

SRES 544

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding compliance enforcement of Russian violations of the Open Skies Treaty.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** AR • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 14, 2016
Sen. Corker, Bob [R-TN]	R · TN		Jul 14, 2016
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Jul 14, 2016

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 SRES 505	Identical bill	Jun 27, 2016: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 530.

Summary (as of Jul 14, 2016)

Expresses the sense of the Senate that: (1) restrictions upon the ability of Open Skies Treaty aircraft to overfly all portions of a State Party's territory impede openness of military forces and undermine confidence; (2) the Russian Federation's overfly restrictions constitute treaty violations; and (3) the United States should take measures to bring about the Russian Federation's return to full compliance with its treaty obligations, including by restricting Russian overflights of the United States.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 14, 2016:** Introduced in Senate
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