

HRES 826

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the hanging of nooses is a horrible act when used for the purpose of intimidation and which under certain circumstances can be a criminal act that should be thoroughly investigated by Federal law enforcement authorities and that any criminal violations should be vigorously prosecuted.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Nov 14, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 SRES 396	Related bill	Dec 14, 2007: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amendment to the Title and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S15704-15705; text of measure as reported in Senate: CR S15704-15705)

Summary (as of Dec 5, 2007)

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

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that the hanging of nooses for the purpose of intimidation is a horrible, and under certain circumstances, criminal act.

Calls for federal investigation of such conduct and vigorous prosecution of any criminal violations.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 5, 2007:** Mr. Conyers moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Dec 5, 2007:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H14198-14203)
- **Dec 5, 2007:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 826.
- **Dec 5, 2007:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H14198-14199)
- **Dec 5, 2007:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H14198-14199)
- **Dec 5, 2007:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 14, 2007:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 14, 2007:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.