

HCONRES 13

Reaffirming "In God We Trust" as the official motto of the United States and supporting and encouraging the public display of the national motto in all public buildings, public schools, and other government institutions.

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Discharged from	Mar 14, 2011
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 2, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 1, 2011)

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

Reaffirms "In God We Trust" as the official motto of the United States.

Encourages its display in all public buildings, public schools, and other government institutions.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 2, 2011:** Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Mr. Forbes moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H7169-7175)
- **Nov 1, 2011:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Con. Res. 13.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** 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.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H7186)
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 396 - 9, 2 Present (Roll no. 816).(text: CR H7169)
- **Nov 1, 2011:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Nov 1, 2011:** On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 396 - 9, 2 Present (Roll no. 816). (text: CR H7169)
- **Mar 31, 2011:** Reported by the Committee on Judiciary. H. Rept. 112-47.
- **Mar 31, 2011:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 23.
- **Mar 17, 2011:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 17, 2011:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Mar 14, 2011:** Subcommittee on the Constitution Discharged.
- **Feb 7, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 26, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.