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SRES 240

A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding manifestations of anti-Semitism by United Nations member states and urging action against anti-Semitism by United Nations officials, United Nations member states, and the Government of the United States, and for other purposes.

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Committee Activity

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Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 SRES 184	Related bill	Jun 29, 2005: Referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (text of measure as introduced: CR S7641)
109 HRES 282	Related bill	Jun 7, 2005: Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
109 HRES 54	Related bill	Mar 17, 2005: Referred to the Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Relations.

Summary (as of Sep 15, 2005)

Welcomes recent attempts by the U.N. Secretary General to address the issue of anti-Semitism, and calls on U.N. leadership to condemn anti-Semitic statements made at U.N. meetings and hold member states accountable for such statements.

Urges the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) to develop and implement Holocaust education programs as part of an effort against anti-Semitism and racial, religious, and ethnic intolerance.

Expresses the sense of the Senate that: (1) the President should direct the U.S. Permanent Representative to the United Nations to continue working toward further reduction of anti-Semitic language and anti-Israel resolutions; (2) the President should direct the Secretary of State to report on acts of anti-Semitism at the United Nations and its agencies by member states; and (3) projects funded through the Middle East Partnership Initiative and U.S. overseas broadcasts should include efforts to educate Arab and Muslim countries about anti-Semitism, religious intolerance, and incitement to violence.

Actions Timeline

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