

Iron Dome Letter to President Obama

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Dear Colleagues,

As you may know, the Iron Dome system has been a fantastic success, protecting Israel from rockets that threaten their population. In advance of President Obama's visit to Israel next week, I am sending him a letter asking him to consider increasing funding for Iron Dome. Time is short, but please consider signing on to this letter with me. If you would like to sign the letter or need more information, please contact Justin Johnson on my staff.

Sincerely,
Doug Lamborn
Member of Congress

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Dear President Obama:

As you prepare to visit Israel this week, we applaud your decision to see an Iron Dome battery in person.

Due to the recent success of the program, which can only help to stabilize events in the region, we strongly urge you to propose increasing funding for Iron Dome in your fiscal year 2014 budget proposal. We should increase our support of Iron Dome because it is saving lives and many of us in Congress would support doing so.

Such a move would speak volumes about your commitment to the safety and the security of the State of Israel.

Moreover, we would ask that you also work to rectify in your 2014 budget any adverse effects on the Iron Dome program from sequestration.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

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