (D-CA), Ted Weiss (D-NY), Pat Williams (D-MT), Howard Wolpe (D-MD), Ron Wyden (D-OR), Sidney Yates (D-IL). ☐