

HRES 960

Recognizing the right to counsel in civil proceedings.

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 8, 2020)

This resolution recognizes the right to counsel in civil proceedings involving basic human needs and expresses support for efforts to provide counsel to low-income individuals in these proceedings.

Actions Timeline

- **May 8, 2020:** Introduced in House
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