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2015 ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION 20

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Relating to: honoring the victims of recent international tragedies and condemning

2 radical Islamic terrorist assailants. 3 Whereas, recent tragic events across the world have resulted in senseless 4 bloodshed and loss of life; and 5 Whereas, on the evening of November 13, 2015, armed terrorists attacked 6 crowds of individuals in a series of attacks on several restaurants, a sports arena, and 7 a concert venue in Paris, France; and 8 Whereas, the Paris attacks led to the loss of 129 lives and an additional 415 injured when assailants fired on crowds of individuals in restaurants and a concert 9 10 venue in Paris, France, before detonating suicide explosions; and Whereas, on November 12, 2015, two suicide bombing attacks that took place 11 12 in Beirut, Lebanon, claimed the lives of 42 people; and 13 Whereas, on October 31, 2015, Metrojet Flight 9268, a flight carrying mostly 14 Russian passengers, crashed in the Sinai Peninsula, Egypt, and killed 224 people; 15 and

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Whereas, on April 2, 2015, armed assailants opened fire on the campus of Garissa University College in Garissa, Kenya, killing 147 people and injuring at least 79 individuals; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the assembly, That the assembly of the state of Wisconsin hereby recognizes and honors those slain in the terrorist attacks on Paris and around the world, extends its deepest sympathies to the families and friends of the victims, hopes for the full and swift recovery for those who have been wounded, and condemns those responsible for planning and carrying out this tragic and senseless act of violence.

10 (END)