

SRES 255

A resolution designating October 8, 2011, as "National Chess Day" to enhance awareness and encourage students and adults to engage in a game known to enhance critical thinking and problem-solving skills.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Sports and Recreation

Introduced: Aug 2, 2011

Current Status: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous

Latest Action: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5284-5285; text as passed Senate: CR S5284-5285; text of measure as introduced: CR S5269) (Aug 2, 2011)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Rockefeller, John D., IV [D-WV]

Party: Democratic • **State:** WV • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Alexander, Lamar [R-TN]	R · TN		Aug 2, 2011
Sen. Levin, Carl [D-MI]	D · MI		Aug 2, 2011

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Sports and Recreation

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 SRES 539	Related bill	Aug 1, 2012: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S5898-5900; text as passed Senate: CR S5899-5900; text of measure as introduced: CR S5894)

Summary (as of Aug 2, 2011)

Designates October 8, 2011, as National Chess Day.

Actions Timeline

- **Aug 2, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Aug 2, 2011:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S5284-5285; text as passed Senate: CR S5284-5285; text of measure as introduced: CR S5269)
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