

## SCONRES 26

A concurrent resolution recognizing the need to improve physical access to many federally funded facilities for all people of the United States, particularly people with disabilities.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Nov 21, 2013

**Current Status:** Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced:

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions. (text of measure as introduced: CR S8466) (Nov 21, 2013)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/senate-concurrent-resolution/26>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]

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

### Cosponsors (8 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Nov 21, 2013
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jan 8, 2014
Sen. Casey, Robert P., Jr. [D-PA]	D · PA		Jan 16, 2014
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Jan 16, 2014
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jan 27, 2014
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Jan 27, 2014
Sen. Landrieu, Mary L. [D-LA]	D · LA		Jan 28, 2014
Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jan 28, 2014

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 21, 2013

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HCONRES 67	Related bill	Jan 9, 2014: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

## **Summary** (as of Nov 21, 2013)

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Recognizes the hardships that people with disabilities must overcome every day.

Reaffirms support of the Architectural Barriers Act of 1968 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

Recommends that the United States Postal Service (USPS) and federal agencies install power-assisted doors at post offices and other federally funded facilities to ensure equal access for all people.

Pledges to continue to identify and remove the barriers that prevent equal access to federal government services.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Nov 21, 2013:** Introduced in Senate
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