

HRES 354

Condemning the violence against peaceful protesters outside the Turkish Ambassador's residence on May 16, 2017, and calling for the perpetrators to be brought to justice and measures to be taken to prevent similar incidents in the future.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Current Status: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays

Latest Action: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 397 - 0 (Roll no. 286). (text: CR H4628-4629) (Jun 6, 2017)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39]

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

Cosponsors (45 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Boyle, Brendan F. [D-PA-13]	D · PA		May 24, 2017
Rep. Conyers, John, Jr. [D-MI-13]	D · MI		May 24, 2017
Rep. Engel, Eliot L. [D-NY-16]	D · NY		May 24, 2017
Rep. Goodlatte, Bob [R-VA-6]	R · VA		May 24, 2017
Rep. Hoyer, Steny H. [D-MD-5]	D · MD		May 24, 2017
Rep. Lance, Leonard [R-NJ-7]	R · NJ		May 24, 2017
Rep. McCarthy, Kevin [R-CA-23]	R · CA		May 24, 2017
Rep. McCaul, Michael T. [R-TX-10]	R · TX		May 24, 2017
Rep. Meadows, Mark [R-NC-11]	R · NC		May 24, 2017
Rep. Pascrell, Bill, Jr. [D-NJ-9]	D · NJ		May 24, 2017
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		May 24, 2017
Rep. Schneider, Bradley Scott [D-IL-10]	D · IL		May 24, 2017
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		May 24, 2017
Rep. Wagner, Ann [R-MO-2]	R · MO		May 24, 2017
Del. Bordallo, Madeleine Z. [D-GU-At Large]	D · GU		May 25, 2017
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Cicilline, David N. [D-RI-1]	D · RI		May 25, 2017
Rep. Davis, Rodney [R-IL-13]	R · IL		May 25, 2017
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		May 25, 2017
Rep. DeSantis, Ron [R-FL-6]	R · FL		May 25, 2017
Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		May 25, 2017
Rep. Keating, William R. [D-MA-9]	D · MA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Nunes, Devin [R-CA-22]	R · CA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Ros-Lehtinen, Ileana [R-FL-27]	R · FL		May 25, 2017
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-30]	D · CA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Smith, Christopher H. [R-NJ-4]	R · NJ		May 25, 2017
Rep. Titus, Dina [D-NV-1]	D · NV		May 25, 2017
Rep. Torres, Norma J. [D-CA-35]	D · CA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Valadao, David G. [R-CA-21]	R · CA		May 25, 2017
Rep. Capuano, Michael E. [D-MA-7]	D · MA		May 30, 2017
Rep. Clark, Katherine M. [D-MA-5]	D · MA		May 30, 2017
Rep. Costa, Jim [D-CA-16]	D · CA		May 30, 2017
Rep. Olson, Pete [R-TX-22]	R · TX		May 30, 2017
Del. Norton, Eleanor Holmes [D-DC-At Large]	D · DC		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Bilirakis, Gus M. [R-FL-12]	R · FL		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Davis, Susan A. [D-CA-53]	D · CA		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Gabbard, Tulsi [D-HI-2]	D · HI		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Gottheimer, Josh [D-NJ-5]	D · NJ		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Levin, Sander M. [D-MI-9]	D · MI		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-12]	D · NY		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Messer, Luke [R-IN-6]	R · IN		Jun 6, 2017

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Rep. Sinema, Kyrsten [D-AZ-9]	D · AZ		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-25]	D · NY		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Suozzi, Thomas R. [D-NY-3]	D · NY		Jun 6, 2017
Rep. Trott, David A. [R-MI-11]	R · MI		Jun 6, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Markup By	May 25, 2017
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 24, 2017
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Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SRES 180	Identical bill	May 25, 2017: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S3223)

Summary (as of Jun 6, 2017)

Expresses the sense of the House of Representatives that: (1) the rights to peacefully assemble and freely express one's views are essential to American democracy; and (2) the United States should take steps to strengthen free press and civil society freedoms in countries such as Turkey.

Calls for: (1) any Turkish security official who directed or participated in efforts by Turkish security forces to suppress peaceful protests outside of the Turkish Ambassador's residence in Washington, DC on May 16, 2017, to be charged and prosecuted under U.S. law; (2) the Secret Service and the Diplomatic Security Service of the Department of State to review such incident and confirm with the Turkish National Police the standards expected by visiting security details; (3) the State Department to request the waiver of immunity of any Turkish security detail official who engaged in assault in the United States prior to such individual's release from custody; and (4) the State Department to review its security procedures to mitigate the likelihood of such an incident in the future.

Declares that U.S. respect for free speech requires U.S. officials to speak out against such incidents.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 6, 2017:** Mr. Royce (CA) moved to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.
- **Jun 6, 2017:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H4628-4632)
- **Jun 6, 2017:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H. Res. 354.
- **Jun 6, 2017:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jun 6, 2017:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H4640-4641)
- **Jun 6, 2017:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 397 - 0 (Roll no. 286).(text: CR H4628-4629)
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- **May 25, 2017:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **May 25, 2017:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **May 24, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **May 24, 2017:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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.
- **May 24, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Crime, Terrorism, Homeland Security, and Investigations.
- **May 24, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.