104TH CONGRESS 2D SESSION

H. RES. 501

Calling upon the Government of Germany to negotiate in good faith regarding expansion of eligibility for Holocaust survivor compensation.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 31, 1996

Mrs. Maloney (for herself, Mr. Yates, and Mrs. Lowey) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

RESOLUTION

- Calling upon the Government of Germany to negotiate in good faith regarding expansion of eligibility for Holocaust survivor compensation.
- Whereas after nearly half a century, tens of thousands of Holocaust survivors continue to be denied justice and compensation by the Government of Germany;
- Whereas these people, who suffered grievously at the hands of the Nazis, are now victims of unreasonable and arbitrary rules which keep them outside the framework of the various compensation programs;
- Whereas compensation for these victims has been nonexistent or, at best, woefully inadequate; and
- Whereas the time has come to right this terrible wrong: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That the House of Representatives calls
- 2 upon the Government of Germany to negotiate in good
- 3 faith with the Conference on Jewish Material Claims
- 4 Against Germany to broaden the categories of those eligi-
- 5 ble for compensation so that the injustice of uncompen-
- 6 sated Holocaust survivors may be corrected while they are

7 still alive.

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