

SRES 97

A resolution supporting the goals of International Women's Day.

Congress: 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Mar 4, 2015

Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text)

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S2657-2658) (May 5, 2015)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NH • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (9 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Collins, Susan M. [R-ME]	R · ME		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Kirk, Mark Steven [R-IL]	R · IL		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Mikulski, Barbara A. [D-MD]	D · MD		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Mar 4, 2015
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Mar 4, 2015

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Discharged From	May 5, 2015

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Expresses support for the goals of International Women's Day.

Recognizes that the empowerment of women is linked to the potential of countries to generate economic growth, sustainable democracy, and inclusive security.

Honors individuals in the United States and around the world who have worked to ensure that women are guaranteed equality and basic human rights.

Reaffirms the Senate's commitment to: (1) end discrimination and violence against women and girls, (2) pursue policies that guarantee the basic human rights of women and girls worldwide, and (3) promote meaningful participation of women in all aspects of their societies and communities.

Expresses support for international calls for a Post-2015 Development Agenda to include a stand-alone goal to achieve gender equality and women's empowerment.

Actions Timeline

- **May 5, 2015:** Senate Committee on Foreign Relations discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **May 5, 2015:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S2656-2658)
- **May 5, 2015:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S2657-2658)
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- **Mar 4, 2015:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 4, 2015:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S1308-1309)