

HCONRES 236

Expressing the sense of the Congress that all Americans should program their cell phones and other portable electronic devices to show personal emergency contacts under the acronym ICE (In Case of Emergency) to enable emergency personnel to contact family and friends in the event of an emergency.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Emergency Management

Introduced: Sep 7, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet. (Sep 19, 2005)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 19, 2005
Transportation and Infrastructure Committee	House	Referred to	Sep 8, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Emergency Management

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 7, 2005)

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Actions Timeline

- **Sep 19, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet.
- **Sep 8, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management.
- **Sep 7, 2005:** Introduced in House
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