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# H. CON. RES. 48

Expressing the sense of Congress that the people and companies of the United States and the United States Armed Forces should not participate in the Paris Air Show, should the Government of France continue its opposition to the potential use of force to insure that Saddam Hussein complies with United Nations resolutions concerning weapons of mass destruction.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 13, 2003

Mr. SAXTON (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. HAYES, Mr. GILCREST, Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. LINDER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. KING of Iowa, and Mr. MCKEON) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that the people and companies of the United States and the United States Armed Forces should not participate in the Paris Air Show, should the Government of France continue its opposition to the potential use of force to insure that Saddam Hussein complies with United Nations resolutions concerning weapons of mass destruction.

Whereas international cooperation is essential in the war on terrorism and in preventing the proliferation and use of weapons of mass destruction;

Whereas Iraq under Saddam Hussein has supported terrorism and developed and used weapons of mass destruction;

Whereas Iraq is currently not in compliance with United Nations resolutions concerning weapons of mass destruction;

Whereas Iraq poses both a terrorist and military threat to the world because it is not in compliance with United Nations resolutions concerning weapons of mass destruction;

Whereas the United States and France have been allies and friends for many years;

Whereas the 45th Paris Air Show will take place at le Bourget, France, beginning on June 15, 2003; and

Whereas as a member of the United Nations Security Council, France has opposed United States leadership in leading an international coalition to force Iraq to comply with United Nations Security Council resolutions concerning weapons of mass destruction: Now, therefore, be it

1        *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*  
2 *concurring)*, That it is the sense of Congress that the peo-  
3 ple and companies of the United States and the United  
4 States Armed Forces should not participate in the 45th  
5 Paris Air Show in France should the Government of  
6 France continue its opposition to the potential use of force

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