

SRES 420

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that effective treatment and access to care for individuals with psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis should be improved.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Health

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]

Party: Republican • **State:** OR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Lautenberg, Frank R. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Apr 3, 2006
Sen. Santorum, Rick [R-PA]	R · PA		May 2, 2006
Sen. Johnson, Tim [D-SD]	D · SD		May 16, 2006
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2006
Sen. Warner, John [R-VA]	R · VA		Jul 11, 2006
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Jul 17, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Jul 31, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HCONRES 340	Related bill	Feb 17, 2006: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.

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

Recognizes the need for enhanced public awareness of psoriasis and the importance of early diagnosis and proper treatment.

Expresses support for the leadership of the Director of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the Director of the National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Disease for identifying a cure and developing safer, more effective treatments for psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis.

Encourages: (1) researchers to examine the negative psychological and physical effects of psoriasis; and (2) efforts to increase access to treatment and care for individuals with psoriasis and psoriatic arthritis.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 31, 2006:** Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S8475)
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- **Jul 31, 2006:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text as passed Senate: CR S8475-8476)
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- **Apr 3, 2006:** Introduced in Senate
- **Apr 3, 2006:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (text of measure as introduced: CR S2735-2736)
- **Apr 3, 2006:** Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.