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### **HCONRES 45**

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: Feb 2, 2005

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. (Mar 2,

2005)

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| Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-2]   | D · MA        |      | Feb 17, 2005       |
| Rep. Porter, Jon C. [R-NV-3]   | $R \cdot NV$  |      | Feb 17, 2005       |
| Rep. Burgess, Michael C. [R-TX-26]   | $R \cdot TX$  |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Chandler, Ben [D-KY-6]  | D · KY        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]  | D · AZ        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]  | $D\cdotMD$    |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-2]  | D · NY        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
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| Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-15]  | D · NY        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]   | D · OH        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
| Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]  | D · NY        |      | Mar 1, 2005        |
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# **Committee Activity**

| Committee  | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
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| Education and Workforce Committee                | House   | Referred To | Feb 2, 2005 |
| Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee | Senate  | Referred To | Mar 2, 2005 |

# **Subjects & Policy Tags**

# Policy Area:

Education

#### **Related Bills**

| Bill               | Relationship   | Last Action  |
|--------------------|----------------|--|
| 109 HCONRES<br>355 | Identical bill | ${\bf Apr}~{\bf 5}, {\bf 2006:}$ Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. |

#### **Summary** (as of Mar 1, 2005)

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.

Recognizes NAMM, the International Music Products Association, for its efforts to emphasize the importance of school music programs in the academic and social development of children.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Mar 2, 2005: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.
- Mar 1, 2005: Mr. Kuhl (NY) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- Mar 1, 2005: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H805-808)
- Mar 1, 2005: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 45.
- Mar 1, 2005: 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 H805)
- Mar 1, 2005: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H805)
- Mar 1, 2005: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Feb 2, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Feb 2, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.