

SRES 309

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that Bosnia and Herzegovina should be congratulated on the 10th anniversary of its recognition by the United States.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jul 26, 2002

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (cons)

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S8473-8474; text as passed Senate: CR S8473-8474) (Sep 10, 2002)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]

Party: Democratic • **State:** DE • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (4 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 26, 2002
Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	R · AZ		Jul 26, 2002
Sen. Sarbanes, Paul S. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 30, 2002
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	R · OR		Jul 30, 2002

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Aug 1, 2002

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Commends Bosnia and Herzegovina for its progress during the past decade on implementing the Dayton Peace Agreement and the Constituent Peoples' Decision of its Constitutional Court. Calls for further strengthening of respect for human rights, the rule of law, and its free market economy. Urges Bosnia and Herzegovina to make all national institutions and state-level governmental bodies mandated by the Dayton Agreement fully operational.

Expresses support for: (1) Bosnia and Herzegovina's aspiration to become a member of the Partnership for Peace; and (2) creating a joint military command as soon as possible.

Urges Bosnia and Herzegovina to accelerate the return of refugees and displaced persons and to intensify its cooperation with the International Criminal Tribunal for the former Yugoslavia at The Hague, in particular with regard to surrendering to the Court individuals indicted for war crimes.

Reaffirms the importance for Bosnia and Herzegovina's future of participation in the European integration process and welcomes the improvement in mutual cooperation among the successor states of the former Yugoslavia and the strengthening of cooperation within the region.

Recognizes the important role of the Bosnian-Herzegovinian-American community in improving bilateral relations.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 10, 2002:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S8473-8474; text as passed Senate: CR S8473-8474)
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- **Aug 1, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Aug 1, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Biden without amendment and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **Aug 1, 2002:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Biden without amendment and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **Aug 1, 2002:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 538.
- **Jul 26, 2002:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 26, 2002:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S7434)
- **Jul 26, 2002:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7434)