

MCCAIN FAILS TEST TO BE LEGISLATOR, MUCH LESS PRESIDENT

You guys already know about McCain's seemingly intentional conflation of Iran and Al Qaeda disguised as a serial gaffe (and if you don't then go read Blue Texan on it, because he's much funnier than I am).

Since I'm late to the party, all I can add is a link to that Quiz for Lawmakers I devised last year after Silvestre Reyes made the same gaffe. Reyes has gotten much sharper in the interim period—unlike McCain, Reyes can even distinguish an illegal wiretapping program from a legal one.

McCain, however, still fails from the first question of the quiz.

1. The terrorist group Al Qaeda is overwhelmingly made up of what kind of Muslims?

 - a. Shiite
 - b. Sunni
 - c. Kurds
 - d. Nation of Islam

I'm guessing he would flunk most of the rest of the questions, as well.