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HCONRES 288

Recognizing the 30th anniversary of the enactment of the Education for All Handicapped Children Act of 1975 and reaffirming support for the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act so that all children with disabilities have access to a free appropriate public education in the least restrictive environment.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations **Introduced:** Nov 2, 2005

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 2, 2005
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 15, 2005)

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

Recognizes the 30th anniversary of the enactment of the Education for All Handicapped Children Act of 1975 (Public Law 94-142).

Acknowledges the many and varied contributions of children with disabilities and their parents, teachers, related services providers, and other educators.

Reaffirms the support of Congress for the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act so that all children with disabilities have access to a free appropriate public education.

Actions Timeline

- Nov 16, 2005: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- Nov 15, 2005: Mr. Castle moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- Nov 15, 2005: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H10182-10185)
- Nov 15, 2005: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 288.
- Nov 15, 2005: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H10182)
- Nov 15, 2005: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H10182)
- Nov 15, 2005: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Nov 2, 2005: Introduced in House
- Nov 2, 2005: Introduced in House
- Nov 2, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.