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HRES 185

Honoring Johnnie Cochran, Jr. for his service to the Nation, and expressing condolences to his family, friends, colleagues, and admirers on his death.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations

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Name: Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-35]

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Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. McKinney, Cynthia A. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	$D \cdot NY$		Apr 5, 2005
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Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]	$D \cdot NY$		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D·IL		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Apr 5, 2005
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Apr 5, 2005
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Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	$D \cdot VI$		Apr 13, 2005
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Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Apr 19, 2005
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Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		May 16, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Markup By	May 5, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 5, 2005)

Declares that the House of Representatives: (1) honors Johnnie Cochran, Jr., for his service to the Nation, his pioneering work as a lawyer, author, TV commentator, and philanthropist, and his personal integrity and professional excellence; and (2) expresses its deepest condolences to his family, friends, colleagues, and admirers.

Actions Timeline

- May 5, 2005: Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- May 5, 2005: Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- Apr 5, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Apr 5, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.