Congress clears way to sue Saudis

1. What do these cartoons say about the impact of Congress overriding a veto to allow Americans to sue Saudi Arabia over the 9/11 attacks?
2. Should families of innocent victims of 9/11 be allowed to sue the Saudi government?
3. Should families of innocent victims of U.S. drone attacks be allowed to sue the U.S.?
4. This was the first time a veto by President Obama was overridden. Why do you think Congress voted that way?
5. Why do some in Congress now want to change the law?

Between the lines
“It’s not limited to Saudi Arabia, and it’s likely to have a much larger impact on the U.S. government than the Saudi government, because the U.S. government takes rules very seriously.” - Jon Alterman, Mideast scholar.


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