

HRES 1266

Congratulating Albania and Croatia on being invited to begin accession talks with the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and expressing support for continuing to enlarge the alliance.

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Rep. Smith, Adam [D-WA-9]	D · WA		Jul 24, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 11, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 SRES 570	Related bill	May 19, 2008: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S4424; text as passed Senate: CR S4424; text of measure as introduced: CR S4378)

Summary (as of Jul 30, 2008)

Congratulates Albania and Croatia on being invited by the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) to begin accession talks.

Supports: (1) the invitations to initiate an Intensified Dialogue between NATO and Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro, and Serbia; and (2) the enlargement of NATO, and the NATO declaration at the Bucharest Summit that NATO should remain open to European democracies able to assume membership responsibilities.

Affirms that any decision about NATO membership will be made through member consensus and that no country outside of NATO has a vote or veto with respect to such decisions.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 30, 2008:** Mr. Berman moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7338-7340)
- **Jul 30, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 1266.
- **Jul 30, 2008:** 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 H7338)
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- **Jul 30, 2008:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 11, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 11, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.