

## HCONRES 415

Condemning the repression of the Iranian Baha'i community and calling for the emancipation of Iranian Baha'is.

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**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 13, 2006
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Sep 20, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SCONRES 101	Identical bill	<b>Dec 5, 2006:</b> Held at the desk.

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

Calls on the government of Iran to cease repressive activities aimed at the Iranian Baha'i community and holds the government of Iran responsible for upholding the rights of its nationals, including the Baha'i community.

Requests the President to: (1) call for the government of Iran to emancipate the Baha'i community by granting those rights guaranteed by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international human rights covenants; (2) emphasize that the United States regards the government of Iran's human rights practices as a significant factor in U.S.-Iran foreign policy; and (3) initiate a consistent dialogue with other governments and the European Union (EU) in order to persuade the government of Iran to rectify its human rights practices.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Sep 20, 2006:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** Ms. Ros-Lehtinen moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6678-6681)
- **Sep 19, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 415.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** 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.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6705-6706)
- **Sep 19, 2006:** 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): 393 - 2 (Roll no. 453).(text: CR H6678)
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- **Sep 19, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 13, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Sep 13, 2006:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 24, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **May 24, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E947)
- **May 24, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.