

HRES 1278

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States Government should lead an international diplomatic initiative to limit inefficient speculation on international energy exchanges through the adoption of international standards for energy futures trading margin requirements as an appropriate means of ensuring access to reliable and affordable supplies of crude oil.

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No related bills are listed.

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Actions Timeline

- **Jun 17, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 17, 2008:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1238-1239)
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