

1 **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - FLOOR VERSION**

2 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

3 1st Session of the 58th Legislature (2021)

4 HOUSE
5 RESOLUTION 1037

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8 AS INTRODUCED

9 A Resolution relating to the State of Israel.

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12 WHEREAS, members of the Oklahoma House of Representatives were
13 contacted regarding the latest hostile actions taken against the
14 State of Israel; and

15 WHEREAS, certain members of the Oklahoma House of
16 Representatives have asked the Oklahoma Congressional delegation to
17 sign a document containing the following statement: "We must stand
18 united with Israel in this latest attack against their sovereignty
19 and their right to exist as a nation and for the Jewish people to
20 exist. Israel is one of the United States' staunchest allies. We
21 must stand firm in condemning the hatred against this people that
22 has led to their expulsion from countries across the globe for
23 centuries and to their massacre, including the more than 6 million
24 Jews killed in the Holocaust under the Nazis."; and

1 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma House of Representatives condemns the
2 latest terrorist attacks that began May 10, Jerusalem Day, an
3 Israeli national holiday commemorating the reunification of
4 Jerusalem after the Six-Day War in 1967; and

5 WHEREAS, rocket attacks and fires have left more than 30 dead;
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7 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma House of Representatives calls for a
8 restoration of peace in the nation and asks for prayer for the
9 Jewish people and others involved in the latest escalation of
10 fighting; and

11 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma House of Representatives supports the
12 following proposition: "We stand today united in our support of
13 Israel and the Jewish people and bless them, and we pray for the
14 peace of Jerusalem."

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
16 OF THE 1ST SESSION OF THE 58TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

17 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives expresses its support
18 for the State of Israel during a time of adversity and hostile
19 actions by a foreign power.

20 THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives requests support by
21 the Oklahoma Congressional delegation for the State of Israel during
22 a difficult time.

23 THAT copies of this resolution be distributed to each member of
24 the Oklahoma Congressional delegation.

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