

## HRES 1038

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2679) to amend the Revised Statutes of the United States to eliminate the chilling effect on the constitutionally protected expression of religion by State and local officials that results from the threat that potential litigants may seek damages and attorney's fees.

**Congress:** 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Congress

**Introduced:** Sep 25, 2006

**Current Status:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Sep 26, 2006)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-resolution/1038>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Reported Original Measure	Sep 26, 2006

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Congress

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 2679	Procedurally related	<b>Nov 13, 2006:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Sep 26, 2006)

Sets forth the rule for consideration of H.R. 2679 (Public Expression of Religion Act of 2005).

## Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 26, 2006:** Considered as privileged matter. (consideration: CR H7356-7364, H7368)
- **Sep 26, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H. Res. 1038.
- **Sep 26, 2006:** The previous question was ordered without objection. (consideration: CR H7364)
- **Sep 26, 2006:** POSTPONED PROCEEDINGS - At the conclusion of the debate on H.Res. 1038, the Chair put the question on adoption of the resolution and by voice vote, announced that the ayes had prevailed. Mr. McGovern demanded the yeas and nays and the Chair postponed further proceedings on the question of adoption until later in the legislative day.
- **Sep 26, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in House: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 229 - 177 (Roll no. 474).(text: CR H7356)
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- **Sep 25, 2006:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 25, 2006:** The House Committee on Rules reported an original measure, H. Rept. 109-678, by Mr. Gingrey.
- **Sep 25, 2006:** The amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted.
- **Sep 25, 2006:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 234.

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