

## HRES 177

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that specialty crops are a vital part of agriculture in the United States, and that Congress should fund programs that support specialty crops as a growing and important part of agriculture in the United States.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

**Introduced:** Mar 26, 2015

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research. (Apr 8, 2015)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-resolution/177>

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Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		May 29, 2015
Rep. Larson, John B. [D-CT-1]	D · CT		Sep 8, 2015
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Sep 22, 2015

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture Committee	House	Referred to	Apr 8, 2015

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

### Related Bills

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*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Mar 26, 2015)

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Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that specialty crops (fruits and vegetables, tree nuts, dried fruits, horticulture, and nursery crops, including floriculture) are a vital part of agriculture in the United States, and that Congress should fund programs that support specialty crops.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Apr 8, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Biotechnology, Horticulture, and Research.
- **Mar 26, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 26, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Agriculture.