

## SCONRES 26

A concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideals of the designation of the year of 2011 as the International Year for People of African Descent.

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Jul 28, 2011

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HRES 389	Related bill	Oct 25, 2011: Referred to the Subcommittee on Europe and Eurasia.
112 SCONRES 9	Related bill	Mar 2, 2011: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1145)

Supports the designation of 2011 as the International Year for People of African Descent.

Encourages the recognition of the collective history and achievements made by people of African descent.

Reaffirms the importance of the full participation of people of African descent around the world in all aspects of political, economic, social, and cultural life.

Recognizes bilateral and multilateral efforts to promote democracy, human rights, and the rule of law, including efforts that target the eradication of poverty, hunger and inequality.

Reaffirms the commitment of Congress to address racism, discrimination, and intolerance in the United States and around the globe.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jul 28, 2011:** Received in the House.
- **Jul 28, 2011:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Jul 28, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.
- **Jul 27, 2011:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jul 27, 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 S4970-4971; text as passed Senate: CR S4970-4971; text of measure as introduced: CR S4963)
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