

AN RNC RESOLUTION TO COMMEND THE NATION OF ISRAEL FOR ITS RELATIONS
WITH THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WHEREAS, Israel has been granted her lands under and through the oldest recorded deed as reported in the Old Testament, a tome of scripture held sacred and revered by Jew and Christian, alike, as the acts and words of God; and

WHEREAS, as the Grantor of said lands, God stated to the Jewish people in the Old Testament; in Leviticus, Chapter 20, Verse 24: “Ye shall inherit their land, and I will give it unto you to possess it, a land that floweth with milk and honey”; and

WHEREAS, God has never rescinded his grant of said lands; and

WHEREAS, along with the grant of said lands to the Jewish people, God provided for the non-Jewish residents of the land in commanding that governance must be in one law for all without drawing distinction between Jewish and non-Jewish citizens, as contained in Leviticus 24:22, and

WHEREAS, the Nation of Israel declared its independent control and governance of said lands on May 14, 1948, with the goal of re-establishing their God-given lands as a homeland for the Jewish people; and

WHEREAS, the United States of America, having been the first country to recognize Israel as an independent nation and as Israel’s principal Mideast ally, has enjoyed a close and mutually beneficial relationship with Israel and her people; and

WHEREAS, indeed, Israel is the United States of America’s greatest friend in the Mideast; and

WHEREAS, the roots of Israel and the roots of the United States of America are so intertwined that it is difficult to separate one from the other under the word and protection of almighty God; and

WHEREAS, there are those in the Middle East who have sought to destroy Israel from its inception as a nation; and

WHEREAS, those same enemies of Israel also seek to destroy the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, the United States of America and the nation of Israel have enjoyed cordial and mutually beneficial relations since 1948, a friendship that should continues to strengthen with each passing year.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Republican Nation Committee that the committee by this resolution commends the nation of Israel for its relations with the United States of America.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the members of this body support Israel in their natural and God-given right of self-governance and self-defense upon their own lands, recognizing that Israel is neither an attacking force nor an occupier of the lands of others; and that peace can be afforded the region only through a united Israel governed under one law for all people.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and Senate Leadership and each of the legislatures of the states within the United States of America with the request and recommendation of this body that a similar resolution to that stated herein be proposed within their respective bodies.

As Approved by the Republican National Committee, January 13, 2012

RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND
HONORING THE MEMORY OF DAVE BITNER

WHEREAS, on September 8, 2011, the Republican National Committee lost a dear friend and valued member of our Republican family in the passing of Dave Bitner; and,

WHEREAS, the Republican National Committee wishes to recognize and honor Dave's life and his legacy of public service; and,

WHEREAS, Dave was a life-long Republican who was raised with conservative roots growing up and working on a farm in Maryland and then moving to Florida; and,

WHEREAS, Dave was elected to the Florida state legislature in 1992 and quickly earned the reputation of being a hardworking conservative leader who helped to lead the Republican resurgence in Florida; and,

WHEREAS, in 2000 Dave was asked by then Florida Governor Jeb Bush, and agreed to travel the state campaigning on behalf of George W. Bush for President; and,

WHEREAS, after leaving the Florida state legislature Dave founded the government consulting firm, Bitner & Associates where he was able to not only advance his long-lived conservative principles, but also his love for baseball as his firm represented several Major League teams; and

WHEREAS, Dave continued to work hard as a grassroots activist serving as a Jefferson County precinct committeeman and member of the Jefferson County Republican Executive Committee; and

WHEREAS, in 2011 Dave was elected Chairman of the Republican Party of Florida where, in his short tenure, was able to make great strides leading the Party; and

WHEREAS, in April 2011 Dave was diagnosed with ALS yet stayed on as state chairman of the Republican Party of Florida until the disease no longer enabled him to do so; and

RESOLVED, that the Republican National Committee celebrates the memory of our friend Dave Bitner and expresses its heartfelt condolences to the entire Bitner family.

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RESOLUTION EXPOSING UNITED NATIONS AGENDA 21

WHEREAS, the United Nations Agenda 21 is a comprehensive plan of extreme environmentalism, social engineering, and global political control that was initiated at the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED) held in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, in 1992; and,

WHEREAS, the United Nations Agenda 21 is being covertly pushed into local communities throughout the United States of America through the International Council of Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI) through local “sustainable development” policies such as Smart Growth, Wildlands Project, Resilient Cities, Regional Visioning Projects, and other “Green” or “Alternative” projects; and,

WHEREAS, this United Nations Agenda 21 plan of radical so-called “sustainable development” views the American way of life of private property ownership, single family homes, private car ownership and individual travel choices, and privately owned farms; all as destructive to the environment; and,

WHEREAS, according to the United Nations Agenda 21 policy, social justice is described as the right and opportunity of all people to benefit equally from the resources afforded us by society and the environment which would be accomplished by socialist/communist redistribution of wealth; and,

WHEREAS, according to the United Nations Agenda 21 policy National sovereignty is deemed a social injustice; now therefore be

