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8 **SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

9 COMMENDING GUATEMALA FOR RELOCATING THE GUATEMALAN
10 EMBASSY IN ISRAEL TO JERUSALEM.

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13 **Subtitle**

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15 GUATEMALAN EMBASSY IN ISRAEL TO
16 JERUSALEM.

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19 WHEREAS, countries around the world maintain diplomatic missions in
20 other countries around the world, including foreign embassies and consulates;
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23 WHEREAS, there are currently 88 embassies in the country of Israel,
24 with all but 2 located in the city of Tel Aviv; and

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26 WHEREAS, the United States Embassy in Israel relocated from Tel Aviv to
27 Jerusalem in 2018; and

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29 WHEREAS, the United States has encouraged other countries around the
30 world to follow the lead of our country and do the same; and

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32 WHEREAS, after the United States relocated, Guatemala made the decision
33 to move the Guatemalan Embassy in Israel to Jerusalem,

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35 NOW THEREFORE,

36 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE



1 STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

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3 THAT the Senate commends Guatemala on following the lead of the United
4 States and moving the Guatemalan Embassy to Jerusalem.

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6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT upon its adoption, a copy of this resolution
7 shall be delivered to the President of Guatemala by the Secretary of the
8 Senate.

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