

HRES 493

Expressing support for the designation of February 28, 2014, as "Rare Disease Day".

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Health

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. (Feb 28, 2014)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** IN • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Del. Christensen, Donna M. [D-VI-At Large]	D · VI		Feb 27, 2014
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 27, 2014
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		Feb 27, 2014
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Feb 27, 2014
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		Feb 27, 2014

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Energy and Commerce Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 28, 2014

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Health

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 SRES 368	Related bill	Feb 27, 2014: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S1252-1253; text as passed Senate: CR S1238-1239)
113 HRES 91	Identical bill	Mar 1, 2013: Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
113 SRES 57	Related bill	Feb 26, 2013: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S879-880; text as passed Senate: CR S878-879)

Summary (as of Feb 27, 2014)

Expresses support for: (1) the designation of Rare Disease Day; and (2) a national and global commitment to improving access to, and developing new treatments, diagnostics, and cures for, rare diseases and disorders.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 28, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Health.
- **Feb 27, 2014:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 27, 2014:** Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce.