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Recognizing Israeli-American culture and heritage and the contributions of
the Israeli-American community to the United States.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. CRAMER (for himself, Mr. RUBIO, and Mr. CRUZ) submitted the following
resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

RESOLUTION

Recognizing Israeli-American culture and heritage and the
contributions of the Israeli-American community to the
United States.

Whereas Israeli-Americans are a vibrant immigrant commu-
nity contributing to the diversity of the United States;

Whereas Israeli-Americans, including those on college cam-
puses in the United States, have been subject to forms
of discrimination and desire to connect with their culture
and celebrate their heritage free from bigotry and bias;

Whereas the United States is a nation of immigrants, and
Israeli-Americans contribute invaluable skills that pro-
mote the economy and protect the national security of the
United States;

Whereas the contributions of Israeli-Americans in the fields of astrophysics, mathematics, chemistry, aerospace engineering, biotech, agriculture, and Internet technologies have been invaluable to the United States;

Whereas Israeli-Americans have helped to form a strong bond between the people of the United States and the people of Israel, reinforcing the shared values and interests between the two countries; and

Whereas countless Israeli-Americans have enriched the society of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the Senate—

2 (1) affirms that the Israeli-American commu-
3 nity has contributed immensely to the society and
4 culture of the United States; and

5 (2) condemns all forms of discrimination that
6 aim to marginalize or disenfranchise members of the
7 Israeli-American community.

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