

The families of the victims of September 11, 2001

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# On 9/11 Commission Response Bill

We, the 9/11 Families for a Secure America, are closely monitoring the actions of Congress and its Conferees as they hammer out a bill to implement the 9/11 Commission's recommendations.

Even though the 108<sup>th</sup> Congress is at its very end, we urge it to let the bill die until the next Congress rather than further weaken the immigration and border security provisions.

9/11 Families for a Secure America has reviewed both S. 2875 and H.R. 10. We support H.R. 10 because of it immigration provisions, and the fact that they are much stronger than those in the Senate bill. The Senate bill will not prevent future attacks like those that murdered our loved ones. Without serious immigration provisions, the Senate bill will leave America still as vulnerable as it was on September 11, 2001. We need real immigration change.

We strongly support and will publicly aid any Member of Congress who votes against a bill implementing the 9/11 Commission's recommendations, if it does <u>not</u> include the original immigration provisions in H.R. 10. We ask that our elected officials listen to the American people and the families that lost sons, daughters, siblings, husbands, wives, mothers and fathers on September 11, 2001 at the hands of terrorists who exploited our immigration system.

We will not forget, nor will we let America forget, those Members of Congress who choose to protect illegal aliens over American citizens. The next terrorist attack will be because of their lack of leadership as an elected official.

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