

HCONRES 50

Calling on the Government of Venezuela to uphold the human rights and civil liberties of the people of Venezuela.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 17, 2007
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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 31, 2007)

Expresses support for the people of Venezuela in their daily struggle for freedom, democratic self-governance, and the establishment of the rule of law.

Calls on the government of Venezuela to: (1) abide by its obligations under international human rights treaties and international humanitarian law to ensure the rights of all individuals, irrespective of their political views; and (2) end killings, torture, and ill treatment by the police and military.

Encourages: (1) the Inter-American Commission of Human Rights (IACHR) to monitor the human rights situation in Venezuela; and (2) the President and the Secretary of State to assist democracy and human rights activists and the nonviolent democratic opposition in Venezuela.

Expresses support for the Secretary General of the Organization of American States (OAS) for his continued attention and support for freedom of expression in Venezuela.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 17, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Western Hemisphere.
- **Apr 17, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on International Organizations, Human Rights, and Oversight.
- **Jan 31, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 31, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.