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SRES 149

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the international response to the current need for food in the Horn of Africa remains inadequate.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs **Introduced:** May 20, 2003

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

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Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.

(consideration: CR S8848; text as passed Senate: CR S8848) (Jun 27, 2003) Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/senate-resolution/149

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]

Party: Democratic • State: WI • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 26, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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

Expresses the sense of the Senate that the President should take the following actions concerning U.S. food assistance programs: (1) review the programs to ensure that needs in Africa are met to the same degree as food needs elsewhere in the world; (2) shift available food assistance resources to meet needs in the Horn of Africa, including by drawdowns of reserve stocks in the Emerson Humanitarian Trust; (3) encourage other donors to commit increased resources; (4) direct the Secretaries of State and of Agriculture and the Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) to develop with international organizations, other donor countries, and African governments a long-term comprehensive strategy for sustainable recovery in regions affected by food crisis.

Actions Timeline

- Jun 27, 2003: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S8848; text as passed Senate: CR S8848)
- Jun 27, 2003: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S8848; text as passed Senate: CR S8848)
- Jun 26, 2003: Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- Jun 26, 2003: Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Lugar without amendment and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- Jun 26, 2003: Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Lugar without amendment and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- Jun 26, 2003: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 174.
- May 20, 2003: Introduced in Senate
- May 20, 2003: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6716)