

HJRES 26

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to Congressional succession.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: Feb 17, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Apr 4, 2005)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-joint-resolution/26>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Rohrabacher, Dana [R-CA-46]

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

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Baird, Brian [D-WA-3]	D · WA		Feb 17, 2005

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 4, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 17, 2005)

Constitutional Amendment - Requires the election of three Alternate Representatives along with a Representative, selected by him or her, as well as three Alternate Senators along with a Senator, selected by the latter. Provides that upon the death or inability to discharge the appropriate powers and duties of a person elected as Representative or Senator, the duties and powers of that office shall be discharged by his or her designated successor as Acting Representative or Acting Senator, determined according to a specified ranked order of the Alternates, until a new Representative or Senator is elected.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 4, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Feb 17, 2005:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 17, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.

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