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To express the sense of the Senate on United States-Israel cooperation on precision-guided munitions.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. ROUNDS submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the Senate that—

2 (1) the Department of Defense has cooperated
3 extensively with Israel to assist in the procurement
4 of precision-guided munitions, and such cooperation
5 represents an important example of robust United
6 States support for Israel;

7 (2) to the extent practicable, the Secretary of
8 Defense should take further measures to expedite
9 deliveries of precision-guided munitions to Israel;
10 and

1 (3) regularized annual purchases of precision-
2 guided munitions by Israel, in accordance with exist-
3 ing requirements and practices regarding the export
4 of defense articles and defense services, coordinated
5 with the United States Air Force annual purchase of
6 precision-guided munitions, would enhance the secu-
7 rity of both the United States and Israel by—

8 (A) promoting a more efficient use of de-
9 fense resources by taking advantage of econo-
10 mies of scale;

11 (B) enabling the United States and Israel
12 to address crisis requirements for precision-
13 guided munitions in a timely and flexible man-
14 ner; and

15 (C) encouraging the defense industrial
16 base to maintain routine production lines of
17 precision-guided munitions.

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