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H. R. 5691

To direct the Joint Committee on the Library to obtain a statue of Elie Wiesel for placement in the United States Capitol.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 8, 2016

Mr. COHEN (for himself, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. VARGAS, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. CLARKE of New York, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. DEUTCH, Mr. YARMUTH, and Mr. THOMPSON of California) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PLACEMENT OF STATUE OF ELIE WIESEL IN**
4 **UNITED STATES CAPITOL.**

5 (a) OBTAINING STATUE.—Not later than 4 years
6 after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Joint Com-
7 mittee on the Library shall enter into an agreement to
8 obtain a statue of Elie Wiesel, under such terms and con-

1 ditions as the Joint Committee considers appropriate con-
2 sistent with applicable law. The Joint Committee may au-
3 thorize the Architect of the Capitol to enter into the agree-
4 ment and related contracts required under this subsection
5 on its behalf, under such terms and conditions as the Joint
6 Committee may require.

7 (b) PLACEMENT.—The Joint Committee on the Li-
8 brary shall place the statue obtained under subsection (a)
9 in a suitable permanent location in the United States Cap-
10 itol.

11 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
12 are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be
13 necessary to carry out this Act, and any amounts so ap-
14 propriated shall remain available until expended.

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