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SRES 660

A resolution condemning ongoing sales of arms to belligerents in Sudan, including the Government of Sudan, and calling for both a cessation of such sales and an expansion of the United Nations embargo on arms sales to Sudan.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs Introduced: Sep 15, 2008

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (Sep 27,

2008)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]

Party: Democratic • State: FL • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (29 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Brownback, Sam [R-KS]	R · KS		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	$D\cdotMD$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Clinton, Hillary Rodham [D-NY]	D · NY		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Coleman, Norm [R-MN]	$R \cdot MN$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Dole, Elizabeth [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Feingold, Russell D. [D-WI]	D · WI		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Hatch, Orrin G. [R-UT]	$R \cdot UT$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Inhofe, James M. [R-OK]	$R \cdot OK$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Kerry, John F. [D-MA]	D · MA		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Lieberman, Joseph I. [ID-CT]	$ID \cdot CT$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Martinez, Mel [R-FL]	$R \cdot FL$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Snowe, Olympia J. [R-ME]	$R \cdot ME$		Sep 15, 2008
Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D·IA		Sep 17, 2008
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Sep 17, 2008
Sen. Bingaman, Jeff [D-NM]	$D\cdotNM$		Sep 18, 2008
Sen. Chambliss, Saxby [R-GA]	$R \cdot GA$		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Ensign, John [R-NV]	$R \cdot NV$		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Smith, Gordon H. [R-OR]	$R \cdot OR$		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Sununu, John E. [R-NH]	$R \cdot NH$		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Voinovich, George V. [R-OH]	$R \cdot OH$		Sep 22, 2008
Sen. Burr, Richard [R-NC]	$R \cdot NC$		Sep 23, 2008
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	$R \cdot PA$		Sep 23, 2008
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Sep 26, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Sep 27, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HRES 1462	Identical bill	Sep 18, 2008: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Expresses the sense of the Senate that: (1) the United States should seek a peaceful resolution to the conflict in Darfur, Sudan, and should continue to pursue a political solution to the deployment of the United Nations-African Union Mission peacekeeping forces in Darfur; (2) the United States supports U.N. Security Council Resolutions 1556 and 1591 imposing an arms embargo on all belligerents in Darfur; (3) in light of the transferred arms in Darfur from China and Russia and the government of Sudan's insistence that it will not abide by the embargo, all U.N. member states should cease all arms sales to the government of Sudan; and (4) the U.S. Permanent Representative to the United Nations should seek an expansion of the arms embargo imposed by Resolutions 1556 and 1591.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 27, 2008: Senate Committee on Foreign Relations discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- Sep 27, 2008: Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S10019)
- Sep 27, 2008: Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.
- Sep 27, 2008: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.
- Sep 15, 2008: Introduced in Senate
- Sep 15, 2008: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S8532-8533)
- Sep 15, 2008: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8531-8532)