

Key to: Voting Record of the U.S. Executive Directors to the International Financial Institutions
(January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2009)

Below is a key to voting positions. Some of the votes are cast on the basis of economic and policy considerations, within the Executive Directors responsibilities under each institution's charter. These votes are indicated by numbers 1 and 16. Some votes are legislatively mandated by Congress. These voting mandates are listed below, and numbers 2 through 15 and 17 through 64 indicate voting positions relating to these requirements.

1.A. KEY TO VOTES

1. Economic and policy considerations.
2. Surplus commodities as defined under P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 514.
3. Communist dictatorships, as governed by P.L. 98-181, Sec. 804.
4. Surplus mineral production, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 514.
5. Expropriation, as governed by P.L. 103-236, Sec. 527. The assistance does not support basic human needs.
6. Narcotics, as governed by P.L. 87-195, Sec. 490(a)(2) and 490A(a)(2), as amended by the Anti-Drug Abuse Acts of 1986 and 1988, by the International Narcotics Control Act of 1992, and by P.L. 103-447, Sec. 101 and further amended in P.L. 104-66, Sec. 1112(d).
7. Human rights, as governed by P.L. 95-118, Sec. 701, and amended by P.L. 101-240 Sec. 541(c), and P.L. 102-511, Sec. 1008. The assistance supports basic human needs.
8. Human rights, as governed by P.L. 95-118, Sec. 701, and amended by P.L. 101-240, Sec. 541 (c), and P.L. 102-511, Sec 1008. The assistance does not support basic human needs.
9. Environmental reporting, as governed by P.L. 101-240, Sec. 521, as amended by P.L. 105-118, Sec. 560(b)(3) and by P.L. 108-447, Foreign Operations 2005, Sec. 793.
10. International terrorism, as governed by P.L. 104-132, Sec. 327.
11. Chemical and biological weapons production, as governed by Executive Order 12735.
12. Harboring indictees for war crimes, as governed by P.L. 107-115, Sec. 581(b-d).
13. Policy towards Burma (Human rights/democratic government), as governed by P.L. 104-208, Sec. 570(a)(2).
14. Government of Cambodia, as governed by P.L. 108-447, Foreign Operations 2005, Sec. 554(a). The assistance does not support basic human needs.
15. Government of Cambodia, as governed by P.L. 108-447, Foreign Operations 2005, Sec. 554(a). The assistance supports basic human needs.
16. Other environmental reporting (e.g., Treasury policy votes not specified in #9 above).
17. Nuclear material, as governed by P.L. 103-236, Sec. 823.

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18. Palm oil, sugar, and citrus, as governed by P.L. 95-118, Sec. 901 (a).
19. Serbia or Montenegro, as governed by P.L. 103-160, Defense Authorization, Sec 1511 (c) and P.L. 104-208, Sec. 540.
20. Failing to apprehend war criminal indictees, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 561(a) (1). Exceptions or waiver authority not applied.
21. Worker rights, trade distortion, surplus capacity, as governed by P.L. 100-202, Sec. 406(1).
22. Female genital mutilation, as governed by P.L. 104-208, Sec. 579.
23. Sanctions for transfer or use of nuclear explosive devices, as governed by P.L. 103-236, Sec. 826(a) as amended by Sec. 102(b)(2)(E). The assistance supports basic human needs.
24. Sanctions for transfer or use of nuclear explosive devices, as governed by P.L. 103-236, Sec. 826(a) as amended by Sec. 102(b)(2)(E). The assistance does not support basic human needs.
25. Waiver of sanctions for transfer or use of nuclear explosive devices with respect to India and Pakistan, as governed by P.L. 106-79, Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 2000, Title IX, Sec. 9001(a).
26. Expropriation, as governed by P.L. 103-236. Sec. 527. The assistance supports basic human needs.
27. IMF bailouts of banks, as governed by P.L. 98-181, Sec. 807.
28. Religious persecution, as governed by P.L. 105-292, Title V, Sec 402, 405(12) and 422. The assistance supports basic human needs.
29. Religious persecution, as governed by P.L. 105-292, Title V, Sec. 402, 405(12) and 422. The assistance does not support basic human needs.
30. Serbia-Montenegro, as governed by P.L. 105-277, Sec. 514 (b).
31. Cuba, as governed by P.L. 104-114, Sec. 104.
32. Sanctions on use of chemical or biological weapon, as governed by P.L. 102-182, Sec.307.
33. Chemical weapons sanctions on disclosure of confidential business information, as governed by P.L. 105-277, Division I, Sec. 103(e)(2)(A), Sec. 103(e)(2)(B)(iii) and Sec. 103(e)(3)(B)(v).
34. IMF Korea, as governed by P.L. 105-277, Sec. 602 (a), (1998).
35. Transparency of budgets: audit of military expenditures, as governed by P.L. 104-208, Sec. 576 as amended by P.L.105-118, Sec. 572. The assistance supports basic human needs.
36. Transparency of budgets: audit of military expenditures, as governed by P.L. 104-208, Sec. 576 as amended by P.L. 105-118, Sec. 572. The assistance does not support basic human needs.
37. Serbia, as governed by P.L. 106-113, Sec 599(B) (1), (1999).
38. Serbia, as governed by P.L. 106-429, Sec. 594 (b), (2000).
39. User fees, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 562.

