

ALERT

ATR to KEY-VOTE <u>FOR</u> the Motion to Recommit the Farm Bill since it is a VIOLATION of the TAX PAYER PROTECTION PLEDGE

HR 2419, the Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act, is being touted as reform, but it is nothing of the sort. It is more of the misguided subsidies that prevent the free market from existing in agriculture, drives up prices, and rewards the richest corporate farms with tax dollars. It also includes a provision that raises taxes, a violation of the Tax Payer Protection Pledge.

The Taxpayer Protection Pledge has been signed by 196 Congressmen, 42 Senators, and President Bush. Members of both parties have signed the Pledge. In part, it binds signers to "oppose any net reduction or elimination of deductions and credits, unless matched dollar for dollar further reducing tax rates."

ATR strongly urges you to oppose this backwards system of increasing taxes on one set of business in order to give tax dollars away to huge agribusinesses. Oppose HR 2419 and support the free market by voting FOR the Motion to Recommit.

It's time to reform the agriculture policy of this nation, unfortunately this bill does just the opposite; it takes a bad situation and makes it worse. No more subsidies for rich farmers and no tax increases! Oppose the farm bill and support the free market, SUPPORT the Motion to Commit HR 2419.

ATR will KEY-VOTE <u>FOR</u> the Motion to Recommit the Farm Bill As a Violation of the TAX PAYER PROTECTION PLEDGE

****Oppose HR 2419****