

106TH CONGRESS  
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# H. R. 2515

To provide for the recognition of Jerusalem as the capital of Israel.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 1999

Mr. WEINER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on International Relations

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## A BILL

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of Israel.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3       **SECTION 1. UNITED STATES POLICY REGARDING JERU-**  
4       **SALEM AS THE CAPITAL OF ISRAEL.**

5       (a) CONSULATE IN JERUSALEM.—Notwithstanding  
6 any other provision of law, the United States shall not  
7 operate a United States consulate or diplomatic facility  
8 in Jerusalem unless such consulate or diplomatic facility  
9 is under the supervision of the United States Ambassador  
10 to Israel.

1       (b) IDENTIFICATION OF JERUSALEM AS THE CAP-  
2 ITAL OF ISRAEL IN OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT PUBLICA-  
3 TIONS.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any  
4 official government document which lists countries and  
5 their capital cities shall identify Jerusalem as the capital  
6 of Israel.

7       (c) RECORD OF PLACE OF BIRTH AS ISRAEL FOR  
8 PASSPORT PURPOSES.—For purposes of the registration  
9 of birth, certification of nationality, or issuance of a pass-  
10 port of a United States citizen born in the city of Jeru-  
11 salem, the Secretary of State shall, upon the request of  
12 the citizen, record the place of birth as Israel.

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