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40. Trafficking in persons, as governed by P.L. 106-386, Sec. 110. The assistance supports one or more specified exceptions.
41. Trafficking in persons, as governed by P.L. 106-386, Sec. 110. The assistance does not qualify under any specified exception.
42. IMF programs and debt levels, as governed by P.L. 98-181, Sec. 360.
43. Failing to apprehend war criminal indictees, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 561(a)(1). Exceptions or waiver authority applies.
44. USA PATRIOT Act on deterring international terrorism, as governed by P.L. 107-56, Sec. 360.
45. Zimbabwe Democracy and Economic Recovery Act of 2001, P.L. 107-99.
46. Zimbabwe, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec. 572.
47. Serbia, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Sec. 563 (Foreign Operations 2006). If Serbia is not certified.
48. Serbia, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Sec. 563 (Foreign Operations 2006). If Serbia is certified.
49. India IBRD Water and Sewage, as governed by P.L. 107-115, Foreign Operations FY2002, Title IV.
50. Tibet, as governed by P.L. 107-228, Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY2003, Sec 616(b).
51. East Timor, as governed by P.L. 107-228, Foreign Relations Authorization Act, FY2003, Sec. 633.
52. Sudan, as governed by P.L. 107-245, Sudan Peace Act section 6(b)(2) (2002).
53. Burma, as governed by Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003, P.L. 108-61.
54. Burma, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec 526(a).
55. Iraq, as governed by P.L. 108-11, Sec. 1503, as amended by P.L. 108-106, Sec. 2204.
56. Tibet, as governed by P.L. 109-102, Foreign Operations 2006, Sec 575(a).
57. Commodities or minerals in surplus on world markets, as governed by P.L. 99-472 of the Export-Import Bank Act Amendments of 1986.
58. Copper exports, mines and mining, as governed by P.L. 99-88, Sec. 501
59. Mining, smelting and refining, as governed by P.L. 99-88, Sec. 502, as amended by P.L. 102-285.
60. Commodities, products, or minerals for export, as governed by P.L. 100-202, Foreign Operation, FY 1987, Title XIV, Sec. 1403(b) of the IFI Act, as amended by P.L. 106-36, Title I, Sec. 1002.
61. Comprehensive Peace in Sudan Act, 2004, as governed by P.L. 108-497.
62. Project could have significant environmental impacts, but such impacts have been mitigated. Development outcomes expected to be broadly positive.
63. Sri Lanka, as governed by P.L. 111-117, Division F, Sec. 7089. The assistance supports basic human needs.
64. Sri Lanka, as governed by P.L. 111-117, Division F, Sec. 7089. The assistance does not support basic human needs.
65. Palestinian Authority, as governed by P.L. 109-446, section 8. The assistance meets BHN and/or democracy support.

66. Palestinian Authority, as governed by P.L.109-446, section 8. The assistance does not meet BHN or democracy support.
67. Belarus, as governed by P.L.109-480, section 6(e). The assistance meets humanitarian needs.
68. Belarus, as governed by P.L.109-480, section 6(e). The assistance does not meet humanitarian needs.