

## SRES 397

A resolution supporting the recognition of 2016 as the "Year of Pulses" and acknowledging the nutritional benefit and important contribution to soil health of pulse crops.

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Agriculture and Food

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### Sponsor

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Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Mar 10, 2016
Sen. Heitkamp, Heidi [D-ND]	D · ND		Mar 10, 2016
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Mar 10, 2016
Sen. Tester, Jon [D-MT]	D · MT		Mar 10, 2016
Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI]	D · MI		Apr 25, 2016
Sen. Hoeven, John [R-ND]	R · ND		May 12, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry Committee	Senate	Referred To	Mar 10, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Agriculture and Food

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HRES 791	Related bill	<b>Jun 30, 2016:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management.

## Summary (as of Mar 10, 2016)

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Supports the recognition of 2016 as the Year of Pulses, participation in events and activities organized pursuant to the United Nations observance of the International Year of Pulses in 2016, and future funding to support the cultivation and consumption of pulses. (A pulse is a dry, edible seed of a plant in the legume family, including a dry bean, dry pea, lentil, or chickpea.)

## Actions Timeline

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