

## Rangel Walks Out of Ethics Panel

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I have long admired Rep. Charlie Rangel. But, [his decision to walk out](#) [1] of the Ethics Committee meeting today reeks of theater not governance.

He should keep walking. After an election, the results of which were hardly to my liking, people have a right to believe that they have turned a page and directed their legislators to move in a new direction.

Rangel's shenanigans suggest that nothing has changed. What a shame that such a storied career ends in such foolish stagecraft.

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