

Resolving Clause Amendment

AMENDMENT NO. _____ Calendar No. _____

Purpose: In the nature of a substitute.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES—117th Cong., 2d Sess.**S. Res. 650**

Recognizing May 28 as “World Hunger Day”, that the 90th anniversary of the Ukrainian Famine of 1932–1933, known as the Holodomor, should serve as a reminder of repressive Soviet policies against the people of Ukraine, and that Vladimir Putin’s illegal war against Ukraine has diminished Ukraine’s agricultural output and threatens to exacerbate the problems of global hunger on World Hunger Day.

Referred to the Committee on _____ and
ordered to be printed

Ordered to lie on the table and to be printed

AMENDMENT intended to be proposed by Mr. MENENDEZ

Viz:

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

- 1 (1) condemns Vladimir Putin’s brutal and
- 2 unprovoked war in Ukraine, his repeated public re-
- 3 jections of the existence of a Ukrainian people and
- 4 a sovereign Ukrainian state, and his weaponization
- 5 of hunger, which has increased global food prices
- 6 and food insecurity in the world;

1 (2) calls upon Vladimir Putin and the Russian
2 Armed Forces—

3 (A) to immediately cease their attacks on
4 Ukrainian civilians;

5 (B) to withdraw all troops from Ukraine;
6 and

7 (C) to fully respect Ukraine’s sovereignty,
8 independence, and territorial integrity;

9 (3) calls attention to the ongoing global food
10 crisis by observing May 28 as “World Hunger Day”;

11 (4) solemnly remembers the 90th anniversary of
12 the Holodomor of 1932–1933, and extends its deep-
13 est sympathies to the victims, survivors, and families
14 of this tragedy;

15 (5) condemns the systematic violations of
16 human rights, including the freedom of self-deter-
17 mination and freedom of speech of the Ukrainian
18 people by the Government of the Soviet Union;

19 (6) recognizes the findings of the Commission
20 on the Ukraine Famine, as submitted to Congress
21 on April 22, 1988, including that “Joseph Stalin
22 and those around him committed genocide against
23 the Ukrainians in 1932–1933”;

24 (7) encourages dissemination of information re-
25 garding the Holodomor of 1932–1933 in order to ex-

1 pand the world's knowledge of this manmade trag-
2 edy; and

3 (8) supports the continuing efforts of the people
4 of Ukraine to defend themselves against Russian ag-
5 gression, to work toward ensuring democratic prin-
6 ciples, a free economy, and full respect for human
7 rights in order to enable Ukraine to achieve its full
8 potential in accord with the desires of the Ukrainian
9 people and to deepen the partnership between
10 Ukraine, the United States, and all democratic na-
11 tions.