

SRES 682

A resolution recognizing the devastating explosion that rocked the Port of Beirut on August 4, 2020, and expressing solidarity with the Lebanese people.

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Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: International Affairs

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Current Status: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote.

Latest Action: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote. (Dec 22, 2020)

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Sponsor

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

Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Portman, Rob [R-OH]	R · OH		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Risch, James E. [R-ID]	R · ID		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Romney, Mitt [R-UT]	R · UT		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Rubio, Marco [R-FL]	R · FL		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Shaheen, Jeanne [D-NH]	D · NH		Aug 13, 2020
Sen. Warner, Mark R. [D-VA]	D · VA		Aug 13, 2020

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Discharged From	Dec 22, 2020

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

This resolution expresses the Senate's affirmation that U.S. assistance should be delivered directly to the Lebanese people following the recent explosion in Beirut. Further, it calls on Lebanon to conduct a transparent investigation into the cause of, and responsibility for, the explosion and to prioritize policies and programs that advance the interests of the Lebanese people.

Actions Timeline

- **Dec 22, 2020:** Senate Committee on Foreign Relations discharged by Unanimous Consent.(consideration: CR S7928)
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- **Dec 22, 2020:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate without amendment and with a preamble by Voice Vote.
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- **Aug 13, 2020:** Introduced in Senate
- **Aug 13, 2020:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.