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4 be condemned;

5 (9) the Federal Government of Yugoslavia and  
6 the governments of all the republics should refrain  
7 from the use of force in resolving interethnic dis-  
8 putes;

9 (10) the republics of Yugoslavia should preserve  
10 the political and social rights, as well as the linguis-  
11 tic and cultural autonomy, of all minority popula-  
12 tions living within their borders; and

13 (11) the President should announce that the  
14 United States will oppose any unjustified use of  
15 force and any abuse of human rights in Yugoslavia.

16 **SEC. 866. SITUATION IN KOSOVO PROVINCE OF YUGOSLAVIA.**

17 **IA.**

18 It is the sense of the Congress that—

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20 Serbia and in other parts of Yugoslavia should not  
21 be discriminated against because of their ethnicity;

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11 **SEC. 867. POLICY STATEMENT REGARDING THE IMPORTA-** 11  
12 **TION OF SPORTING AND HUNTING RIFLES** 12  
13 **AND SHOTGUNS FROM CERTAIN EAST EURO-** 13  
14 **PEAN COUNTRIES.** 14

15 It is the sense of the Congress that the regulations 15  
16 issued pursuant to section 38 of the Defense Trade and 16  
17 Export Control Act (part 47 of title 27 of the Code of 17  
18 Federal Regulations) should be amended to allow the im- 18  
19 portation into the United States of sporting and hunting 19 C  
20 rifles and shotguns manufactured in Poland, Hungary, or 20  
21 the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic. 21

22 **SEC. 868. SOVIET AID TO CUBA.** 22

23 (a) **FINDINGS.**—The Congress finds that— 23  
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