

March 23, 1976

Dear Congressman Moakley:

We have just read where H R 12365 is tied up in Committee. This simple bill will stop forced bussing. It brings into use Article III, sections 1 and 2 of the U.S. Constitution.

We are citizens, registered voters of your district, taxpayers & parents.

We want to know where you stand on this bill and if in favor what have you done to get it out of Committee?

We will bring your reply to our friends and all the organizations we belong to.

Sincerely,

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Boston, MASS 02130

March 31, 1976

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Jamaica Plain, MA 02130

Dear Mr. & Mrs. [REDACTED]

I am writing in response to your letter of March 23 in support of H.R. 12365, legislation introduced by Congressman McDonald of Georgia.

As you know, I am a strong opponent of busing to achieve racial integration in our nation's schools.

I shall give every consideration to this legislation should the Judiciary Committee act on it. I have never failed to testify in support of an anti-busing bill before the Congress in the past, and shall continue to do so in the future.

Thanks for writing to express your thoughts on this matter. Please feel free to write again if I can ever be of any service to you.

Sincerely,

JOHN JOSEPH MOAKLEY  
Member of Congress