

HCONRES 16

Congratulating the people of Ukraine for conducting a democratic, transparent, and fair runoff presidential election on December 26, 2004, and congratulating Viktor Yushchenko on his election as President of Ukraine and his commitment to democracy and reform.

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Hyde, Henry J. [R-IL-6]

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

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| Rep. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD-3] | D · MD | | Jan 25, 2005 |
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| Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4] | R · NJ | | Jan 25, 2005 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Foreign Affairs Committee | House | Referred To | Jan 6, 2005 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
|---------------|----------------|--|
| 109 HRES 799 | Related bill | May 25, 2006: Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, by Unanimous Consent. |
| 109 SCONRES 7 | Identical bill | Feb 1, 2005: Held at the desk. |
| 109 SCONRES 5 | Identical bill | Jan 25, 2005: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S504) |

Summary (as of Jan 25, 2005)

Commends the people and Government of Ukraine for their commitment to democracy and their determination to end the political crisis in that country in a peaceful and democratic manner.

Congratulates: (1) the people and Government of Ukraine for ensuring a free and fair runoff presidential election; and (2) Viktor Yushchenko on his election as President of Ukraine.

Applauds the Ukrainian presidential candidates, the European Union and other European representatives, and the U.S. Government for the role they played in helping to peacefully resolve the crisis.

Acknowledges and welcomes the strong U.S.-Ukraine relationship, and expresses support for the efforts of the Ukrainian people and the new Government of Ukraine to establish democracy, the rule of law, and respect for human rights.

Pledges congressional assistance to the democratic system in Ukraine, the creation of a market economy in Ukraine, the reaffirmation of Ukraine's independence and territorial sovereignty, and Ukraine's full integration into the international community of democracies.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 26, 2005:** Received in the Senate.
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Mr. Hyde moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H145-149)
- **Jan 25, 2005:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 16.
- **Jan 25, 2005:** 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.
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H171)
- **Jan 25, 2005:** 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): 392 - 1 (Roll no. 8).(text: CR H145)
- **Jan 25, 2005:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 392 - 1 (Roll no. 8). (text: CR H145)
- **Jan 25, 2005:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 6, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 6, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 6, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.