

HCONRES 227

Supporting the goals and ideals of National Urban Crimes Awareness Week.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Crime and Law Enforcement

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Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Feb 22, 2010
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 13, 2010
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 1, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Crime and Law Enforcement

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 25, 2010)

Expresses the sense of Congress that: (1) National Urban Crimes Awareness Week provides a special opportunity to educate Americans about urban violence; and (2) it is appropriate to acknowledge victims of urban violence and to commend efforts to prevent such violence.

Calls for recognition of: (1) national and community organizations and private sector supporters for their work in promoting awareness about urban violent crimes and in assisting victims, families, and survivors of such crimes; (2) public safety, law enforcement, and health professionals for their efforts to combat urban violent crime; and (3) victim advocates and criminal justice professionals for their work in establishing alternatives to incarceration and rehabilitation programs for offenders and victims alike.

Recommends that national and community organizations, private businesses, colleges and universities, and the media: (1) promote awareness of violent urban crimes and strategies to decrease the incidence of these crimes; and (2) support the goals and ideals of National Urban Crimes Awareness Week.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 1, 2010:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Feb 25, 2010:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H907)
- **Feb 25, 2010:** 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): 411 - 0 (Roll no. 68).(text: CR 2/23/2010 H687)
- **Feb 25, 2010:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 411 - 0 (Roll no. 68). (text: CR 2/23/2010 H687)
- **Feb 25, 2010:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Mr. Scott (VA) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Feb 23, 2010:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H687-688)
- **Feb 23, 2010:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 227.
- **Feb 23, 2010:** At the conclusion of debate, the chair put the question on the motion to suspend the rules. Mr. Scott (VA) objected to the vote on the grounds that a quorum was not present. Further proceedings on the motion were postponed. The point of no quorum was withdrawn.
- **Jan 13, 2010:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 13, 2010:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.