Resolution

ENROLLED SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22

By: Treat, Daniels, Stephens, Bergstrom, Allen, Jech, Murdock, Rosino, Weaver, Rader, Howard, Dahm, Montgomery, Thompson, Hall, Simpson, Leewright, Bullard, Newhouse, Standridge, Pemberton, Dugger, Quinn, Jett, Taylor, Coleman, Rogers, Garvin, Pederson, Merrick, Kidd, Burns, Paxton, Haste, McCortney, Pugh, Stanley, David, Dossett (J.A.), Dossett (J.J.), Hicks and Hamilton

A Resolution reaffirming Oklahoma's support of Israel.

WHEREAS, Israel declared its independence and self-governance on May 14, 1948, with the goal of establishing a proud and sovereign homeland for the Jewish people; and

WHEREAS, as the first country to recognize Israel as an independent state and as Israel's principal ally, the United States has enjoyed a close and mutually beneficial relationship with Israel and her people; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma and Israel have enjoyed cordial and mutually beneficial relations since 1948, a friendship that continues to strengthen with each passing year; and WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma supports the continual endeavors for cooperative and mutual assistance between our nation and Israel; and

WHEREAS, the State of Oklahoma condemns all acts of terrorism and denounces those who would use violence against innocent men, women and children; and

WHEREAS, attacks from the terrorist organization known as Hamas, have resulted in the deaths of innocent men, women and children.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma State Senate stands resolutely with Israel and supports the Israeli government to defend its people and country against all attacks.

Adopted by the Senate the 17th day of May, 2021.

Presiding Officer of the Senate

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this

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