

HRES 864

Condemning Saudi Arabia for sentencing a gang-rape victim to 200 lashes and 6 months in prison and calling for King Abdullah to overturn the verdict.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 11, 2007

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 11, 2007)

Condemns rape as an inhumane act.

Supports rape victims' rights to seek legal action against their attackers.

Calls on Saudi Arabia's King Abdullah to overturn the verdict against the "Girl from Qatif" and set the victim free.

Calls on Saudi Arabia to undertake promised judicial reforms.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 11, 2007:** Introduced in House
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