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10     **A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE UNITED STATES OF**  
20     **AMERICA’S MEMBERSHIP FROM THE UNITED NATIONS**

30     **WHEREAS:**           The United Nations has allowed rogue nations like Syria, China and Cuba to  
40                            chair the United Nations Human Rights Commission and condemned states like  
50                            Israel for taking measures against terrorists; and

60     **WHEREAS:**           In the 1980s, the United Nations repeatedly hindered the United States in its  
70                            fight against terrorism, and therefore hindered the liberation of Eastern Europe  
80                            and Central America; and

90     **WHEREAS:**           The United Nations is a threat to United States sovereignty, under Presidential  
100                           Directive 25—which states that U.S. soldiers can be placed under United  
110                           Nations auspices against their will; and

120    **WHEREAS:**           The United Nations has been recently involved in the Oil-For-Food scandal, in  
130                            which billions of dollars were misappropriated in Iraq, further proving the  
140                            organization’s corruption; and

150    **WHEREAS:**           The United Nations makes no distinctions between nations of good standing and  
160                            dictatorships, such that the Sudan enslaves its black citizens and Iran is a source  
170                            of Islamist anti-Western terrorism—despite this, these countries are still in U.N.  
180                            favor; and

190    **WHEREAS:**           The United States pays 22 percent of the U.N. budget, but sincere requests made  
200                            by the United States are often ignored, such as requests to protect our interests, a  
210                            plea honored when made by other nations; and

220    **WHEREAS:**           The United States has had to take the initiative and finish what the U.N. started,  
230                            enforcing the inspection of weapons in Iraq; and

240    **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Maryland Student Legislature urges the United States  
250                            Congress to withdraw the United States’ membership from the United Nations,  
260                            ending all agreements, contributions of funds and support of U.S. troops; and

270    **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:** That the Maryland Student Legislature urges the United States  
280                            Congress to end all ties with programs and organizations headed by the United  
290                            Nations.

300    **MANDATES:**           George W. Bush, President of the United States  
310                            Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives  
320                            Bill Frist, Senate Majority Leader  
330                            John Bolton, United States Ambassador to the United Nations  
340                            Henry Hyde, Chairman of the House Committee on International Relations  
350                            Richard Lugar, Chairman of the U.S. Senate Committee on Foreign Relations

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