

HRES 207

Expressing the continued support of the House of Representatives for the Good Friday Agreement (the Belfast Agreement).

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (7 total)

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Rep. Connolly, Gerald E. [D-VA-11]	D · VA		Mar 17, 2017
Rep. Crowley, Joseph [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Mar 17, 2017
Rep. King, Peter T. [R-NY-2]	R · NY		Mar 17, 2017
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Mar 17, 2017
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Mar 17, 2017
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred to	May 18, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 17, 2017)

Reaffirms support for the Good Friday Agreement as the essential framework for the continued advancement of partnership, reconciliation, tolerance, and mutual trust, in Northern Ireland.

Encourages the Irish and British governments, as well as the Northern Ireland political parties, to continue to uphold and respect the provisions of that agreement throughout the forthcoming Brexit negotiations and to ensure that future European Union-United Kingdom and Ireland-United Kingdom negotiations give priority to protecting the gains of the peace process in Northern Ireland.

Actions Timeline

- **May 18, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Europe, Eurasia, and Emerging Threats.
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