

## HRES 713

Deploing the misuse of the International Court of Justice by a plurality of the United Nations General Assembly for a narrow political purpose.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 13, 2004

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

States that the House of Representatives reaffirms its commitment to Israel's security and its support of Israel's right to self-defense.

Condemns the Palestinian leadership for failing to: (1) carry out its responsibilities under the Roadmap and under other obligations it has assumed; and (2) fight terrorism, including by bringing an end to terrorist attacks directed at Israel.

Calls on Palestinians and all states to fight terrorism so that progress can be made toward resolution of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict.

Deplores the July 8, 2004, advisory judgment of the International Court of Justice (ICJ) and the misuse of the ICJ for the political purpose of advancing the Palestinian position on matters Palestinian authorities have said should be the subject of negotiations.

Regrets the ICJ's advisory judgment which is likely to undermine its reputation and interfere with a resolution of the Palestinian-Israeli conflict.

Commends the President and the Secretary of State for their leadership in marshaling opposition to such misuse of the ICJ.

Calls on members of the international community to reflect on: (1) the steps taken by the Government of Israel to mitigate the impact of the security barrier on Palestinians, including steps it has taken by order of its High Court of Justice; and (2) the damage that will be done to the ICJ, the United Nations, and to individual Israelis and Palestinians under color of the ICJ advisory judgment that interfere in the Roadmap process and impede efforts toward an Israeli-Palestinian negotiated settlement.

Urges all nations to join the United States in international fora to prevent political exploitation of the ICJ's advisory judgment.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 15, 2004:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H5802-5803)
- **Jul 15, 2004:** 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): 361 - 45, 13 Present (Roll no. 378).(text: CR 7/14/2004 H5767-5768)
- **Jul 15, 2004:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 361 - 45, 13 Present (Roll no. 378). (text: CR 7/14/2004 H5767-5768)
- **Jul 15, 2004:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 15, 2004:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Jul 14, 2004:** Mr. Pence moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jul 14, 2004:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5767-5775)
- **Jul 14, 2004:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 713.
- **Jul 14, 2004:** 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 until July 15.
- **Jul 13, 2004:** Introduced in House
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- **Jul 13, 2004:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.