

SCONRES 2

A concurrent resolution commending the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran demonstrating in more than 133 cities and risking their safety to speak out against the Iranian regime's human rights abuses.

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

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Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Jan 26, 2023
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		Jan 30, 2023
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Foreign Relations Committee	Senate	Reported By	Jul 25, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

International Affairs

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HCONRES 7	Related bill	Jan 26, 2023: Received in the Senate and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

Summary (as of Jul 25, 2023)

This concurrent resolution commends the bravery, courage, and resolve of the women and men of Iran who are (1) participating in the current protests to defend their fundamental human rights, and (2) risking their safety to speak out against the human rights abuses committed by the Iranian regime.

The resolution condemns (1) the brutal beating and death of Mahsa Amini; and (2) the violent suppression by the Iranian regime of women and men participating in the current demonstrations, including children, and calls for transparent accountability for all killings of protesters by Iranian security forces.

Finally, the resolution encourages continued efforts by the Biden Administration to respond to the protests, including the recent sanctioning of the Iranian morality police.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 25, 2023:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Reported by Senator Menendez without amendment and an amendment to the title and with an amended preamble. Without written report.
- **Jul 25, 2023:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 153.
- **Jul 13, 2023:** Committee on Foreign Relations. Ordered to be reported with an amendment favorably.
- **Jan 26, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
- **Jan 26, 2023:** Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. [\(text: CR S125-126\)](#)