

SJRES 15

A joint resolution removing the deadline for the ratification of the equal rights amendment.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]	D · MA		May 7, 2015
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Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		May 7, 2015
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		May 11, 2015
Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM]	D · NM		Jul 7, 2015
Sen. Schatz, Brian [D-HI]	D · HI		Sep 30, 2015
Sen. Schumer, Charles E. [D-NY]	D · NY		May 11, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 7, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HJRES 51	Identical bill	Jun 1, 2015: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

Summary (as of May 7, 2015)

Eliminates the time limit for ratification of the equal rights amendment (prohibits discrimination on account of sex) proposed to the states in House Joint Resolution 208 of the 92nd Congress, as agreed to in the Senate on March 22, 1972. Declares that such amendment shall be part of the Constitution whenever ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states.

Actions Timeline

- **May 7, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
- **May 7, 2015:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.