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November 04, 2016

The Honorable Karen Haas  
Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives  
U.S. Capitol, Room H154  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Madam Clerk,

Pursuant to section 3(c) of House Resolution 5 (114<sup>th</sup> Congress), I hereby designate the attached Memorial from the State of New Jersey, received by the House of Representatives in the year 1973, as purporting to be an application of the State legislature calling for a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States pursuant to Article V, and request that you make it publicly available.

Sincerely,



Bob Goodlatte

Chairman

2-1-72

ADVANCE COPY

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 91

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED SEPTEMBER 14, 1970

By Assemblymen MORAITES, A. S. SMITH, CONNELL, CRANE, Assemblywoman MARGETTS, Assemblymen COBB, DORGAN, CURCIO, SHUSTED, RAYMOND, HEILMANN, McDONOUGH, KIEHN, IRWIN, Assemblywoman FENWICK, Assemblymen EWING, SCHLUTER, WEIDEL, MACRAE, KRAVARIK, HAELIG, GARIBALDI, HIRKALA, LEFANTE, SUMINSKI, ESPOSITO, CONWELL, GAVAN, HIGGINS, DEVERIN, FAY, COLEMAN, ROBERTSON, DAWES, BROWN, MABIE, TURNER, FORAN, LITTELL, RINALDI, W. L. SMITH

Referred to Committee on Federal and Interstate Relations

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION making application to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States in accordance with Article V of said Constitution.

1 BE IT RESOLVED *by the General Assembly of the State of New*  
2 *Jersey (the Senate concurring):*

1 1. In accordance with the provisions of Article V of the Constitu-  
2 tion of the United States of America, the Legislature of the State of  
3 New Jersey hereby applies to the Congress of the United States to  
4 call a Constitutional convention for the purpose of proposing an  
5 amendment to the Constitution of the United States, which amend-  
6 ment shall permit the offering of voluntary prayer in the public  
7 school system.

1 2. If Congress shall have proposed an amendment to the Con-  
2 stitution, to the same effect as the foregoing, prior to January 1,  
3 1971, this application for a convention shall no longer be of any  
4 force or effect.

1 3. Authenticated copies of this resolution shall be forwarded to  
2 the Secretary of the Senate of the United States, the Clerk of the  
3 House of Representatives of the United States, the members of the  
4 ninety-first Congress of the United States elected from New Jersey  
5 and the Secretary of the State of each of the several states for  
6 transmittal by him to the Legislature of his respective state.