

Manager's Resolving Clause Amendment

AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

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Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.

**IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—118th Cong., 1st Sess.**

**S. Res. 158**

Condemning the deportation of children from Ukraine to the Russian Federation and the forcible transfer of children within territories of Ukraine that are temporarily occupied by Russian forces.

Referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_ and ordered to be printed

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AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. PETERS

Viz:

1 Strike all after the resolving clause and insert the following: "That the Senate—

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3 (1) holds the Government of the Russian Federation, under the leadership of Vladimir Putin, responsible for the wrongful and illegal kidnapping of  
4 children from Ukraine and officially condemns these  
5 actions in the strongest terms;

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7 (2) condemns—

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9 (A) the forcible mass transfer of millions  
10 of Ukrainian civilians, hundreds of thousands of  
11 whom are children, to the Russian Federation

1 or territories controlled by the Russian Federa-  
2 tion; and

3 (B) the facilitation of illegal adoptions,  
4 which could constitute a violation of Russia's  
5 obligations under the Genocide Convention and  
6 amount to genocide;

7 (3) claims that the Russian Federation is at-  
8 tempting to wipe out a generation of Ukrainian chil-  
9 dren, thereby crippling Ukraine's ability to nurture  
10 the next generation of Ukrainian citizens and lead-  
11 ers and to rebuild their country after Russia's  
12 unprovoked war, with the purpose of demolishing  
13 Ukraine's unique language, culture, history, and  
14 identity;

15 (4) asserts that the invasion of Ukraine by the  
16 Russian Federation has significantly increased the  
17 risks of children being exposed to human trafficking  
18 and exploitation, child labor, gender-based violence,  
19 hunger, injury, trauma, deprivation of education and  
20 shelter, and death;

21 (5) urges the President to use all legal means  
22 necessary to hold accountable those responsible for  
23 the forcible deportation and displacement of children  
24 in Ukraine;

1           (6) asserts that United States policy should in-  
2           volve assisting in reunification efforts between  
3           Ukrainian children deported or displaced by Russia's  
4           ongoing invasion of Ukraine and their families; and

5           (7) calls upon the President to impose sanctions  
6           on those responsible for the forcible deportation and  
7           displacement of Ukrainian children, including  
8           through the Global Magnitsky Human Rights Ac-  
9           countability Act (22 U.S.C. 10101 et seq.).