

## HCONRES 120

Expressing the sense of the Congress with regard to the world's freshwater resources.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology.  
(Apr 29, 2005)

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 29, 2005
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 17, 2005
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 24, 2005

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Mar 17, 2005)

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Water for the World Resolution - Declares that Congress: (1) recognizes that government policies should ensure that all individuals have equitable access to water and that no one is cut off from water for survival due to economic constraints; and (2) upholds the principle that governments should engage all members of society in direct participation in overseeing decisions about the conservation, distribution, use, and management of water in their communities.

Recognizes that more sustainable agricultural practices are necessary to protect water resources.

Affirms that Congress firmly commits itself to meet the Millennium Development Goals, especially as they pertain to universal access to water and sanitation.

Asserts that Federal policies should ensure that in the United States direct and indirect sources of water pollution, including factories, refineries, commercial agriculture, and wastewater treatment plants, are adequately regulated and those responsible held accountable for the pollution they cause.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 29, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Domestic and International Monetary Policy, Trade, and Technology.
- **Mar 24, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Trade.
- **Mar 17, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 17, 2005:** Referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

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