

HRES 568

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Judicial determinations regarding the meaning of the laws of the United States should not be based on judgments, laws, or pronouncements of foreign institutions unless such foreign judgments, laws, or pronouncements inform an understanding of the original meaning of the laws of the United States.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 19, 2004
Judiciary Committee	House	Reported by	May 13, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 17, 2004)

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that judicial determinations regarding the meaning of U.S. laws should not be based on foreign judgments, laws, or pronouncements unless such foreign judgments, laws, or pronouncements are incorporated into the legislative history of laws passed by the House and Senate or otherwise inform an understanding of the original meaning of U.S. laws.

Actions Timeline

- **May 13, 2004:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 13, 2004:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee (Amended) by the Yeas and Nays: 7 - 3.
- **Mar 25, 2004:** Subcommittee Hearings Held.
- **Mar 19, 2004:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Mar 17, 2004:** Introduced in House
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- **Mar 17, 2004:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.