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HCONRES 238

Expressing the sense of Congress that States should require candidates for driver's licenses to demonstrate an ability to exercise greatly increased caution when driving in the proximity of potentially visually impaired individuals.

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Committee Activity

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Oct 2, 2001)

Expresses the sense of Congress that each State should require, as a condition of obtaining a driver's license, that a candidate demonstrate an ability to recognize a white cane, associate the use of a white cane with a visually impaired individual, and exercise increased caution when driving in proximity to a potentially visually impaired individual.

Actions Timeline

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