

HRES 1169

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States should become an international human rights leader by ratifying and implementing certain core international conventions.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Rep. Woolsey, Lynn C. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Jul 10, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2008
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 1, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 1, 2008)

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that: (1) it is U.S. policy to oppose slavery, torture, racism, discrimination, and xenophobia; (2) the United States should give thorough review to domestic policy and legislative proposals that would improve the lives of marginalized U.S. communities; and (3) the Senate and the United States should ratify specified international conventions.

Actions Timeline

- **May 1, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **May 1, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E797)
- **May 1, 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.