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HCONRES 355

Recognizing the benefits and importance of school-based music education, and for other purposes.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Education Introduced: Mar 9, 2006

Current Status: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (Apr 5,

2006)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 9, 2006
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Apr 5, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship Last Ac	tion
109 HCONRES 45	Identical bill Mar 2, 2 and Per	2005: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, nsions.

Summary (as of Apr 4, 2006)

Declares the sense of the Congress that music education grounded in rigorous instruction is an important component of a well-rounded academic curriculum and should be available to every student in every school.

Actions Timeline

- Apr 5, 2006: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- Apr 4, 2006: Mr. Keller moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- Apr 4, 2006: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H1415-1417)
- Apr 4, 2006: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 355.
- Apr 4, 2006: 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 H1415-1416)
- Apr 4, 2006: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H1415-1416)
- Apr 4, 2006: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Mar 9, 2006: Introduced in House
- Mar 9, 2006: Introduced in House
- Mar 9, 2006: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.