

HRES 1307

Commemorating the Kingdom of Bhutan's participation in the 2008 Smithsonian Folklife Festival and commending the people and the Government of the Kingdom of Bhutan for their commitment to holding elections and broadening political participation.

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Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Sep 9, 2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Baird, Brian [D-WA-3]

Party: Democratic • **State:** WA • **Chamber:** House

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Rep. Wu, David [D-OR-1]	D · OR		Jul 10, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 26, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 9, 2008)

Commemorates Bhutan's participation in the 2008 Smithsonian Folklife Festival.

Recognizes the cultural, artistic, agricultural, and environmental achievements of Bhutan and the Bhutanese people.

Commends the Bhutanese people, the government of the Kingdom of Bhutan, and His Majesty King Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck for their commitment to conducting parliamentary elections and transitioning from a monarchy to a parliamentary democracy.

States that the House of Representatives remains committed to working with Bhutan, should it so desire, to foster cultural exchange and to assist in promoting democratic reform.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 9, 2008:** Mr. Baird moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Sep 9, 2008:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7879-7881)
- **Sep 9, 2008:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 1307.
- **Sep 9, 2008:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Sep 9, 2008:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H7928)
- **Sep 9, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 395 - 15 (Roll no. 573).(text: CR H7880)
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- **Jun 26, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 26, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.