

## SRES 385

A resolution condemning the Government of Iran for its continued persecution, imprisonment, and sentencing of Youcef Nadarkhani on the charge of apostasy.

**Congress:** 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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**Latest Action:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 431. (Jun 20, 2012)

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### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 20, 2012

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HRES 556	Related bill	<b>Mar 1, 2012:</b> Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

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

Condemns Iran for its systemic violations of the human rights of the Iranian people, including the state-sponsored persecution of religious minorities in Iran, and its continued failure to uphold its international obligations, including with respect to the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.

Calls on Iran to exonerate and release Youcef Nadarkhani and all other individuals held or charged on account of their religious or political beliefs.

Calls on the Administration to designate Iranian officials for human rights abuses.

Reaffirms that freedom of religious practice is a universal human right and a fundamental individual freedom that every government must protect.

### **Actions Timeline**

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- **Jun 20, 2012:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Kerry without amendment and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **Jun 20, 2012:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 431.
- **Jun 19, 2012:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute favorably.
- **Mar 1, 2012:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 1, 2012:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1205-1206)

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