

HRES 733

Expressing concern about the spreading problem of book banning and the proliferation of threats to freedom of expression in the United States.

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Education and Workforce Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 27, 2023
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred To	Sep 27, 2023

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
118 SRES 857	Related bill	Sep 25, 2024: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text: CR S6448-6449)
118 HRES 1499	Identical bill	Sep 24, 2024: Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.
118 SRES 372	Identical bill	Sep 27, 2023: Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text: CR S4724-4725)

Summary (as of Sep 27, 2023)

This resolution expresses concern about the practice of book banning in the United States.

Actions Timeline

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