HCR 11 -- ISRAEL

SPONSOR: Schnelting

COMMITTEE ACTION: Voted "Do Pass" by the Special Committee on Homeland Security by a vote of 6 to 1, with 1 present. Voted "Do Pass" by the Standing Committee on Rules- Legislative Oversight by a vote of 6 to 2 and 1 Present.

This House concurrent resolution commends Israel for its cordial and mutually beneficial relationship with the United States and the state of Missouri that has existed since 1948. This concurrent resolution states that this relationship will continue to be strengthened and valued, and further recognizes Jerusalem as the eternal capital of Israel.

PROPONENTS: Supporters say that Israel is the strongest ally of the United States in the Middle East and one of the United States' strongest trade partners. This resolution is appropriate in commending the nation of Israel for the nation's strong and continuing relationship with both the United States and Missouri.

Testifying in person for the bill was Representative Schnelting.

OPPONENTS: There was no opposition voiced to the committee.

Written testimony has been submitted for this bill. The full written testimony and witnesses testifying online can be found under Testimony on the bill page on the House website.