

HRES 220

Condemning the Government of Iran's state-sponsored persecution of its Baha'i minority and its continued violation of the International Covenants on Human Rights.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Apr 23, 2015

Current Status: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.

Latest Action: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. (Sep 21, 2016)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-resolution/220>

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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Oct 29, 2015
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Rep. Israel, Steve [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Nov 18, 2015
Rep. Kinzinger, Adam [R-IL-16]	R · IL		Nov 18, 2015
Rep. Sensenbrenner, F. James, Jr. [R-WI-5]	R · WI		Nov 18, 2015
Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Nov 18, 2015
Rep. Roskam, Peter J. [R-IL-6]	R · IL		Nov 30, 2015
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Rep. Diaz-Balart, Mario [R-FL-25]	R · FL		Dec 3, 2015
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Dec 3, 2015

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Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		Dec 10, 2015
Rep. Eshoo, Anna G. [D-CA-18]	D · CA		Jan 5, 2016
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Rep. Tonko, Paul [D-NY-20]	D · NY		Mar 7, 2016
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Mar 10, 2016
Rep. King, Steve [R-IA-4]	R · IA		Mar 10, 2016
Rep. Matsui, Doris O. [D-CA-6]	D · CA		Mar 15, 2016
Rep. Velazquez, Nydia M. [D-NY-7]	D · NY		Mar 15, 2016
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Mar 22, 2016
Rep. Black, Diane [R-TN-6]	R · TN		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Kilmer, Derek [D-WA-6]	D · WA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Langevin, James R. [D-RI-2]	D · RI		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Lofgren, Zoe [D-CA-19]	D · CA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Takai, Mark [D-HI-1]	D · HI		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Vargas, Juan [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Apr 12, 2016
Rep. Vela, Filemon [D-TX-34]	D · TX		Apr 12, 2016
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		Apr 15, 2016
Rep. Ashford, Brad [D-NE-2]	D · NE		Apr 15, 2016
Rep. Foster, Bill [D-IL-11]	D · IL		Apr 15, 2016
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Doyle, Michael F. [D-PA-14]	D · PA		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Gohmert, Louie [R-TX-1]	R · TX		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Himes, James A. [D-CT-4]	D · CT		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Knight, Stephen [R-CA-25]	R · CA		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Pitts, Joseph R. [R-PA-16]	R · PA		Apr 29, 2016
Rep. Buchanan, Vern [R-FL-16]	R · FL		May 12, 2016
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		May 12, 2016
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		May 12, 2016
Rep. Butterfield, G. K. [D-NC-1]	D · NC		May 16, 2016
Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		May 16, 2016

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Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		May 16, 2016
Rep. Fattah, Chaka [D-PA-2]	D · PA		May 16, 2016
Rep. Chu, Judy [D-CA-27]	D · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Cook, Paul [R-CA-8]	R · CA		May 26, 2016
Rep. Joyce, David P. [R-OH-14]	R · OH		May 26, 2016
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		May 26, 2016
Rep. Honda, Michael M. [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Ross, Dennis A. [R-FL-15]	R · FL		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jun 7, 2016
Rep. Calvert, Ken [R-CA-42]	R · CA		Jun 10, 2016
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Rep. Huizenga, Bill [R-MI-2]	R · MI		Jun 13, 2016
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jun 13, 2016
Rep. Jolly, David W. [R-FL-13]	R · FL		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Kennedy, Joseph P., III [D-MA-4]	D · MA		Jun 28, 2016
Rep. Bost, Mike [R-IL-12]	R · IL		Jul 6, 2016
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-9]	D · FL		Jul 6, 2016
Rep. Capps, Lois [D-CA-24]	D · CA		Jul 8, 2016
Rep. Reichert, David G. [R-WA-8]	R · WA		Jul 13, 2016
Rep. Bishop, Rob [R-UT-1]	R · UT		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Hanna, Richard L. [R-NY-22]	R · NY		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]	D · OR		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Serrano, Jose E. [D-NY-15]	D · NY		Sep 6, 2016
Rep. Mulvaney, Mick [R-SC-5]	R · SC		Sep 9, 2016
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		Sep 12, 2016
Rep. Walorski, Jackie [R-IN-2]	R · IN		Sep 12, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 20, 2015
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 20, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 SRES 148	Identical bill	Dec 17, 2015: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S8831)

Condemns the government of Iran's state-sponsored persecution of its Baha'i minority and its continued violation of the International Covenants on Human Rights.

Calls on the government of Iran to release the seven imprisoned Baha'i leaders, the eight imprisoned Baha'i educators, and all other prisoners held on account of their religion.

Urges the President and the Department of State to utilize available authorities, including the Comprehensive Iran Sanctions, Accountability, and Divestment Act of 2010, to impose sanctions on officials of the government of Iran and other individuals directly responsible for serious human rights abuses, including abuses against the Baha'i community.

Actions Timeline

- **Sep 21, 2016:** Mr. Royce asked unanimous consent to discharge from committee and consider.
- **Sep 21, 2016:** Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged.
- **Sep 21, 2016:** Considered by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR H5743-5745; text of measure as introduced: CR H5743-5744)
- **Sep 21, 2016:** Passed/agreed to in House: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 21, 2016:** On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to without objection.
- **Sep 21, 2016:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 20, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Health, Global Human Rights and International Organizations.
- **May 20, 2015:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Middle East and North Africa.
- **Apr 23, 2015:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 23, 2015:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.