

HCONRES 275

Expressing the sense of Congress regarding the education curriculum in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Reported by	Nov 15, 2005
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 27, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 19, 2005)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Urges the government of Saudi Arabia to reform its textbooks and education curriculum in a manner that promotes tolerance and peaceful coexistence, develops civil society, and encourages functionality in the global economy.

Urges the President to: (1) direct the Secretary of State to use diplomacy, international visitor exchanges, professional development, and educational reform programs to focus on educational reform in Saudi Arabia; and (2) consider educational reform progress when determining the level and frequency of U.S.-Saudi relations.

Expresses disappointment with the slow pace of education reform.

Requests that the Secretary report to the appropriate congressional committees respecting such educational reform.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 27, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Dec 19, 2005:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H12277)
- **Dec 19, 2005:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 351 - 1, 2 Present (Roll no. 671).(text: CR 12/18/2005 H12186)
- **Dec 19, 2005:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 351 - 1, 2 Present (Roll no. 671). (text: CR 12/18/2005 H12186)
- **Dec 19, 2005:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Dec 19, 2005:** Received in the Senate.
- **Dec 18, 2005:** Ms. Ros-Lehtinen moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Dec 18, 2005:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H12186-12187)
- **Dec 18, 2005:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 275.
- **Dec 18, 2005:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Nov 16, 2005:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Nov 16, 2005:** Ordered to be Reported by Unanimous Consent.
- **Nov 15, 2005:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Middle East and Central Asia.
- **Nov 15, 2005:** Subcommittee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Nov 15, 2005:** Forwarded by Subcommittee to Full Committee by Unanimous Consent.
- **Oct 26, 2005:** Introduced in House
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