

## HRES 125

Expressing deep concern over the use of civilians as "human shields" in violation of international humanitarian law, including Hezbollah's tactic of embedding its forces among civilians to use them as human shields during the summer of 2006 conflict between Hezbollah and the State of Israel.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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**Current Status:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.

**Latest Action:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection. (Apr 25, 2007)

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Committee Activity

| Committee                 | Chamber | Activity  | Date         |
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| Foreign Affairs Committee | House   | Markup By | Mar 27, 2007 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Condemns the use of innocent civilians as human shields, including Hezbollah's recent use of this brutal and illegal tactic during the 2006 summer conflict with Israel.

Calls on: (1) responsible nations to condemn the use of civilians as human shields as a violation of international humanitarian law; and (2) responsible nations and experts in the area of international humanitarian law to focus particular attention on the use of human shields in violation of international humanitarian law and make recommendations for its prevention.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Apr 25, 2007:** Mr. Ackerman moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Apr 25, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4068-4073)
- **Apr 25, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 125.
- **Apr 25, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4068)
- **Apr 25, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4068)
- **Apr 25, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 25, 2007:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 27, 2007:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 27, 2007:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Feb 5, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 5, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.