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### **HRES 638**

Congratulating Bill Gates, Melinda Gates and Bono for being named Time Magazine's 2005 Person of the

Year.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations Introduced: Dec 18, 2005

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Government Reform. (Dec 18, 2005)

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#### **Sponsor**

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Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

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