

AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3016
OFFERED BY MR. CASTRO OF TEXAS

Page 2, after line 13, add the following:

1 (3) In section 1773(a) (50 U.S.C. 4842(a)), by
2 adding at the end the following:

3 “(6) ADDITIONAL EXCEPTION.—

4 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of
5 State shall, with respect to each country deter-
6 mined to be friendly to the United States for
7 the purposes of this Act, certify to Congress not
8 less than every two years that the country is
9 complying with all United States and inter-
10 national human rights obligations.

11 “(B) EXCEPTION.—This section shall not
12 apply with respect to boycotts against a country
13 determined to be friendly to the United States
14 for the purposes of this Act if the Secretary is
15 unable to make a certification described in sub-
16 paragraph (A) with respect to the country.”.

