Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

<u>Senate</u>                                          <u>House</u>

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1   Representative Nixon offered the following:

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3       **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4       Remove lines 31-36 and insert:

5       (2)  Continues to demand the safe release of hostages held

6   by Hamas.

7       (3)  Opposes criminalizing Floridians' rights to speak out

8   against and protest human rights violations against any group of

9   people and supports the protection of constitutional rights of

10  Floridians by declaring its intention to repeal such

11  legislation.

12      (4)  Advocates for the dignity and safety of residents in

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| 15 | **T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T** |
| 16 | Remove lines 2-8 and insert: |
| 17 | A resolution denouncing terrorism and promoting |
| 18 | safety. |
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| 20 | WHEREAS, the tragic terrorist attack committed by Hamas on |
| 21 | Israelis on October 7, 2023, left at least 1,400 dead and 3,400 |
| 22 | injured, with many victims dehumanized and paraded on camera, |
| 23 | their assailants recording their torture and murder; and nearly |
| 24 | 250 people were taken captive, including babies and the elderly, |
| 25 | whose conditions are still not known, and |
| 26 | WHEREAS, more Jewish civilian lives were lost on October 7, |
| 27 | 2023, than any single day since 1945, and |
| 28 | WHEREAS, the attack on October 7, 2023, was reminiscent of |
| 29 | other instances when Jewish people have been persecuted |
| 30 | throughout history, including the pogroms of the late 19th and |
| 31 | early 20th centuries and events during the Holocaust, and |
| 32 | WHEREAS, the United States and allied nations have demanded |
| 33 | the release of hostages held illegally by Hamas, and |
| 34 | WHEREAS, Floridians are impacted by the events of October |
| 35 | 7, 2023, many with direct relations to the dead and wounded, and |
| 36 | WHEREAS, this shared grief and pain must compel residents |
| 37 | of our state to demonstrate support, compassion, and care for |
| 38 | one another, and |

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