Washington, D.C. – U.S. Rep. Tom Rooney (R-Fla.) issued the following statement regarding the conference report on the Comprehensive Iran Sanctions, Accountability, and Divestment Act (H.R. 2194):

"I support strong, targeted sanctions against Iran's regime. Unlike the half-measures approved by the United Nations, the sanctions in the conference report have real teeth. If properly implemented by the Obama Administration, these sanctions will bring significant pressure to bear on Tehran and help prevent Iran from acquiring nuclear capability.

"Effectively enforcing these sanctions is critical to protecting the safety of our allies in Israel and throughout the Middle East, and to preserving our own national security."

Congress is expected to debate and vote on the conference report on H.R. 2194 this evening.

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