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69th Legislature - 2025		Drafter: Julianne Burkhardt,	HJ0009.001.003	
1		HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9		
2	INTRODUCED BY R. GREGG, W. GALT, M. NIKOLAKAKOS, M. VINTON, S. KELLY, S. KLAKKEN, E.			
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8	A JOINT RESOLUTION OF TH	HE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTAT	TIVES OF THE STATE OF	
9	MONTANA SUPPORTING ISF	RAEL'S RIGHT TO EXIST; CONDEMNING ALL FOR	RMS OF ANTISEMITISM;	
10	AND CONDEMNING TERROF	RIST ATTACKS ON THE PEOPLE OF ISRAEL.		
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12	WHEREAS, throughou	It history and across the reign of multiple kingdoms,	the Jewish people were	
13	persecuted and expelled from	the Land of Israel and forced to live as minority dias	pora communities in other	
14	lands; and			
15	WHEREAS, Jewish dia	aspora communities were historically violently perse	cuted in, and in some cases	
16	expelled from, other countries	throughout the Middle East, Europe, Africa, and Asia	a due to their religion; and	
17	WHEREAS, the Nazis	attempted to annihilate the entire Jewish population	of Europe during the	
18	Holocaust, murdering 6 million	Jewish people during this time; and		
19	WHEREAS, this genor	cide provided new urgency to reestablish a Jewish h	omeland for the Jewish	
20	people following the Holocaust	where they would not be a vulnerable minority, whe	ere they could freely practice	
21	their faith, and where somethin	g like the Holocaust could never happen again; and		
22	WHEREAS, the mode	rn State of Israel was established on May 14, 1948;	and	
23	WHEREAS, even after	the establishment of the State of Israel, other count	tries and terrorist entities	
24	continued to attack Israel, reject its right to exist, and call for its destruction.			
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26	NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RE	ESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF	REPRESENTATIVES OF	
27	THE STATE OF MONTANA:			
28	(1) That the 69th	Legislature of the State of Montana condemns all for	ms of antisemitism.	



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	1	(2)	That the 69th Legislature of the State of Montana condemns all terrorist attack	s on the people		
	2	of Israel and th	e State of Israel, including all terrorist attacks from Hamas, Hezbollah, and the	nation of Iran.		
	3	(3)	That the 69th Legislature of the State of Montana reaffirms the State of Israel's	right to exist.		
	4	(4)	That the 69th Legislature of the State of Montana rejects all calls for Israel's de	estruction and		
	5	elimination.				
	6	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State send a copy of this resolution to President Donald J. Trump and the Montana Congressional Delegation.				
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	8		- END -			

