

HRES 497

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Government of the People's Republic of China should immediately release from custody the children of Rebiya Kadeer and Canadian citizen Huseyin Celil and should refrain from further engaging in acts of cultural, linguistic, and religious suppression directed against the Uyghur people, and for other purposes.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Jun 26, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 SRES 574	Related bill	May 22, 2008: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S4805-4806)

Summary (as of Sep 17, 2007)

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

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that the government of the People's Republic of China (PRC) should: (1) seek to ensure the linguistic, cultural, and religious rights of the Uyghur people of the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region; (2) release the children of Rebiya Kadeer from incarceration and house arrest and cease intimidation of the Kadeer family members; and (3) release Canadian citizen Huseyin Celil and allow him to rejoin his family in Canada.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 17, 2007:** Mr. Faleomavaega moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Sep 17, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H10393-10395)
- **Sep 17, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 497.
- **Sep 17, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H10393)
- **Sep 17, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H10393)
- **Sep 17, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jun 26, 2007:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Jun 26, 2007:** Committee Agreed to Seek Consideration Under Suspension of the Rules, by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jun 19, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 19, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.