

## HRES 64

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Government of Bangladesh should immediately drop all pending charges against Bangladeshi journalist Salah Uddin Shoaib Choudhury.

**Congress:** 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

**Introduced:** Jan 16, 2007

**Current Status:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays

**Latest Action:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 409 - 1, 4 Present (Roll no. 139). (text: CR H2448) (Mar 13, 2007)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/110th-congress/house-resolution/64>

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Committee Activity

| Committee                 | Chamber | Activity    | Date        |
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| Foreign Affairs Committee | House   | Referred to | Feb 5, 2007 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Mar 13, 2007)

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Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that the government of Bangladesh should: (1) drop all pending charges against Bangladeshi journalist Salah Uddin Shoaib Choudhury; (2) return all of Mr. Choudhury's confiscated possessions; and (3) cease harassment of Mr. Choudhury and take steps to protect Mr. Choudhury.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Mar 13, 2007:** Mr. Ackerman moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Mar 13, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H2447-2450)
- **Mar 13, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 64.
- **Mar 13, 2007:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Mar 13, 2007:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H2461)
- **Mar 13, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 409 - 1, 4 Present (Roll no. 139).(text: CR H2448)
- **Mar 13, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 13, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 409 - 1, 4 Present (Roll no. 139). (text: CR H2448)
- **Feb 15, 2007:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Feb 15, 2007:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Feb 5, 2007:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Middle East and South Asia .
- **Jan 16, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 16, 2007:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E115-116)
- **Jan 16, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.