

HRES 143

Urging the Government of Nigeria to move forward expeditiously with national general elections.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights and International Organizations. (Mar 20, 2015)

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Committee Activity

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Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	Mar 20, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 4, 2015)

Calls upon the government of Nigeria to hold its national general election as scheduled.

Expresses solidarity with the people of Nigeria and their aspirations for free and fair elections.

Supports U.S. efforts to provide security assistance and training to Nigeria to help eliminate the national security threat presented by the terrorist group Boko Haram and other groups that threaten the democratic process and the right of Nigerians to vote in a free and fair national election.

Actions Timeline

- **Mar 20, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights and International Organizations.
- **Mar 4, 2015:** Introduced in House
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