

## HRES 720

Recognizing the coordinated struggle of workers on the 50th anniversary of the 1968 Memphis sanitation workers strike to voice their grievances and reach a collective agreement for rights in the workplace.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Labor and Employment

**Introduced:** Jan 30, 2018

**Current Status:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce. (Jan 30, 2018)

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

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Rep. Beatty, Joyce [D-OH-3]	D · OH		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Beyer, Donald S., Jr. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Cartwright, Matt [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Castor, Kathy [D-FL-14]	D · FL		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Davis, Danny K. [D-IL-7]	D · IL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Demings, Val Butler [D-FL-10]	D · FL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. DeSaulnier, Mark [D-CA-11]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Doggett, Lloyd [D-TX-35]	D · TX		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Ellison, Keith [D-MN-5]	D · MN		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Evans, Dwight [D-PA-2]	D · PA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Fleischmann, Charles J. "Chuck" [R-TN-3]	R · TN		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Hastings, Alcee L. [D-FL-20]	D · FL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Jackson Lee, Sheila [D-TX-18]	D · TX		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Jayapal, Pramila [D-WA-7]	D · WA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Jeffries, Hakeem S. [D-NY-8]	D · NY		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Johnson, Eddie Bernice [D-TX-30]	D · TX		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Johnson, Henry C. "Hank," Jr. [D-GA-4]	D · GA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Kaptur, Marcy [D-OH-9]	D · OH		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Khanna, Ro [D-CA-17]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Kustoff, David [R-TN-8]	R · TN		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Lee, Barbara [D-CA-13]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Lewis, John [D-GA-5]	D · GA		Jan 30, 2018

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Rep. Lynch, Stephen F. [D-MA-8]	D · MA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Maloney, Sean Patrick [D-NY-18]	D · NY		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. McEachin, A. Donald [D-VA-4]	D · VA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-2]	D · MA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Moore, Gwen [D-WI-4]	D · WI		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Napolitano, Grace F. [D-CA-32]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Neal, Richard E. [D-MA-1]	D · MA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Norcross, Donald [D-NJ-1]	D · NJ		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Rush, Bobby L. [D-IL-1]	D · IL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-13]	D · OH		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Schakowsky, Janice D. [D-IL-9]	D · IL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Scott, David [D-GA-13]	D · GA		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Sewell, Terri A. [D-AL-7]	D · AL		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Veasey, Marc A. [D-TX-33]	D · TX		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Waters, Maxine [D-CA-43]	D · CA		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Watson Coleman, Bonnie [D-NJ-12]	D · NJ		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Welch, Peter [D-VT-At Large]	D · VT		Jan 30, 2018
Rep. Wilson, Frederica S. [D-FL-24]	D · FL		Jan 30, 2018
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Rep. Clarke, Yvette D. [D-NY-9]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2018
Rep. Lowenthal, Alan S. [D-CA-47]	D · CA		Feb 2, 2018
Rep. Nadler, Jerrold [D-NY-10]	D · NY		Feb 2, 2018
Rep. Thompson, Bennie G. [D-MS-2]	D · MS		Feb 2, 2018
Rep. Grijalva, Raúl M. [D-AZ-3]	D · AZ		Feb 6, 2018
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Rep. Lawson, Al, Jr. [D-FL-5]	D · FL		Feb 6, 2018
Rep. Green, Al [D-TX-9]	D · TX		Feb 8, 2018
Rep. Meeks, Gregory W. [D-NY-5]	D · NY		Feb 8, 2018
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Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Clyburn, James E. [D-SC-6]	D · SC		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Fudge, Marcia L. [D-OH-11]	D · OH		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Kelly, Trent [R-MS-1]	R · MS		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Payne, Donald M., Jr. [D-NJ-10]	D · NJ		Feb 14, 2018
Rep. Dent, Charles W. [R-PA-15]	R · PA		Feb 15, 2018

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Rep. Guthrie, Brett [R-KY-2]	R · KY		Feb 15, 2018
Rep. Jones, Walter B., Jr. [R-NC-3]	R · NC		Feb 15, 2018
Rep. Sanford, Mark [R-SC-1]	R · SC		Feb 15, 2018
Rep. Shuster, Bill [R-PA-9]	R · PA		Feb 15, 2018
Del. Sablan, Gregorio Kilili Camacho [D-MP-At Large]	D · MP		Feb 20, 2018
Rep. Blunt Rochester, Lisa [D-DE-At Large]	D · DE		Feb 20, 2018
Rep. Byrne, Bradley [R-AL-1]	R · AL		Feb 20, 2018
Rep. Espaillat, Adriano [D-NY-13]	D · NY		Feb 26, 2018
Rep. Royce, Edward R. [R-CA-39]	R · CA		Feb 26, 2018
Rep. Takano, Mark [D-CA-41]	D · CA		Feb 26, 2018
Rep. Kelly, Robin L. [D-IL-2]	D · IL		Mar 5, 2018

## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 30, 2018

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

Labor and Employment

## Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 SRES 404	Identical bill	<b>Feb 28, 2018:</b> Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S1291-1292; text: CR 2/13/2018 S909)

## Summary (as of Jan 30, 2018)

Recognizes the 50th anniversary of the 1968 Memphis sanitation workers strike.

Honors the perseverance of the members of Union Local 1733 and the contribution of Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., in resolving the labor dispute.

## Actions Timeline

- **Jan 30, 2018:** Introduced in House
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