## (135th General Assembly) (Senate Resolution Number 214)

## **A RESOLUTION**

To condemn the terrorist attacks against the state of Israel and express support for Israel's people.

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Ohio:

WHEREAS, On October 7, 2023, Hamas terrorists carried out an unprovoked attack on the state of Israel; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly share Israel's grief for the hundreds of civilians who have been killed or captured in this horrific act of terrorism; and

WHEREAS, Ohio is home to many Israeli citizens, Ohioans of Jewish faith, and countless other Ohioans who support the people of Israel; and

WHEREAS, Israel is a staunch ally of the United States and is deserving of our nation's unequivocal support as they defend themselves against this unjustifiable attack; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we, the members of the Senate of the 135th General Assembly of the State of Ohio, in adopting this resolution, declare our support for the Israeli people; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we condemn the actions of Hamas and their allies, including Iran, and their attack on Israel and its people; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the Senate transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, the Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, the Secretary of the United States Senate, the Israeli Embassy in Washington, D.C., for transmission to the proper authorities in the State of Israel, and the news media of Ohio.

	President	of the Senate.	
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