

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 259

BY REPRESENTATIVE BAYHAM

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS: Condemns the May 21, 2025, murder of Israeli Embassy employees in Washington, D.C.

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To condemn the murders of Israeli Embassy employees Yaron Lischinsky and Sarah
3 Milgrim in Washington, D.C. on May 21, 2025.

4 WHEREAS, Yaron Lischinsky, thirty years old, and Sarah Milgrim, twenty-six years
5 old, were murdered on the night of May 21, 2025, following an event at the Capital Jewish
6 Museum in Washington, D.C.; and

7 WHEREAS, Mr. Lischinsky and Ms. Milgrim had committed their lives and careers
8 towards achieving peaceful relations between the state of Israel and its neighboring nations;
9 and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Lischinsky and Ms. Milgrim were specifically targeted in the attack
11 because of their support for the state of Israel; and

12 WHEREAS, global conflicts have contributed to the rise in antisemitism in the
13 United States since the October 7, 2023, Hamas terrorist attack on Israel; and

14 WHEREAS, the Anti-Defamation League counted over nine thousand antisemitic
15 incidents across the United States in 2024.

16 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
17 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby condemn the murders of Israeli Embassy employees
18 Yaron Lischinsky and Sarah Milgrim in Washington D.C. on May 21, 2025, as well as any
19 act of hatred or violence which targets victims based on their religion, race, gender,
20 ethnicity, nationality, political affiliation, or any other identity.

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Condemns the murders of Israeli Embassy employees Yaron Lischinsky and Sarah Milgrim in Washington D.C. on May, 21, 2025, and further condemns all acts of antisemitic violence and terrorism.