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GOP's Mia Love Cuts Israeli Military Aid in Budget Outline

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Mia Love is a rising star in the Republican Party and gave a rousing speech at the Republican National Convention last month.

But the first-time congressional candidate and African-American Mormon also has a budget proposal at odds with most of her party.

In a printed proposal obtained by ABCNews that features Love's picture and touts "Mia's initial plan to cut spending and get America back on track," she lists a proposal to "End foreign military financing," an act that would save \$5.4 billion, according to the CATO institute, a libertarian think tank.

The proposal, which is not featured on Love's website, doesn't elaborate and Love's campaign did not respond to a request for more specifics, but there is a program run through the Department of State called [Foreign Military Financing](#) that has spent about \$5.4 billion each year.

The catch that puts Love at odds with other Republicans? About \$3 billion of that money goes to Israel, according to the State Department's website.

Support for Israel's military is popular in Congress. House Republicans added \$1 billion to that military aid as part of the [Defense Authorization](#) for next year.

President Obama also signed a new law adding [\\$70 million additional](#) for a missile-defense shield this summer just as Mitt Romney embarked on a trip to Israel.

Back in March, when the House [considered a bill](#) to reinforce that official U.S. policy is to "provide Israel the military capabilities necessary to deter and defend itself by itself against any threats," the vote was [411-2](#). Rep. Ron Paul, R-Tex., was one of the opponents.

"While I absolutely believe that Israel – and any other nation - should be free to determine for itself what is necessary for its national security, I do not believe that

those decisions should be underwritten by U.S. taxpayers and backed up by the U.S. military," [Paul said in May](#).