Mr. Speaker, everyone knows that I have a great deal of

affection for the gentleman from Florida. I think he makes as good an

argument for a bad case as you can possibly find. Let me simply say

that this recommittal motion is very easy to understand, which is why

it ought to be defeated. It simply gives the President all the money in

this bill, unconditionally. It is simply a down payment on business as

usual. It simply strips the timeline from this legislation. It renews

the authority for torture. It eliminates the requirement that

interrogation activities follow the Army Field Manual. Outside of those

problems, it's a terrific idea.

So I would simply urge a ``no'' vote on the motion to recommit.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Murtha).