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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION standing in solidarity with
2 Indiana's Jewish community.

3 *Whereas, Antisemitism entails prejudicial attitudes,*
4 *discriminatory acts, or acts of violence toward people who are*
5 *Jewish on the basis of the person's identity;*

6 *Whereas, The United States has experienced expressions of*
7 *hate and acts of violence motivated by antisemitism;*

8 *Whereas, Various Jewish institutions in Indiana have*
9 *received bomb threats and been vandalized and desecrated, and*
10 *an increasing number of Jewish youth are experiencing*
11 *antisemitism in Indiana schools;*

12 *Whereas, FBI statistics demonstrate that Jewish people and*
13 *Jewish institutions, both religious and communal, continue to*

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1 *be the most frequently targeted religious group, accounting for*
2 *almost 60% of all religiously motivated crimes in 2018; and*

3 *Whereas, Antisemitism is contradictory to democratic values,*
4 *such as tolerance, pluralism, and liberty: Therefore,*

5 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*
6 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

7 SECTION 1. That the House of Representatives stands
8 together in solidarity with the Jewish community in Indiana and
9 across the United States.

10 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
11 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to the
12 Jewish Community Relations Council of Indianapolis.

