

HRES 466

Conveying the sympathy of the House of Representatives to the families of the young women murdered in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico, and encouraging increased United States involvement in bringing an end to these crimes.

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Sponsor

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Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jan 28, 2004
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Rep. Leach, James A. [R-IA-2]	R · IA		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Majette, Denise L. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. McCotter, Thaddeus G. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Feb 10, 2004
Rep. Oberstar, James L. [D-MN-8]	D · MN		Feb 10, 2004
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Rep. Green, Gene [D-TX-29]	D · TX		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Harris, Katherine [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Feb 24, 2004
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Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-12]	D · MI		Feb 24, 2004
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Feb 26, 2004
Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Mar 3, 2004
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Rep. Kennedy, Patrick J. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Mar 3, 2004

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Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Dingell, John D. [D-MI-15]	D · MI		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Pelosi, Nancy [D-CA-8]	D · CA		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Rogers, Mike J. [R-MI-8]	R · MI		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Whitfield, Ed [R-KY-1]	R · KY		Mar 9, 2004
Rep. Hinojosa, Ruben [D-TX-15]	D · TX		Mar 11, 2004
Rep. Stark, Fortney Pete [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Mar 11, 2004
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. Millender-McDonald, Juanita [D-CA-37]	D · CA		Mar 16, 2004
Rep. DeLauro, Rosa L. [D-CT-3]	D · CT		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Matsui, Robert T. [D-CA-5]	D · CA		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. McNulty, Michael R. [D-NY-21]	D · NY		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Mar 31, 2004
Rep. Ortiz, Solomon P. [D-TX-27]	D · TX		Apr 1, 2004
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Apr 2, 2004
Rep. Sánchez, Linda T. [D-CA-39]	D · CA		Apr 2, 2004
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	D · MD		Apr 2, 2004
Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Apr 21, 2004
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Apr 21, 2004
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Apr 21, 2004
Rep. Rahall, Nick J., II [D-WV-3]	D · WV		Apr 28, 2004
Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Apr 28, 2004
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		May 4, 2004
Rep. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ-13]	D · NJ		May 5, 2004
Rep. Case, Ed [D-HI-2]	D · HI		May 11, 2004
Rep. Rothman, Steven R. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		May 11, 2004
Rep. Pastor, Ed [D-AZ-4]	D · AZ		May 12, 2004
Rep. Platts, Todd Russell [R-PA-19]	R · PA		May 12, 2004
Rep. Hoeffel, Joseph M. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Sanchez, Loretta [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	D · TX		Jun 1, 2004
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jun 2, 2004
Rep. McCarthy, Carolyn [D-NY-4]	D · NY		Jun 2, 2004
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 8, 2004
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 14, 2004
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]	D · MI		Jun 17, 2004
Rep. Snyder, Vic [D-AR-2]	D · AR		Jun 21, 2004

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Rep. Udall, Mark [D-CO-2]	D · CO		Jun 24, 2004
Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Lipinski, William O. [D-IL-3]	D · IL		Jul 6, 2004
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jul 7, 2004
Rep. Delahunt, William D. [D-MA-10]	D · MA		Jul 12, 2004
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jul 12, 2004
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Jul 12, 2004
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jul 14, 2004
Rep. Ford, Harold E., Jr. [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jul 20, 2004
Rep. Kilpatrick, Carolyn C. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		Jul 20, 2004
Rep. Blumenauer, Earl [D-OR-3]	D · OR		Sep 8, 2004
Rep. Dicks, Norman D. [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Nov 17, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 21, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
108 SRES 392	Related bill	Jun 24, 2004: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR 6/25/2004 S7484)

Expresses: (1) condolences and deepest sympathy to the families of the young women killed in the State of Chihuahua, Mexico, since 1993, many of whom appear to be victims of one or more serial murders; and (2) the solidarity of the people of the United States with the people of Mexico in the face of these tragic and senseless acts.

Recognizes the courageous struggle of the victims' families in seeking justice for them.

Condemns: (1) the abductions and murders of such young women in Ciudad Juarez and the city of Chihuahua; (2) the use of torture as a means of investigation into these crimes; and (3) all senseless acts of violence in all parts of the world and violence against women in particular.

Urges the President and Secretary of State to express: (1) concern over these abductions and murders to the Government of Mexico and to request that the investigative and preventative efforts of such Government become part of the bilateral agenda between the Governments of Mexico and the United States; and (2) support for the efforts of the victims' families to seek justice for the victims, to express concern relating to the continued harassment of these families and the human rights defenders with which they work, and to express concern with respect to impediments in the ability of the families to receive prompt and accurate information in their cases.

Supports multilateral efforts to create a DNA database that would allow families to positively identify the remains of the victims and encourages the Secretary to facilitate U.S. participation in such database.

Encourages the Secretary to: (1) include in the Department of State's annual Country Report on Human Rights all instances of improper investigatory methods, threats against human rights activists, and the use of torture with respect to cases involving the murder and abduction of young women in the State of Chihuahua; and (2) urge the Government of Mexico to ensure fair and proper judicial proceedings for the individuals accused of these abductions and murders and to impose appropriate punishment for those individuals subsequently determined to be guilty of such crimes.

Recommends that the U.S. Ambassador to Mexico visit Ciudad Juarez and the city of Chihuahua to meet with the victims' families, women's rights organizations, and Mexican Federal and State officials responsible for investigating these crimes and preventing future such crimes.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 23, 2003:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E2440)
- **Nov 21, 2003:** Introduced in House
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- **Nov 21, 2003:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.