

HCONRES 235

Expressing the sense of the Congress that States should require candidates for driver's licenses to demonstrate an ability to exercise greatly increased caution when driving in the proximity of a potentially visually impaired individual.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Transportation and Public Works

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Rep. Snyder, Vic [D-AR-2]	D · AR		Nov 2, 2005
Rep. Platts, Todd Russell [R-PA-19]	R · PA		Nov 7, 2005
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Rep. Baker, Richard H. [R-LA-6]	R · LA		Nov 16, 2005
Rep. Coble, Howard [R-NC-6]	R · NC		Nov 16, 2005
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Feb 8, 2006
Rep. Wynn, Albert Russell [D-MD-4]	D · MD		Feb 8, 2006
Rep. Boozman, John [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Feb 14, 2006
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Feb 15, 2006
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Rep. Gerlach, Jim [R-PA-6]	R · PA		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. Peterson, Collin C. [D-MN-7]	D · MN		Mar 7, 2006
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Mar 14, 2006
Rep. Allen, Thomas H. [D-ME-1]	D · ME		Mar 28, 2006
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Mar 28, 2006
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Apr 4, 2006
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Apr 25, 2006
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		May 2, 2006
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 13, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Sep 25, 2006
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Discharged from	Apr 5, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Transportation and Public Works

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SCONRES 71	Identical bill	Sep 11, 2006: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 601.

(This measure has not been amended since it was passed by the House on July 25, 2006. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Expresses the sense of Congress that each state should require any candidate for a driver's license to demonstrate, as a condition of obtaining one, an ability to: (1) associate the use of the white cane and guide dog with visually impaired individuals; and (2) exercise greatly increased caution when driving in proximity to a potentially visually impaired individual.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 25, 2006:** Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S10100)
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- **Sep 25, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.
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- **Sep 25, 2006:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 26, 2006:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.
- **Jul 25, 2006:** Mr. Petri moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Jul 25, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H5763-5765)
- **Jul 25, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 235.
- **Jul 25, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H5763-5764)
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- **Jul 25, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 20, 2006:** Reported by the Committee on Transportation. H. Rept. 109-513.
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- **Jun 20, 2006:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 198.
- **Apr 5, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 5, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Apr 5, 2006:** Subcommittee on Highways, Transit and Pipelines Discharged.
- **Sep 8, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways, Transit and Pipelines.
- **Sep 7, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Sep 7, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.