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HR 1042

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5 By: Representatives Pilkington, Rose

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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 TO CONDEMN THE DISPLAYS OF ANTISEMITISM ON UNIVERSITY
9 CAMPUSES ACROSS THE UNITED STATES.

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12 **Subtitle**

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14 ON UNIVERSITY CAMPUSES ACROSS THE UNITED
15 STATES.

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18 WHEREAS, reports of antisemitism on university campuses across the
19 United States have surged after the Hamas-led October 7, 2023, terror attack
20 on Israel; and

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22 WHEREAS, protests over the war in the Gaza Strip have taken hold at
23 multiple elite United States universities, including Columbia University and
24 Yale University; and

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26 WHEREAS, students on university campuses across the United States have
27 voiced fears of antisemitism on campuses; and

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29 WHEREAS, the President of the United States has condemned the recent
30 displays of antisemitism that have occurred on university campuses; and

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32 WHEREAS, an individual, regardless of his or her heritage, religion, or
33 country of origin, has the right to feel safe on the campus of any university
34 in the United States; and

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36 WHEREAS, the discriminatory behavior of prohibiting a Jewish individual



1 from attending class at a university bears resemblance to the barring of the
2 Little Rock Nine from attending class in Arkansas; and

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4 WHEREAS, any university in the State of Arkansas that permits
5 antisemitism or hostility toward Jewish individuals is acting against the
6 wishes of the citizens of Arkansas,

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8 NOW THEREFORE,

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL
10 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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12 THAT the House of Representatives condemn the display of antisemitism
13 on university campuses across the United States.