Why I voted Yes on H.R. 1059

I voted Yes on H.R. 1059, To protect the safety of judges by extending the authority of the Judicial Conference to redact sensitive information contained in their financial disclosure reports. Judges are required to file annual financial disclosure reports. Given the security risks that confront some judges however, the Judicial Conference is authorized to redact sensitive information from these reports that could compromise the safety of the judges. This bill would permanently extend the redaction authority. I supported H.R. 1059 so that judges are free to carry out justice without fear of personal reprisal.