
SENATE RESOLUTION

URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE
FUNDING AND SUPPORT TO THE UKRAINIAN MILITARY IN ITS
DEFENSE OF AGGRESSION FROM RUSSIA.

1 WHEREAS, Ukraine declared independence from the Soviet
2 Union on August 24, 1991; and

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4 WHEREAS, the United States and Ukraine have established
5 diplomatic relations since Ukraine's independence from the
6 Soviet Union; and

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8 WHEREAS, according to the British Broadcasting Company,
9 forty-three thousand Ukrainian soldiers have been killed and
10 three hundred seventy thousand wounded as the war with Russia
11 hits its third year; and

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13 WHEREAS, on February 2025, the United Nations Human Rights
14 Office of the High Commissioner declared that the ongoing
15 conflict has internally displaced 3.7 million people in Ukraine;
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18 WHEREAS, the United Nations Human Rights Monitoring Mission
19 in Ukraine has verified 30,457 civilian casualties since
20 February 2022, including 10,582 killed and 19,875 injured, with
21 the actual numbers likely to be significantly higher; and

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23 WHEREAS, forty percent of Ukraine's population remains in
24 need of some form of humanitarian assistance; and

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26 WHEREAS, aid provided by the United States to Ukraine has
27 allowed the country to defend itself and launch a
28 counteroffensive to retake territory from Russia, while
29 providing necessary humanitarian relief for Ukraine's
30 population; and

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32 WHEREAS, the United States House of Representatives
33 introduced H.R. Res. 155 (1st Sess. 2025), reaffirming the



1 United States' unwavering support for Ukraine's sovereignty and
2 independence; and

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4 WHEREAS, the Ukrainian government needs continued
5 assistance as soon as possible to allow it to effectively defend
6 itself against Russia and manage this crisis long-term; now,
7 therefore,

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9 BE IT RESOLVED by the Senate of the Thirty-third
10 Legislature of the State of Hawaii, Regular Session of 2025,
11 that the Congress of the United States is urged to continue to
12 provide funding and support to the Ukrainian military in its
13 defense of aggression from Russia; and

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15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this body affirms the support
16 of and solidarity with the free and independent people of
17 Ukraine; and

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19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that certified copies of this
20 Resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States,
21 Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, President
22 Pro Tempore of the United States Senate, and members of Hawaii's
23 congressional delegation.

