

HRES 1446

Expressing the importance of swimming lessons and recognizing the danger of drowning in the United States, especially among minority children.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Sports and Recreation

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Sep 16, 2008)

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Committee Activity

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| Energy and Commerce Committee | House | Referred to | Sep 16, 2008 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Sports and Recreation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Sep 16, 2008)

Declares the importance of access to swimming lessons for all U.S. communities. Condemns the persistent high rates of drowning fatalities among children.

Celebrates the passage of the Virginia Graeme Baker Pool and Spa Safety Act and the work of initiatives to educate parents and caregivers on water safety and drowning prevention messages.

Encourages funding to support initiatives that provide all children access to swimming education.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 16, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Sep 16, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- **Sep 16, 2008:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.