

## HRES 231

Celebrating the importance of the 15th Anniversary of the Arab Peace Initiative as a meaningful effort by Arab countries to the commitment of peace in the Middle East.

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

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

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

### Summary (as of Mar 27, 2017)

Recognizes the importance of the 15th anniversary of the Arab Peace Initiative as a meaningful effort by regional Arab countries to support peace in the Middle East and to bring an end to the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Commends regional Arab and Muslim-majority countries that have taken steps to end the conflict.

Congratulates Jordan on its presidency of the Arab League on March 9, 2017.

Supports the efforts of regional Arab and Muslim-majority countries to strengthen regional security cooperation and stability through discussions with Israel.

Urges Israel, the Palestinian Authority, and regional Arab and Muslim-majority countries to engage in negotiations to advance the peace process and support the normalization of relations.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **May 18, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Middle East and North Africa.
- **Mar 27, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Mar 27, 2017:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E392)
- **Mar 27, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.