

HRES 979

Recommending that the House of Representatives find Harriet Miers and Joshua Bolten, Chief of Staff, White House, in contempt of Congress for refusal to comply with subpoenas duly issued by the Committee on the Judiciary.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: Feb 13, 2008

Current Status: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 982, H. Res. 979 is considered passed House. (consideration: C

Latest Action: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 982, H. Res. 979 is considered passed House. (consideration: CR H962; text as passed House: CR H962) (Feb 14, 2008)

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Sponsor

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

Party: Democratic • **State:** MI • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 13, 2008

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HRES 982	Related bill	Feb 14, 2008: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2008)

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

Directs the Speaker of the House of Representatives to certify to the U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia the report of the Committee on the Judiciary detailing the refusal of: (1) former White House Counsel Harriet Miers to appear or testify before, or to produce documents to, the Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law; as directed by subpoena; and (2) White House Chief of Staff Joshua Bolten to produce documents, as also directed by subpoena.

Provides that Ms. Miers and Mr. Bolten be proceeded against (for contempt of Congress).

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 14, 2008:** Passed/agreed to in House: Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 982, H. Res. 979 is considered passed House.(consideration: CR H962; text as passed House: CR H962)
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- **Feb 13, 2008:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 13, 2008:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Feb 13, 2008:** Rules Committee Resolution H. Res. 982 Reported to House. Rule provides for consideration of H. Res. 979 and H. Res. 980. Upon the adoption of H.Res. 982, H.Res. 979 and H.Res. 980 are hereby adopted.