



Legislation Details

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**Title:** Resolution authorizing the Speaker to file or join amicus briefs on behalf of the Council in the litigation captioned Shelby County v. Holder, currently pending before the United States Supreme Court, for the purpose of supporting the federal government’s position that Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act is constitutional.

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