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# **HRES 466**

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that reciting the Pledge of Allegiance in schools is constitutional, that the Congress deplores the decision of the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals and that the House of Representatives encourages every American to start their day by reciting the Pledge.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jun 26, 2002

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Jun 26, 2002) **Official Text:** https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/house-resolution/466

## **Sponsor**

Name: Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]

Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: House

#### **Cosponsors** (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Shows, Ronnie [D-MS-4]	D·MS		Jun 26, 2002

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 26, 2002

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## Policy Area:

**Government Operations and Politics** 

### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

### **Summary** (as of Jun 26, 2002)

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that: (1) reciting the Pledge of Allegiance in schools and other public places is constitutional; (2) the decision of the 9th United States Circuit Court of Appeals is wrong, erroneous, deplorable, should be overturned by the United States Supreme Court; and (3) Americans of every age should be encouraged to begin their day by reciting the following Pledge: I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation, under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

#### **Actions Timeline**

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