

## SRES 378

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the House of Representatives should, consistent with long-standing practice and precedent, prior to proceeding any further with its impeachment investigation into President Donald J. Trump, vote to open a formal impeachment inquiry and provide President Trump with fundamental constitutional protections.

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**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Congress

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## Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 24, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

### Policy Area:

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## Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

## Summary (as of Oct 24, 2019)

This resolution urges the House of Representatives (1) before proceeding any further with its impeachment investigation into President Trump, to vote to initiate a formal impeachment inquiry; (2) to provide President Trump with due process, including the ability to confront his accusers, call witnesses on his behalf, and have a basic understanding of the accusations against him that would form any basis for impeachment; and (3) to provide members of the minority with the ability to participate fully in all proceedings and have equal authority to issue subpoenas and other compulsory process.

## Actions Timeline

- **Oct 24, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
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