

HCONRES 40

Expressing the sense of the Congress that national news organizations should refrain from projecting the winner of a Presidential election until all of the polls in the Continental United States have closed.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 14, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2001)

Declares that it is the sense of Congress that national news organizations should, through a voluntary, industry-wide agreement, refrain from reporting projections of the winner of a Presidential election, or the winner of any State in a Presidential election, until all the polls have closed in the continental United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 14, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection.
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