

Massachusetts U.S. Representatives' Support for Selected Legislation - 2015

Title and Description		Peace Action Position	Date	Neal	McGovern	Tsongas	Kennedy	Clark	Moriton	Capuano	Lynch	Keating
Ukraine	H. Res. 162 Engel (D-NY)	Call on the President to provide Ukraine with military assistance	No	23-Mar	348-48							
	Royce-Engel Letter Royce (R-CA), Engel (D-NY)	Caution President on Iran	No	20-Mar	376							
Iran	H.R. 3461 Boehner(R-OH)	Iran Nuclear Agreement	Yes	11-Sep	162-269							
	Boycott Netanyahu's Address (No Sponsor)	Boycott Netanyahu's Joint Session Address	Yes	3-Mar	48							
Military Budget	H. Con. Res 27 Amdt. 1 Ellison (D-MN)	People's Budget	Yes	25-Mar	96-330							
	H.R. 1735 Thornberry (R-TX)	National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) - \$612 billion	No	15-May	269-151							
	H.R. 2685 Amdt.482 Lee(D-CA)	End funding under 2001 AUMF in Dec 2015	Yes	10-Jun	157-270							
	H.R. 2028 Amdt.180 Quigley (D-IL)	Reduce funding for new nuclear armed cruise missile	Yes	1-May	164 - 257							
	H.R. 1735 Amdt. 227 Blumenauer(D-OR)	Eliminate slush fund for new nuclear weapon submarines -move to regular military budget	Yes	15-May	43-375							
Iraq / Syria	H. Con. Res. 55 McGovern (D-MA)	Remove U.S. armed forces from Iraq and Syria	Yes	17-Jun	139-288	Sponsor						
	H.R 4038 McCaul(R-TX)	Tighten background investigations on Iraq and Syrian Refugees (SAFE Act of 2015)	No	19-Nov	289-137							
Trade	H.R. 1314 Motion Meehan (R-PA)	Trade Adjustment Assistance Act	No	12-Jun	302-126							
	H.R. 1314 Motion Meehan (R-PA)	Trade Promotion Authority (Fast Track)	No	12-Jun	219-211							
Palestine	Eshoo Letter Eshoo (D-CA)	Letter to John Kerry on Palestinian Children	Yes	17-Jul	18 Signers							
	H. Res. 293 Ros-Lehtinen (R-FL)	(CO-SPONSORSHIP) Express concern over anti-semitic and anti-Israel incitement within the Palestinian Authority	No	2-Nov	71 Sponsors							co-sponsor
	H. Res. 318 Curbelo (R-FL)	(CO-SPONSORSHIP) Condemn boycotts of Israeli academic institutions	No	16-Jun	36 Sponsors					co-sponsor		

% Score	Score indicates percentage of active participation that is consistent with MAPA position	57%	93%	71%	57%	86%	33%	86%	64%	47%
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Green = Signature/vote consistent with Massachusetts Peace Action's position, Red = Signature/vote against MAPA position, Grey = Absent. For Palestine legislation, representatives receive negative evaluations based on sponsorship



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