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# **HCONRES 178**

Recognizing the need to pursue research into the causes, a treatment, and an eventual cure for idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis, supporting the goals and ideals of National Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Week, and for other purposes.

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Chamber: House

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# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Jul 1, 2005
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 30, 2005

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

## **Policy Area:**

Commemorations

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 236	Related bill	May 25, 2006: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text as passed Senate: CR S5284)

## **Summary** (as of Sep 29, 2005)

Recognizes the need to pursue research into the causes of, and a treatment and an eventual cure for, idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis.

Expresses support for: (1) the work of advocates and organizations in educating, supporting, and providing hope for individuals who suffer from the disease; and (2) designation of National Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis Awareness Week.

Congratulates advocates and organizations for their efforts to educate the public about the disease.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Sep 30, 2005: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- Sep 29, 2005: Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H8584-8585)
- Sep 29, 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): 401 0 (Roll no. 508).
- Sep 29, 2005: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 401 0 (Roll no. 508).
- Sep 29, 2005: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Sep 28, 2005: Mr. Deal (GA) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- Sep 28, 2005: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H8481-8485; text of measure as introduced: CR H8481)
- Sep 28, 2005: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 178.
- Sep 28, 2005: DEBATE The House resumed debate on H. Con. Res. 178.
- Sep 28, 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.
- Jul 1, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- Jun 14, 2005: Introduced in House
- Jun 14, 2005: Introduced in House
- Jun 14, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.