Human Events **reports that**

Rep. Mike Pence (R.-Ind.), Chairman of the House Republican Conference, ***introduced*** *a resolution in the House today supporting the dissidents in Iran who are protesting President Mahmoud Ahmadinejad's supposed win in the June 12 presidential election.*

Pence's resolution follows the highly controversial and contested announcement by Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency that Ahmadinejad received 62.6% of the vote to seal his reelection. It expresses American support for Iranians who are standing for free and fair elections, democracy and basic rights.

Pence remarked *that the paper ballots were collected and counted at such unbelievable speed and official results were released so hastily the eyebrows of skeptics were indignantly raised. Violent protests throughout Iran and international scrutiny struck up almost instantaneously after the announcement was made.*