

SJRES 40

Original Slavery Remembrance Day Resolution

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Jul 27, 2023

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Jul 27, 2023)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Warren, Elizabeth [D-MA]

Party: Democratic • State: MA • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (16 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Baldwin, Tammy [D-WI]	D · WI		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]	D · IL		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Fetterman, John [D-PA]	D · PA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA]	D · WA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Padilla, Alex [D-CA]	D · CA		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Jul 27, 2023
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Jul 27, 2023

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jul 27, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 HJRES 84	Identical bill	Aug 1, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Accountability.

Summary (as of Jul 27, 2023)

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This joint resolution designates a Slavery Remembrance Day annually on August 20th and condemns slavery and its progenies.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 27, 2023:** Introduced in Senate
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