

HRES 431

Recognizing the 40th anniversary of Loving v. Virginia legalizing interracial marriage within the United States.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations

Introduced: May 23, 2007

Current Status: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Jun 11, 2007)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-resolution/431>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2]

Party: Democratic • State: WI • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (15 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		May 23, 2007
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Cummings, Elijah E. [D-MD-7]	D · MD		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7]	D · AZ		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Jun 6, 2007
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-15]	D · CA		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jun 7, 2007
Rep. Berman, Howard L. [D-CA-28]	D · CA		Jun 11, 2007
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jun 11, 2007
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jun 11, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	May 23, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 11, 2007)

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Observes the 40th Anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court decision in *Loving v. Virginia*.

Commemorates that case's legacy in: (1) ending the ban on interracial marriage in the United States; and (2) recognizing that marriage is one of the "basic civil rights of man" at the heart of the 14th Amendment protections.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 11, 2007:** Ms. Baldwin moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Jun 11, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H6187-6189)
- **Jun 11, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 431.
- **Jun 11, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H6187-6188)
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- **Jun 11, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 23, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **May 23, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.