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## S 2784

Fourteenth Dalai Lama Congressional Gold Medal Act

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

**Policy Area:** Commemorations **Introduced:** May 11, 2006

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## **Sponsor**

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Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: Senate

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Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	D · NM		May 11, 2006
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Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		May 11, 2006
Sen. Coburn, Tom [R-OK]	$R \cdot OK$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Cochran, Thad [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	$R \cdot MN$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Craig, Larry E. [R-ID]	$R \cdot ID$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Dayton, Mark [D-MN]	D · MN		May 11, 2006
Sen. DeWine, Mike [R-OH]	R · OH		May 11, 2006
Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]	D · CT		May 11, 2006
Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Dorgan, Byron L. [D-ND]	D · ND		May 11, 2006
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D·IL		May 11, 2006
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		May 11, 2006
Sen. Grassley, Chuck [R-IA]	$R \cdot IA$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Hagel, Chuck [R-NE]	$R \cdot NE$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D·IA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		May 11, 2006
Sen. Jeffords, James M. [I-VT]	I · VT		May 11, 2006
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D·SD		May 11, 2006
Sen. Kennedy, Edward M. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Kohl, Herb [D-WI]	D · WI		May 11, 2006
Sen. Kyl, Jon [R-AZ]	$R \cdot AZ$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D·LA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 11, 2006
Sen. Leahy, Patrick J. [D-VT]	$D \cdot VT$		May 11, 2006

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Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		May 11, 2006
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [D-CT]	D · CT		May 11, 2006
Sen. Lincoln, Blanche L. [D-AR]	D · AR		May 11, 2006
Sen. Lott, Trent [R-MS]	$R \cdot MS$		May 11, 2006
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Sen. McCain, John [R-AZ]	$R \cdot AZ$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 11, 2006
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		May 11, 2006
Sen. Murkowski, Lisa [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	$D \cdot WA$		May 11, 2006
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Sen. Obama, Barack [D-IL]	$D\cdotIL$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Pryor, Mark L. [D-AR]	$D \cdot AR$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Reed, Jack [D-RI]	$D \cdot RI$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Reid, Harry [D-NV]	$D \cdot NV$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]	$D \cdot WV$		May 11, 2006
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Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D·NY		May 11, 2006
Sen. Sessions, Jeff [R-AL]	$R \cdot AL$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	R·OR		May 11, 2006
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R·PA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		May 11, 2006
Sen. Sununu, John E. [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Talent, Jim [R-MO]	$R \cdot MO$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Thomas, Craig [R-WY]	$R \cdot WY$		May 11, 2006
Sen. Thune, John [R-SD]	R·SD		May 11, 2006
Sen. Vitter, David [R-LA]	R·LA		May 11, 2006
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	R · OH		May 11, 2006
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		May 11, 2006
Sen. Graham, Lindsey [R-SC]	R·SC		May 24, 2006

# **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee	Senate	Reported By	May 23, 2006
Financial Services Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 6, 2006

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

Commemorations

#### **Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 4562	Related bill	Dec 15, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.
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## **Summary** (as of Sep 27, 2006)

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

The Fourteenth Dalai Lama Congressional Gold Medal Act - Directs the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President pro Tempore of the Senate to make appropriate arrangements for the presentation, on behalf of Congress, of a gold medal of appropriate design to Tenzin Gyatso, the Fourteenth Dalai Lama, in recognition of his many contributions to peace and religious understanding.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Sep 27, 2006: Signed by President.
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- Sep 27, 2006: Became Public Law No: 109-287.
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- Sep 18, 2006: Presented to President.
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- Sep 13, 2006: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- Sep 13, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6505-6509)
- Sep 13, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on S. 2784.
- Sep 13, 2006: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6505-6506)
- Sep 13, 2006: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H6505-6506)
- Sep 13, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Jun 6, 2006: Received in the House.
- Jun 6, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services.
- May 26, 2006: Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- May 25, 2006: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5284, S5285; text as passed Senate: CR S5285)
- May 25, 2006: Passed Senate without amendment by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5284, S5285; text as passed Senate: CR S5285)
- May 23, 2006: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Reported by Senator Shelby without amendment. Without written report.
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- May 23, 2006: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 441.
- May 18, 2006: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- May 11, 2006: Introduced in Senate
- May 11, 2006: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4471-4472)
- May 11, 2006: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.