

## HCONRES 151

Expressing the sense of Congress that China release democratic activist Liu Xiaobo from imprisonment.

**Congress:** 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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**Latest Action:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (Oct 1, 2009)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jun 12, 2009
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 1, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

## Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Oct 1, 2009)

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Expresses the sense of Congress that China's government immediately release Liu Xiaobo and begin making strides toward true representative democracy.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Oct 1, 2009:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H10424)
- **Oct 1, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 410 - 1 (Roll no. 751).(text: CR 9/30/2009 H10105)
- **Oct 1, 2009:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 410 - 1 (Roll no. 751). (text: CR 9/30/2009 H10105)
- **Oct 1, 2009:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Oct 1, 2009:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.
- **Sep 30, 2009:** Mr. Berman moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Sep 30, 2009:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H10105-10106)
- **Sep 30, 2009:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 151.
- **Sep 30, 2009:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 12, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 12, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.