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HCONRES 239

Expressing the sense of Congress that schools in the United States should set aside a sufficient period of time to allow children to pray for, or quietly reflect on behalf of, the Nation during this time of struggle against the forces of international terrorism.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Education Introduced: Oct 2, 2001

Current Status: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Nov

16, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]

Party: Republican • State: NC • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 2, 2001
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Education

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 15, 2001)

Declares the sense of Congress that schools in the United States should set aside a sufficient period of time to allow children to pray for, or quietly reflect on behalf of, the Nation during this time of struggle against the forces of international terrorism.

Actions Timeline

- Nov 16, 2001: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- Nov 15, 2001: Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8216-8217)
- Nov 15, 2001: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 297 125, 1 Present (Roll no. 445).(text: CR 11/13/2001 H8113)
- Nov 15, 2001: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 297 125, 1 Present (Roll no. 445). (text: CR 11/13/2001 H8113)
- Nov 15, 2001: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Nov 13, 2001: Mr. Isakson moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- Nov 13, 2001: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8113-8118)
- Nov 13, 2001: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 239.
- Nov 13, 2001: At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- Oct 2, 2001: Introduced in House
- Oct 2, 2001: Introduced in House
- Oct 2, 2001: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.