

HJRES 75

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the process by which the House of Representatives selects the President in the event no candidate receives a majority of electoral votes.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Dec 19, 2007

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. (Jan 14, 2008)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: VA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred to | Jan 14, 2008 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 110 HJRES 73 | Related bill | Jan 14, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. |

Summary (as of Dec 19, 2007)

Constitutional Amendment - States that whenever the right to choose the President devolves upon the House of Representatives, the Members of the House shall cast votes on an individual basis, and the candidate receiving votes cast by a majority of the Members of the House shall be the President.

Actions Timeline

- Jan 14, 2008: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- Dec 19, 2007: Introduced in House
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