

HRES 1055

Recognizing the enduring value of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (ICERD) as a cornerstone of global efforts to combat racial discrimination and uphold human rights, and for other purposes.

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. (Jun 3, 2008)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 14, 2008
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 3, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HRES 1176	Text similarities	May 14, 2008: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 415 - 0 (Roll no. 313). (text: CR 5/13/2008 H3712)

Summary (as of Mar 14, 2008)

Recognizes the enduring value of the International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination (ICERD) as a cornerstone of global efforts to combat racial discrimination and uphold human rights.

Commends the United States for meeting its ICERD reporting obligations.

Calls upon the U.S. government to support existing laws and programs aimed at redressing past injustices that have contributed to ongoing racial discrimination and present day disparities.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 3, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- **Mar 14, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 14, 2008:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.