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# H. RES. 49

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives relating to the eradication of slavery where it exists throughout the world.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 30, 1995

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts (for himself, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. TORRICELLI) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on International Relations

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## RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives relating to the eradication of slavery where it exists throughout the world.

Whereas credible groups concerned with human rights have documented the existence of slavery in many countries in the world;

Whereas the enslavement of one human being by another is a denial of the humanity of the individual who is enslaved; and

Whereas the practice of slavery is often justified by those scourges of civilized people—racial and religious prejudice: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the House of Rep-  
2 representatives that—

3           (1) the Secretary of State should include a full  
4 report on slavery where it exists throughout the  
5 world in the annual human rights report of the Sec-  
6 retary of State;

7           (2) the United States Government should work  
8 with regional organizations such as the Organization  
9 of American States, the Organization of African  
10 Unity, the Association of Southeast Asian Nations,  
11 and the Gulf Cooperation Council, as well as with  
12 appropriate United Nations organizations, to draw  
13 up a multinational plan to put an end to slavery  
14 where it exists throughout the world; and

15           (3) the eradication of slavery should be an im-  
16 portant goal of the United States Government in all  
17 of its activities.

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