

HRES 76

A resolution mourning the horrific loss of life in January 2009 caused by a landslide in Guatemala and an earthquake in Costa Rica.

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jan 21, 2009

Current Status: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection. (Apr 28, 2009)

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Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Foreign Affairs Committee | House | Markup By | Mar 25, 2009 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Apr 28, 2009)

Mourns the loss of life caused by the landslide that occurred on January 4, 2009, in Guatemala and the earthquake on January 8, 2009, in Costa Rica.

Expresses condolences to the victims' families.

Applauds the prompt humanitarian responses to these natural disasters by the governments of Guatemala and Costa Rica.

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that it should be U.S. policy to: (1) assist the governments of Guatemala and Costa Rica in humanitarian and reconstruction efforts; and (2) continue technical assistance to Central American governments to strengthen their disaster management capacities.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 28, 2009:** Mr. Scott (GA) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Apr 28, 2009:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4866-4867)
- **Apr 28, 2009:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 76.
- **Apr 28, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4866)
- **Apr 28, 2009:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote. (text: CR H4866)
- **Apr 28, 2009:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Apr 28, 2009:** The title of the measure was amended. Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 25, 2009:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 25, 2009:** Ordered to be Reported (Amended) by Unanimous Consent.
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 21, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.