

SCONRES 109

A concurrent resolution commemorating the independence of East Timor, and for other purposes.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Current Status: Held at the desk.

Latest Action: Held at the desk. (Jun 4, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Chafee, Lincoln [R-RI]

Party: Republican • **State:** RI • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		May 9, 2002
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	D · RI		May 20, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	May 24, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HCONRES 405	Related bill	May 22, 2002: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Congratulates the people and leaders of East Timor. Expresses support for: (1) United Nations (UN) and other multilateral efforts to support reconstruction and development in East Timor; and (2) UN and other multilateral peacekeeping forces safeguarding East Timor's security. Expresses concern about specified matters relating to East Timorese refugees in West Timor and the need to address the January 2000 findings of the UN International Commission of Inquiry.

Urges the President to: (1) maintain an appropriate level of U.S. assistance for East Timor; (2) work to fund East Timor's financing gap in its recurrent and development budgets; (3) focus bilateral assistance on specified areas; (4) urge the Indonesian Government to step up efforts to disarm and disband all militia, hold them accountable to the rule of law, ensure stability along the border, and promptly reunite East Timorese children separated from their parents through coercion or force; and (5) review information from the East Timorese Commission for Reception, Truth, and Reconciliation and use all diplomatic resources to ensure that officials responsible for crimes against humanity and war crimes against the East Timorese people are held accountable and that the Indonesian Government cooperates with the East Timorese judicial system.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 4, 2002:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jun 4, 2002:** Received in the House.
- **Jun 4, 2002:** Held at the desk.
- **May 23, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **May 23, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Biden with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **May 23, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Biden with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **May 23, 2002:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 401.
- **May 23, 2002:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amendment to the Title and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S4879-4880; text: CR S4879-4880)
- **May 23, 2002:** Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amendment to the Title and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4879-4880; text: CR S4879-4880)
- **May 9, 2002:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 9, 2002:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4165-4166)