

Assembly Joint Resolution

No. 22

Introduced by Assembly Member Gabriel

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Assembly Joint Resolution No. 22—Relative to the Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AJR 22, as introduced, Gabriel. Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol.

This measure would, among other things, on the first anniversary of the attack on the United States Capitol on January 6, 2021, urge the Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol to uncover the facts, circumstances, and causes relating to the attack, and honor the individuals who died or were injured as a result of the attack.

Fiscal committee: no.

1 WHEREAS, President Donald J. Trump’s actions incited a
2 violent insurrection that attempted to prevent the peaceful transfer
3 of power at the United States Congress on January 6, 2021;

4 WHEREAS, the insurrection was a horrific assault on our
5 democracy as established by the Constitution of the United States;

6 WHEREAS, the insurrection resulted in multiple deaths, physical
7 harm to over 140 members of law enforcement, and terror and
8 trauma among staff, institutional employees, press, and Members
9 of the United States Congress;

10 WHEREAS, the United States Congress has established a
11 bipartisan Select Committee to Investigate the January 6th Attack
12 on the United States Capitol; now, therefore, be it

13 *Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of*
14 *California, jointly,* That the Legislature urges the Select Committee
15 to Investigate the January 6th Attack on the United States Capitol
16 to uncover the facts, circumstances, and causes relating to the
17 domestic terrorist attack on the United States Capitol on January
18 6, 2021; and be it further

19 *Resolved,* That the Legislature condemns the insurrection and
20 assault on our democracy on January 6, 2021; and be it further

21 *Resolved,* That the Legislature recognizes the courage, bravery,
22 and sacrifice of those who were injured and killed trying to protect
23 the United States Capitol and honors those individuals on the first
24 anniversary of the insurrection; and be it further

25 *Resolved,* That the Legislature rejects all forms of political
26 violence; and be it further

27 *Resolved,* That the members of the Legislature reaffirm their
28 duty to support and defend the Constitution of the United States;
29 and be it further

30 *Resolved,* That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly transmit copies
31 of this resolution to the President and Vice President of the United
32 States, to the Speaker of the United States House of
33 Representatives, to the Majority Leader of the United States Senate,
34 to the Members of the Select Committee to Investigate the January

1 6th Attack on the United States Capitol, and to the author for
2 appropriate distribution.

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5 **REVISIONS:**

6 **Heading—Line 2.**

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