

HRES 145

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the fight against corruption in Central America.

Congress: 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Feb 16, 2017

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. (May 17, 2017)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-resolution/145>

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CA • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Moolenaar, John R. [R-MI-4]	R · MI		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Sires, Albio [D-NJ-8]	D · NJ		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Young, Don [R-AK-At Large]	R · AK		Feb 16, 2017
Rep. Granger, Kay [R-TX-12]	R · TX		Mar 1, 2017
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Mar 6, 2017
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		Mar 28, 2017
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Mar 28, 2017
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Apr 3, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	Mar 29, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Reaffirms that combating corruption in the Northern Triangle is an important policy interest for the United States.

Acknowledges that the International Commission against Impunity in Guatemala (CICIG) and the Mission to Support the Fight against Corruption and Impunity in Honduras (MACCIH) are currently making important contributions to such effort.

Urges the government of Guatemala to continue to cooperate with CICIG and the government of Honduras to continue to cooperate with MACCIH.

Encourages the governments of Honduras, Guatemala, and El Salvador to:

- publicly support efforts to fight corruption,
- respect the independence of the judicial branch and the Office of the Attorney General, and
- ensure that such office in each Northern Triangle country receives sufficient domestic budget allocations in a timely manner to carry out core responsibilities.

Actions Timeline

- **May 17, 2017:** Mr. Royce (CA) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **May 17, 2017:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4278-4281)
- **May 17, 2017:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 145.
- **May 17, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by voice vote.(text: CR H4278-4279)
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- **May 17, 2017:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Mar 29, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Mar 29, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported in the Nature of a Substitute (Amended) by Voice Vote.
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 16, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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