

**HCONRES 231**

Expressing the sense of Congress that the Government of the United States should submit to the Government of Iraq a draft bilateral status-of-forces agreement.

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**Sponsor**

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**Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Oct 10, 2007

**Subjects & Policy Tags**

**Policy Area:**

International Affairs

**Related Bills**

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HCONRES 97	Related bill	<b>Oct 2, 2007:</b> Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR H11158)

**Summary** (as of Oct 10, 2007)

Expresses the sense of Congress that the U.S. government should submit to the government of Iraq a draft bilateral status-of-forces agreement which should: (1) address the sovereign rights of Iraq, underlining that the United States is not an occupying power; (2) address the legal status of U.S. personnel in Iraq; and (3) establish coordinative mechanisms with respect to investigations and operations involving U.S. and Iraqi forces, including civilian police forces.

## Actions Timeline

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