

HCONRES 195

Expressing the sense of Congress that the Government of Japan should formally issue a clear and unambiguous apology for the sexual enslavement of young women during colonial occupation of Asia and World War II, known to the world as ``comfort women'', and for other purposes.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 13, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 24, 2001)

Expresses the sense of Congress that the Government of Japan should: (1) issue an apology for the sexual enslavement of young women during the colonial occupation of Asia and the Pacific Islands during World War II; (2) pay reparations to the victims; (3) educate future generations about this crime against humanity; and (4) publicly refute claims that the subjugation and enslavement of such women never occurred.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 13, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on East Asia and the Pacific.
- **Jul 24, 2001:** Introduced in House
- **Jul 24, 2001:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.

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