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S. CON. RES. 1

Expressing the sense of Congress that an artistic tribute to commemorate the speech given by President Ronald Reagan at the Brandenburg Gate on June 12, 1987, should be placed within the United States Capitol.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 4, 2007

Mr. ALLARD submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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Whereas the people of the United States successfully defended freedom and democracy for over 40 years in a global Cold War against an aggressive Communist tyranny;

Whereas President Ronald Wilson Reagan's demonstration of unwavering personal conviction during this conflict served to inspire millions of people throughout the United States and around the world to seek democracy, freedom, and greater individual liberty; and

Whereas President Reagan's determined stand against the Soviet Union during his 8 years as President served as the catalyst for the collapse of the Soviet Union: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*
 2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of Congress that an artis-
 3 tic tribute to commemorate the speech given by President
 4 Ronald Reagan at the Brandenburg Gate on June 12,
 5 1987, during which he uttered the immortal words, "Mr.
 6 Gorbachev, tear down this wall!", should be placed within
 7 the United States Capitol.

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