

SRES 589

A resolution honoring Wadee Alfayoumi, a 6-year-old Palestinian-American boy, murdered as a victim of a hate crime for his Palestinian-Muslim identity, in the State of Illinois.

Congress: 118 (2023–2025, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Introduced: Mar 14, 2024

Current Status: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text: CR S2415-2416)

Latest Action: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text: CR S2415-2416) (Mar 14, 2024)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Durbin, Richard J. [D-IL]

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

Cosponsors (12 total)

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| Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL] | D · IL | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Kaine, Tim [D-VA] | D · VA | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Menendez, Robert [D-NJ] | D · NJ | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR] | D · OR | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Murray, Patty [D-WA] | D · WA | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Sanders, Bernard [I-VT] | I · VT | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Stabenow, Debbie [D-MI] | D · MI | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Welch, Peter [D-VT] | D · VT | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR] | D · OR | | Mar 14, 2024 |
| Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ] | D · NJ | | Mar 21, 2024 |
| Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD] | D · MD | | Apr 16, 2024 |
| Sen. Cantwell, Maria [D-WA] | D · WA | | Apr 23, 2024 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Judiciary Committee | Senate | Referred To | Mar 14, 2024 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

| Bill | Relationship | Last Action |
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| 118 SRES 847 | Identical bill | Sep 24, 2024: Submitted in the Senate, considered, and agreed to without amendment and with a preamble by Unanimous Consent. (consideration: CR S6382; text: CR S6374) |
| 118 HCONRES 99 | Identical bill | Mar 15, 2024: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. |
| 118 HRES 942 | Related bill | Dec 19, 2023: Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary. |

Summary (as of Mar 14, 2024)

This resolution recognizes the loss of Wadee Alfayoumi and that the United States has zero tolerance for hate crimes, Islamophobia, anti-Semitism, and anti-Palestinian and anti-Arab discrimination. It also recognizes that freedom of speech and peaceful protest are constitutionally protected.

Actions Timeline

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