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HRES 668

Recognizing the 50th anniversary of the September 25, 1957, desegregation of Little Rock Central High

School by the Little Rock Nine.

Congress: 110 (2007-2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Commemorations Introduced: Sep 20, 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. (Sep 24, 2007)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-14]

Party: Democratic • State: MI • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (36 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI-2] D · WI Sep 20,			
Rep. Berry, Marion [D-AR-1]	D · AR		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Boyda, Nancy E. [D-KS-2]	D · KS		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Carson, Julia [D-IN-7]	D · IN		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Farr, Sam [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-7] D · AZ Se			
Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Jefferson, William J. [D-LA-2]	D · LA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Jones, Stephanie Tubbs [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-9]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. McDermott, Jim [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-6]	D · NY		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Ross, Mike [D-AR-4]	D · AR		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Scott, Robert C. "Bobby" [D-VA-3]	D · VA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Smith, Lamar [R-TX-21]	R · TX		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Snyder, Vic [D-AR-2]	D · AR		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Sutton, Betty [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D·MS		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD-8]	$D\cdotMD$		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Watson, Diane E. [D-CA-33]	D · CA		Sep 20, 2007
Rep. Wexler, Robert [D-FL-19]	D · FL		Sep 20, 2007
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Boozman, John [R-AR-3]	R · AR		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Cleaver, Emanuel [D-MO-5]	D · MO		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-23]	D · FL		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Payne, Donald M. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Sep 24, 2007
Rep. Watt, Melvin L. [D-NC-12]	D · NC		Sep 24, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 20, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 SRES 355	Related bill	Oct 24, 2007: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13366-13367)
110 SRES 301	Related bill	Sep 7, 2007: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S11278-11279; text as passed Senate: CR S11279)

Summary (as of Sep 24, 2007)

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

Acknowledges and commemorates the 50th anniversary of the desegregation of Little Rock Central High School by the Little Rock Nine.

Encourages all Americans, upon this 50th anniversary, to recognize the historic contributions of the Little Rock Nine, who not only secured integration for Little Rock Central High School, but hundreds of thousands of schools across the country.

Commits the House of Representatives, in the wake of recent challenges, to continuing the legacy of *Brown v. Board of Education* and the Little Rock Nine by protecting and advancing equal educational opportunity for all.

Actions Timeline

- Sep 24, 2007: Mr. Convers moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- Sep 24, 2007: Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H10724-10727)
- Sep 24, 2007: DEBATE The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 668.
- Sep 24, 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.
- Sep 24, 2007: Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H10734-10735)
- Sep 24, 2007: Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 387 0 (Roll no. 892).(text: CR H10724-10725)
- Sep 24, 2007: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 387 0 (Roll no. 892). (text: CR H10724-10725)
- Sep 24, 2007: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- Sep 20, 2007: Introduced in House
- Sep 20, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E1944)
- Sep 20, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.