

SCONRES 7

Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the United States should establish an international education policy to further national security, foreign policy, and economic competitiveness, promote mutual understanding and cooperation among nations, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: Senate
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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (11 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Graham, Bob [D-FL]	D · FL		Feb 1, 2001
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Feb 1, 2001
Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]	R · IN		Feb 1, 2001
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		Feb 1, 2001
Sen. Wellstone, Paul D. [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 1, 2001
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA]	D · GA		Feb 6, 2001
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 13, 2001
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	D · VT		Feb 14, 2001
Sen. Helms, Jesse [R-NC]	R · NC		Feb 26, 2001
Sen. Hutchison, Kay Bailey [R-TX]	R · TX		Feb 26, 2001
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Mar 13, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2001
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred to	Aug 10, 2001
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Apr 24, 2001
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Apr 4, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 6, 2001)

Expresses the sense of Congress that the United States should establish an international education policy to enhance national security, significantly further U.S. foreign policy and economic competitiveness, and promote mutual understanding and cooperation among nations. Includes among policy objectives: (1) producing citizens with a high level of international experience; (2) promoting greater diversity of locations, languages, and subjects involved in teaching, research, and study abroad; (3) increasing participation in internships abroad; (4) invigorating citizen and professional international exchange programs; (5) supporting visas and employment policies that promote increased numbers of international students; (6) encouraging programs that begin foreign language learning in the United States at an early age; (7) promoting educational exchanges and research collaboration with American educational institutions abroad; and (8) promoting partnerships among government, business, and educational institutions and organizations to provide adequate resources for implementing this policy.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 10, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on 21st Century Competitiveness.
- **Aug 10, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Education Reform.
- **Apr 24, 2001:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Apr 24, 2001:** Received in the House.
- **Apr 24, 2001:** Referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
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- **Apr 6, 2001:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amendment to the Title and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S3768-3769; text as passed Senate: CR S3768)
- **Apr 6, 2001:** Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amendment to the Title and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S3768-3769; text as passed Senate: CR S3768)
- **Apr 4, 2001:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Helms with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
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- **Apr 4, 2001:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 30.
- **Apr 3, 2001:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Feb 1, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 1, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S1022)
- **Feb 1, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1022)