

SRES 258

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate on the arrest of Mikhail B. Khodorkovsky by the Russian Federation.

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Nov 4, 2003

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consider

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S16201-16202; text as passed Senate: CR S16202) (Dec 9, 2003)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Lugar, Richard G. [R-IN]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Biden, Joseph R., Jr. [D-DE]	D · DE		Nov 4, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Nov 7, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 9, 2003)

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

Expresses the sense of the Senate that the law enforcement and judicial authorities of the Russian Federation should: (1) ensure that Mikhail B. Khodorkovsky is accorded the full measure of his rights under the Russian Constitution to defend himself against any and all charges that may be brought against him; and (2) make every effort to dispel growing international concerns that the cases against Mikhail B. Khodorkovsky and other business leaders are politically motivated and that the potential remains for misuse of the Federation's justice system.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 9, 2003:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S16201-16202; text as passed Senate: CR S16202)
- **Dec 9, 2003:** Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S16201-16202; text as passed Senate: CR S16202)
- **Nov 7, 2003:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Lugar without amendment and with a preamble. Without written report.
- **Nov 7, 2003:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Lugar without amendment and with a preamble. Without written report.
- **Nov 7, 2003:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 380.
- **Nov 6, 2003:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Nov 4, 2003:** Introduced in Senate
- **Nov 4, 2003:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13911)