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SRES 162

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate concerning Griswold v. Connecticut.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Jun 7, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6170)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • State: ME • Chamber: Senate

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Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Jun 7, 2005
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Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jun 7, 2005
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Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	$I \cdot VT$		Jun 7, 2005
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Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	D·IL		Jun 7, 2005
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	D · NV		Jun 7, 2005
Sen. Chafee, Lincoln [R-RI]	R · RI		Jun 20, 2005
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		Jun 20, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jun 7, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HRES 311	Related bill	Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Summary (as of Jun 7, 2005)

Calls on Congress, on the 40th anniversary of *Griswold v. Connecticut* in which the Supreme Court held that married people have a constitutional right to use contraceptives, to take steps to ensure that all women have universal access to affordable contraception.

Actions Timeline

- Jun 7, 2005: Introduced in Senate
- Jun 7, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S6170-6171)
- Jun 7, 2005: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S6170)