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Declaring that a state of war exists between the Government of Libya and the Government and the people of the United States, and making provision to prosecute the same.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. PAUL introduced the following joint resolution; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

JOINT RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 That—

4 (1) a state of war between the United States
5 and the Government of Libya is hereby formally de-
6 clared; and

7 (2) the President is hereby authorized and di-
8 rected—

1 (A) to employ the entire naval and military
2 forces of the United States and the resources of
3 the United States Government to carry on war
4 against the Government of Libya; and

5 (B) to issue to private armed vessels of the
6 United States commissions or letters of marque
7 and general reprisal, in such form as the Presi-
8 dent shall think proper, and under the seal of
9 the United States, against the vessels, goods,
10 and effects of the Government of Libya.

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