

## HRES 252

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives supporting the United States in its efforts within the World Trade Organization (WTO) to end the European Union's protectionist and discriminatory trade practices of the past five years regarding agriculture biotechnology.

**Congress:** 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Foreign Trade and International Finance

**Introduced:** May 22, 2003

**Current Status:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Jun 10, 2003)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-resolution/252>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Blunt, Roy [R-MO-7]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** MO • **Chamber:** Senate

### Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cardoza, Dennis A. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		May 22, 2003
Rep. DeLay, Tom [R-TX-22]	R · TX		May 22, 2003
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		May 22, 2003
Rep. Hastert, J. Dennis [R-IL-14]	R · IL		May 22, 2003
Rep. Pryce, Deborah [R-OH-15]	R · OH		May 22, 2003
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	D · TX		May 22, 2003

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	May 22, 2003

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Foreign Trade and International Finance

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Jun 10, 2003)

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Supports and applauds the efforts of the Administration on behalf of the Nation's farmers and sound science by challenging the long-standing, unwarranted moratorium imposed in the European Union on agriculture and food biotech products.

Encourages the President to continue to press this issue.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Jun 10, 2003:** Mr. Camp moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jun 10, 2003:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5106-5116)
- **Jun 10, 2003:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 252.
- **Jun 10, 2003:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 10, 2003:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5107, H5153)
- **Jun 10, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 339 - 80 (Roll no. 256).(text: CR H5107)
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- **May 22, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **May 22, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.