

Senate Resolution 635

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A RESOLUTION

1 Honoring International Holocaust Remembrance Day on January 27, 2026; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Holocaust, in which six million Jewish men, women, and children were
4 systematically murdered by the Nazi regime, along with millions of others, including people
5 with disabilities, political dissidents, and countless others, serves as a solemn reminder of
6 what happens when hate is unchecked; and

7 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia honors the memory of those who perished, the survivors
8 who carry the scars of their experiences, and the generations who have inherited the
9 responsibility to remember and educate future generations; and

10 WHEREAS, on this anniversary, the State of Georgia recommits itself to combating the
11 global rise in antisemitism; and

12 WHEREAS, the people of Georgia recognize the importance of combating hate and bigotry
13 in all forms, standing in solidarity against antisemitism, racism, and all forms of
14 discrimination that seek to dehumanize and divide us; and

15 WHEREAS, the lessons of the Holocaust call upon us to be vigilant, to uphold human
16 dignity, and to actively promote peace, understanding, and respect for all people, regardless
17 of their background, race, color, ethnicity, national origin, or religion; and

18 WHEREAS, this day serves as a reminder of the resilience of the human spirit and the
19 enduring importance of remembrance.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
21 recognize January 27, 2026, as International Holocaust Remembrance Day; avow that we
22 will remember the history and lessons of the Holocaust and honor its victims, survivors and
23 liberators; and pledge to stand together to combat hate and honor our solemn responsibilities
24 as citizens in a democracy.

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
26 to make appropriate copies of this resolution available for distribution to the public and the
27 press.