

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Calendar No. \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose: To declare the policy of the United States with respect to freedom and security for Israel and displaced Palestinians in Gaza.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—118th Cong., 2d Sess.**

**H. R. 815**

To amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements relating to the eligibility of veterans to receive reimbursement for emergency treatment furnished through the Veterans Community Care program, and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MERKLEY (for himself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WELCH, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. WARREN, Ms. BUTLER, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. COONS) to the amendment (No. 1388) proposed by Mrs. MURRAY (for herself and Mr. SCHUMER)

Viz:

1 On page 61, between lines 12 and 13, insert the fol-  
2 lowing:

3 SEC. 709. Following the October 7, 2023 Hamas ter-  
4 ror attacks from Gaza against Israel, it is the policy of  
5 the United States that—

6 (1) Israel should be secure from terrorism and  
7 other violent attacks emanating from Gaza;

- 1           (2) there should be no forcible displacement of
- 2           Palestinians from Gaza;
- 3           (3) Palestinians displaced during the war must
- 4           be allowed to return to their homes;
- 5           (4) Israel should not reoccupy Gaza;
- 6           (5) there should not be any reduction of the
- 7           area or land of Gaza; and
- 8           (6) there should not be a blockade on Gaza.