

HRES 256

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives in remembrance of the members of the Armed Forces who perished in the April 24, 1980, rescue attempt of the American hostages being held in Iran and commending all special operations forces personnel currently in service.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations

Introduced: May 3, 2005

Current Status: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection. (Jun 21, 2005)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-resolution/256>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Saxton, Jim [R-NJ-3]

Party: Republican • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (13 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Akin, W. Todd [R-MO-2]	R · MO		May 3, 2005
Rep. Andrews, Robert E. [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		May 3, 2005
Rep. Hayes, Robin [R-NC-8]	R · NC		May 3, 2005
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Rep. Hostettler, John N. [R-IN-8]	R · IN		May 3, 2005
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Rep. Marshall, Jim [D-GA-3]	D · GA		May 3, 2005
Rep. McIntyre, Mike [D-NC-7]	D · NC		May 3, 2005
Rep. Meehan, Martin T. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		May 3, 2005
Rep. Miller, Jeff [R-FL-1]	R · FL		May 3, 2005
Rep. Wilson, Joe [R-SC-2]	R · SC		May 3, 2005
Rep. Bachus, Spencer [R-AL-6]	R · AL		Jun 15, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Armed Services Committee	House	Referred To	May 3, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 21, 2005)

Recognizes the bravery, sacrifice, and patriotism of the soldiers, airmen, sailors, and Marines who participated in Operation Eagle Claw (the April 24, 1980, rescue attempt of the American hostages in Iran).

Remembers in particular the sacrifice of those who died in that attempt.

Commends all of the Special Operation Forces currently in service.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 21, 2005:** Mr. Saxton moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jun 21, 2005:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4810-4813)
- **Jun 21, 2005:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 256.
- **Jun 21, 2005:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4810)
- **Jun 21, 2005:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4810)
- **Jun 21, 2005:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 21, 2005:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **May 3, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **May 3, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **May 3, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.