

**THIS WEEK  
WARRANTLESS WIRETAPPING OF  
YOUR TELEPHONE CALLS IS  
*ILLEGAL*  
IF YOU DON'T SPEAK UP NOW  
*NEXT WEEK IT WON'T BE !***

The U.S. Senate will vote next week on a bill that will allow the government to wiretap law-abiding American citizens without a warrant. Your basic rights are at stake, and **whether you are a Republican, Democrat, or Independent, conservative or liberal in your views, this issue should matter to you as an American.**

If you make an international phone call, under this bill **your phone call could be tapped without a warrant.**

The 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment of the Bill of Rights requires the government to obtain a warrant before conducting a search. This is a basic right of every American. **This bill strips your 4<sup>th</sup> Amendment rights and allows wiretaps of law-abiding Americans' international phone calls without a warrant.**

Telephone companies **broke the law** when they performed warrantless wiretaps of Americans in the past. This bill would take away the right of Americans who were illegally wiretapped to press charges. **You are held accountable if you break the law, and telephone companies should be held accountable too!**

This bill does not “make us safer”. There is **already a legal way for the government to “wiretap first, get the warrant later.”**

**You must act NOW to prevent this bill from passing.** Please call your US Senators and urge them to vote NO on this bill. You can find more information at <http://tinyurl.com/6jxnsx> including the names and telephone numbers of your US Senators.