

SCONRES 1

A concurrent resolution calling for credible, transparent, and safe elections in Nigeria, and for other purposes.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

Introduced: Jan 16, 2019

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. (Feb 19, 2019)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NJ • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Boozman, John [R-AR]	R · AR		Jan 16, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Jan 16, 2019
Sen. Coons, Christopher A. [D-DE]	D · DE		Jan 16, 2019
Sen. Isakson, Johnny [R-GA]	R · GA		Jan 16, 2019
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jan 17, 2019
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Feb 13, 2019

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Affairs Committee	House	Referred To	Feb 19, 2019
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Feb 14, 2019

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 14, 2019)

This concurrent resolution expresses support for peace and democracy in Nigeria and calls on Nigeria's government and political parties to take all actions to ensure that elections are credible, transparent, and peaceful in order to support the will of the people. It also calls on the government to respect the impartiality of the Independent National Electoral Commission and take measures to combat vote buying.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 19, 2019:** Received in the House.
- **Feb 19, 2019:** Referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs.
- **Feb 15, 2019:** Message on Senate action sent to the House.
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Senate Committee on Foreign Relations discharged by Unanimous Consent.
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S1393-1394)
- **Feb 14, 2019:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S1393-1394)
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