

HRES 733

Calling on the Government of Libya to review the legal actions taken against several Bulgarian medical workers.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held. (Oct 5, 2004)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** NE • **Chamber:** House

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup by	Oct 5, 2004

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jul 20, 2004)

States that the House of Representatives: (1) expresses its sympathies for those Libyan children infected with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and its condolences to the families of those children who have died from the acquired immune deficiency syndrome (AIDS); (2) raises concerns regarding the investigations and trial and the lack of compelling evidence regarding the allegations of criminal intent on the part of the Bulgarian medical workers; (3) expresses its dismay over the recent verdict by the Libyan court and the harsh sentence imposed on such workers and urges the Government of Libya to consider the possibility of withdrawing the charges and releasing the defendants; and (4) affirms U.S. support for the Government of Bulgaria and its efforts to resolve this matter.

Actions Timeline

- **Oct 5, 2004:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee.
- **Oct 5, 2004:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jul 20, 2004:** Introduced in House
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- **Jul 20, 2004:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.
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