

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. J. RES. 173

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States regarding school prayer.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 31, 1993

Mr. SOLOMON introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the fol-*  
4       lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-  
5       stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all  
6       intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when  
7       ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several

1 States within seven years after the date of its submission  
2 for ratification:

3 “ARTICLE —

4 “Nothing in this constitution shall prohibit the inclu-  
5 sion of voluntary prayer in any public school program or  
6 activity. No person shall be coerced by the United States  
7 or by any State to participate in such prayer. Neither the  
8 United States nor any State shall prescribe the content  
9 of any such prayer.”.

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