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HR 947

Afghan Women Empowerment Act of 2007

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Sponsor

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Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA	May 1, 2007
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	$D \cdot VT$	May 10, 2007
Rep. Udall, Tom [D-NM-3]	$D \cdot NM$	May 14, 2007
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Rep. Shays, Christopher [R-CT-4]	$R \cdot CT$	Jun 5, 2007
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-8]	$D\cdotNJ$	Jul 23, 2007
Rep. Latham, Tom [R-IA-4]	$R \cdot IA$	Jul 25, 2007
Rep. Holt, Rush [D-NJ-12]	$D\cdotNJ$	Jun 17, 2008

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 8, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 S 147	Identical bill	Jan 4, 2007: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Summary (as of Feb 8, 2007)

Afghan Women Empowerment Act of 2007 - Expresses the sense of Congress that the protection of the rights of women and girls in Afghanistan and their full participation in the reestablishment of democracy are essential to Afghanistan's reconstruction, and to achieve such reconstruction the U.S. government must commit resources to advance the rights of women throughout Afghanistan.

Amends the Afghanistan Freedom Support Act of 2002 to revise the provisions respecting assistance to women and girls in Afghanistan. Extends funding authority.

Expresses the sense of Congress that the President should: (1) condition the provision of such assistance on the recipient adhering to international standards for women's rights and human rights; and (2) ensure that Afghan women-led nongovernmental organizations with demonstrated experience in delivering services to Afghan women and children receive grants without ethnic, religious, or any other discrimination.

Actions Timeline

- Feb 8, 2007: Introduced in House
- Feb 8, 2007: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E295)
- Feb 8, 2007: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.