

## SRES 126

A resolution recognizing the vital importance of the Mekong River to Southeast Asia and the role of the Mekong-United States Partnership in supporting the prosperity of the region.

**Congress:** 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** International Affairs

**Introduced:** Mar 28, 2023

**Current Status:** Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text)

**Latest Action:** Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S5365-5366) (Nov 6, 2023)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/senate-resolution/126>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]

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

### Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Sullivan, Dan [R-AK]	R · AK		Mar 28, 2023

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jun 13, 2023

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

International Affairs

### Related Bills

*No related bills are listed.*

### Summary (as of Nov 6, 2023)

This resolution expresses concern over the environmental, economic, and humanitarian threats to the Mekong River and its communities. The resolution also declares it is U.S. policy to promote the economic and environmental well-being of people throughout the Mekong River Basin (Burma (Myanmar), Cambodia, Laos, Thailand, and Vietnam) through federal aid and support.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Nov 6, 2023:** Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent. (consideration: CR S5363-5366)
- **Nov 6, 2023:** The committee amendment as amended agreed to by Unanimous Consent.
- **Nov 6, 2023:** Passed/agreed to in Senate: Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent.(text: CR S5365-5366)
- **Nov 6, 2023:** Resolution agreed to in Senate with an amendment and an amended preamble by Unanimous Consent. (text: CR S5365-5366)
- **Jun 13, 2023:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Menendez with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **Jun 13, 2023:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 95.
- **Jun 8, 2023:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with amendments favorably.
- **Mar 28, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
- **Mar 28, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text: CR S1002-1003)