

HRES 976

Condemning human rights abuses by the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran and expressing solidarity with the Iranian people.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Sep 20, 2006)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]

Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (34 total)

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Rep. Berkley, Shelley [D-NV-1]	D · NV		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Burton, Dan [R-IN-5]	R · IN		Jul 28, 2006
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Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jul 28, 2006
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Rep. Pence, Mike [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-18]	R · FL		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Souder, Mark E. [R-IN-3]	R · IN		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jul 28, 2006
Rep. Dingell, John D. [D-MI-15]	D · MI		Sep 7, 2006
Rep. Rohrabacher, Dana [R-CA-46]	R · CA		Sep 7, 2006
Rep. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL-10]	R · IL		Sep 14, 2006
Rep. Michaud, Michael H. [D-ME-2]	D · ME		Sep 14, 2006

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Sep 13, 2006

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 20, 2006)

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

Condemns the government of the Islamic Republic of Iran's human rights abuses and urges the international community to bring pressure on Iran to halt discrimination and violence toward its citizens, in particular women, religious and ethnic minorities, and vocal opponents of the regime.

Urges the U.S. government to continue to pressure the government of Iran into making measurable human rights improvements.

Expresses unity with all Iranian people and shares their desire to see Iran become a free country with democratic institutions and equal rights for all.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 20, 2006:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H6786)
- **Sep 20, 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): 408 - 10, 2 Present (Roll no. 460).(text: CR 9/20/2006 H6690)
- **Sep 20, 2006:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 408 - 10, 2 Present (Roll no. 460). (text: CR 9/20/2006 H6690)
- **Sep 20, 2006:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** Mr. McCaul (TX) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Sep 19, 2006:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6690-6692)
- **Sep 19, 2006:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 976.
- **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 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.
- **Jul 28, 2006:** Introduced in House
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- **Jul 28, 2006:** Referred to the House Committee on International Relations.