

SRES 398

A resolution relating to the censure of George W. Bush.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Congress

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Current Status: Committee on the Judiciary. Hearings held.

Latest Action: Committee on the Judiciary. Hearings held. (Mar 31, 2006)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 13, 2006)

Declares that the U.S. Senate censures George W. Bush, President of the United States, and condemns: (1) his unlawful authorization of wiretaps of Americans within the United States without obtaining the court orders required by the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 (FISA); (2) his failure to inform the full congressional intelligence committees as required by law; and (3) his efforts to mislead the American people about the authorities relied upon by his Administration to conduct wiretaps and about the legality of the program.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 31, 2006:** Committee on the Judiciary. Hearings held.
- **Mar 13, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 13, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2041-2042)