Urge repeal of UN Resolution 3379

We are leaders of American ethnic, religious, and racial groups dedicated to promoting pluralism and opposing bigotry. We represent America's historic commitment to freedom and justice. In short, we are “America's United Nations.”

We join together to support the call of President Bush and a growing number of world leaders for repeal of the infamous United Nations General Assembly Resolution 3379. This resolution, passed 16 years ago this month, equated Zionism with racism. It is an insult to millions of Americans.

In the same vein as the “Jim Crow laws,” or the Nazi “laws of racial purity,” the UN resolution abuses law to promote hatred. We cannot remain silent in the face of this destructive resolution or allow its pernicious influence on human relations and the Jewish people to go unchallenged.

The UN must act now to remove this obstacle on the path to peace!

Since 1979 the American Jewish Committee has played a leading role in the drive to repeal UN resolution 3379. The American Jewish Committee fights against racism and bigotry, and seeks to preserve human rights and promote well-being, enrich the quality of Jewish life, nurture pluralism, and protect human rights for all.