



The Association for Children for Enforcement of Support, Inc.

## **Child Support Enforcement Act Helps Families Owed Child Support**

Statement of Geraldine Jensen, President of ACES

Thank you, Congressman Cox and Senator Boxer, for introducing the Child Support Enforcement Act, which will provide assistance to families owed child support through tax relief. Middle income families will be able to keep more of their earned income. Families with growing children who need all available income to buy food and clothing and to provide for their children's educational opportunities will directly benefit from the bill.

Parents who fail to meet legal and moral child support obligations will be penalized. The support they fail to pay will count as income and increase their tax liability. It is time for families whose children are owed support to get the tax relief they need, and time for irresponsible parents to be held accountable.

ACES, the Association for Children for Enforcement of Support, is a non-profit child support organization. The organization is comprised of parents whose children are entitled to support working to improve child support enforcement, educating themselves about legal rights and remedies and promoting public awareness about the plight of affected children.

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