

HRES 1192

Recognizing widening threats to freedom of the press and free expression around the world, reaffirming the vital role that a free and independent press plays in countering the growing threats of authoritarianism, misinformation, and disinformation, and reaffirming freedom of the press as a priority of the United States Government in promoting democracy, human rights, and good governance in commemoration of World Press Freedom Day on May 3, 2024.

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Related Bills

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| 118 SRES 688 | Related bill | May 15, 2024: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S3714-3715) |
| 118 SRES 191 | Related bill | May 3, 2023: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S1511-1514) |

Summary (as of May 2, 2024)

This resolution recognizes the centrality of a free press to free societies and democratic governance and expresses concerns about threats to the exercise of freedom of expression globally.

Actions Timeline

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