

HRES 624

Requesting the President of the United States and directing the Secretary of State to provide to the House of Representatives certain documents in their possession relating to United States policies under the United Nations Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Geneva Conventions.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Reported By	Feb 10, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

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International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2006)

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

Requests the President and directs the Secretary of State to provide to the House of Representatives: (1) all documents, memoranda, and advisory legal opinions in the possession of the President or the Secretary from the Department of State provided to the Executive Office of the President since September 11, 2001, concerning U.S. policies under the United Nations Convention Against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment, and the Geneva Conventions toward individuals captured by or transferred to the United States or detained in U.S. custody as part of the Global War on Terror; and (2) all documents, including notes from meetings, memos, and telephone and electronic mail records of internal discussions since September 11, 2001, in the possession of the President or the Secretary concerning U.S. policies under the United Nations Convention against Torture and Other Cruel, Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment and the Geneva Conventions.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 10, 2006:** Reported adversely by the Committee on International Relations. H. Rept. 109-375.
- **Feb 10, 2006:** Reported adversely by the Committee on International Relations. H. Rept. 109-375.
- **Feb 10, 2006:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 146.
- **Feb 8, 2006:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Feb 8, 2006:** Ordered to be Reported Adversely by the Yeas and Nays: 25 - 17.
- **Dec 16, 2005:** Introduced in House
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- **Dec 16, 2005:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.