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SRES 133

A resolution condemning bigotry and violence against Arab Americans, Muslim Americans, South-Asian Americans, and Sikh Americans.

Congress: 108 (2003-2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: May 6, 2003

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: C Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR

S7070) (May 22, 2003)

Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-resolution/133

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

Party: Democratic • State: IL • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (14 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		May 6, 2003
Sen. Sununu, John E. [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		May 6, 2003
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE		May 13, 2003
Sen. Corzine, Jon S. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 13, 2003
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	D · AR		May 13, 2003
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		May 14, 2003
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		May 19, 2003
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		May 19, 2003
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 20, 2003
Sen. Miller, Zell [D-GA]	D · GA		May 20, 2003
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		May 21, 2003
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 21, 2003
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		May 21, 2003
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		May 22, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Discharged From	May 23, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 HRES 234	Related bill	Oct 7, 2003: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Summary (as of May 22, 2003)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Declares that the civil rights and civil liberties of all Americans, including Arab-Americans, Muslim-Americans, Sikh-Americans, and South Asian-Americans, should be protected.

Condemns bigotry and acts of violence against such people and calls upon local, State, and Federal law enforcement authorities to prevent and investigate and prosecute such bias-motivated crimes.

Actions Timeline

- May 22, 2003: Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S7069-7070)
- May 22, 2003: Senate Committee on the Judiciary discharged by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S7069-7070)
- May 22, 2003: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S7070)
- May 22, 2003: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S7070)
- May 6, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- May 6, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S5788-5789)
- May 6, 2003: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S5788)