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HRES 242

Recognizing the significant human rights activism and baseball stardom legacy of Roberto Clemente.

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Sports and Recreation

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Mar 22, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 22, 2023)

This resolution recognizes the accomplishments of Roberto Clemente, the first Puerto Rican to be elected to the National Baseball Hall of Fame, and urges Major League Baseball to permanently retire the number 21 in honor of his life and legacy and to expand Roberto Clemente Day.

Actions Timeline

- Mar 22, 2023: Introduced in House
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