

107TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 1643

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

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 26, 2001

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

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. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Israeli Capital Rec-
5 ognition Act of 2001”.

6 **SEC. 2. UNITED STATES POLICY REGARDING JERUSALEM**
7 **AS THE CAPITAL OF ISRAEL.**

8 (a) CONSULATE IN JERUSALEM.—Notwithstanding
9 any other provision of law, the United States shall not
10 operate a United States consulate or diplomatic facility
11 in Jerusalem unless such consulate or diplomatic facility

1 is under the supervision of the United States Ambassador
2 to Israel.

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

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

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