

HRES 1177

Recognizing the need for China to maintain its ban on rhinoceros and tiger parts.

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Policy Area: Animals

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands. (Dec 12, 2018)

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Dec 11, 2018
Natural Resources Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 12, 2018

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 11, 2018)

Recognizes China's postponement of its directive to allow rhinoceros horn and tiger bone to be used for medical and scientific research, and encourages China to maintain its ban on such use of rhinoceros and tiger parts.

Condemns: (1) the illegal killing, sale, or trade in the parts and product of rhinoceros and tigers from any source; and (2) the farming of rhinoceros and tigers to meet demand for their body parts.

Expresses support for the protection of rhinoceros and tiger populations to prevent extinction.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 12, 2018:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Federal Lands.
- **Dec 11, 2018:** Introduced in House
- **Dec 11, 2018:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Natural Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.