RESOLVED, the Republican National Committee recognizes the destructive and insidious nature of United Nations Agenda 21 and hereby exposes to the public and public policy makers the dangerous intent of the plan; and therefore be it further

RESOLVED , that the U.S. government and no state or local government is legally bound by the United Nations Agenda 21 treaty in that it has never been endorsed by the (U.S.) Senate, and therefore be it further

RESOLVED, that the federal and state and local governments across the country be well informed of the underlying harmful implications of implementation of United Nations Agenda 21 destructive strategies for “sustainable development” and we hereby endorse rejection of its radical policies and rejection of any grant monies attached to it, and therefore be it further

RESOLVED, that upon the approval of this resolution the Republican National Committee shall deliver a copy of this resolution to each of the Republican members of Congress, all Republican candidates for Congress, all Republican candidates for President who qualify for RNC sanctioned debates, and to each Republican state and territorial party office and recommend for adoption into the Republican Party Platform at the 2012 Convention.

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AN RNC RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR TO FULLY INVESTIGATE OPERATION FAST AND FURIOUS AND THE MURDER OF CBP AGENT BRIAN TERRY

WHEREAS, Customs and Border Patrol Officer Brian Terry was killed in the line of duty while pursuing smuggling suspects outside of Rio Rico, AZ on December 14,2010; and,

WHEREAS, suspects in the murder of Officer Brian Terry and the assault of his fellow officers were found to have used weapons while committing the crimes which they came into possession through a failed federal program supervised by the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms and Explosives (hereinafter referred to as BATFE) known as "Fast and Furious"; and,

WHEREAS, an estimated 2,500 weapons were sold illegally to known or suspected straw purchasers with the cooperation of the BATFE who frequently ordered gun dealers to conduct sales which the dealers believed were suspicious; and,

WHEREAS, the BATFE ordered its agents working in the program not to arrest the illegal straw purchasers and prevented the interdiction of the weapons that were obtained by criminals; and,

WHEREAS, BATFE officials were briefed on a regular basis on the operation and approved the tactics; and,

WHEREAS, the BATFE agents who opposed the operation and who raised objections were threatened with job retaliation if they continued their opposition; and,

WHEREAS, according to internal Department of Justice documents Attorney General Eric Holder was briefed on "Operation Fast and Furious" with its various problems as early as July 2010 but during Congressional testimony he claimed he had no knowledge of the program; and,

WHEREAS, the Obama Administration has sealed all of the investigation files related to the murder of Officer Brian Terry; and,

WHEREAS , the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform has subpoenaed all of the documents held by federal officials but have been blocked repeatedly in their efforts to fully investigate the death of Officer Terry, the BATFE's gun smuggling programs and the Department of Justice's involvement in the case; and,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED , that the members of the Republican National Committee commend Chairman Issa and Ranking Member Grassley for their efforts to review the "Fast and Furious" scandal in Congress and call for the appointment of an independent special prosecutor to conduct a full and complete inquiry of the BATFE's and the Department of Justice's failed policies which permitted illegal smuggling of weapons and the circumstances related to the criminal murder of a federal officer in order to facilitate the prosecution of the straw purchasers, the gun smugglers, the perpetrators of the murder, and any federal official found to have violated the law or the civil rights of all injured parties in the above mentioned case; and,

RESOLVED, that upon the approval of this resolution the Republican National Committee shall deliver a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States Barack Obama, Attorney General Eric Holder, all of the members of Congress, all Republican candidates for Congress, all Republican candidates for

President who qualify for RNC sanctioned debates, and to each Republican state and territorial party office.

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AN RNC RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF REFORMING INSIDER TRADING IN THE US CONGRESS

WHEREAS, Members of the US Congress are responsible for creating legislation for the common welfare and good for the people of the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, Members of the US Congress and staff are subject to a Code of Official Conduct in their service in the US Congress to the people of the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, Members of the US Congress and staff knowingly receive access to nonpublic information, economic intelligence and political intelligence which has not been disseminated to the public in the regular course of their employment to the people of the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, Members and staff of the US Congress have access to nonpublic information which has an impact on the value of corporate equities, commodities, bonds, various financial instruments and real estate; and now:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that, a Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, or employee of the US Congress and Senate shall not (a) disclose material nonpublic information relating to any pending or prospective legislative action or investigation relating to any publicly traded company if that Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, employee, political/economic intelligence person or lobbyist has reason to believe that the information will be used to buy or sell the securities of such publicly traded company, commodity, bond, various financial instrument and real estate based on such information; or (b) disclose material nonpublic information relating to any pending or prospective legislative action relating to any legislative action relating to any commodity if that Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer, or employee has reason to believe that the information will be used to buy or sell such corporate equity, commodity bond, various financial instrument and real estate for future delivery based on such information.

RESOLVED that, Within 90 days after the purchase, sale, or exchange of any corporate equity, commodity, bond, various financial instruments, real estate or other forms of securities that are otherwise required to be reported if the transaction of which involves at least \$1000 by any Member of the US Congress or officer or employee of the legislative branch required to so file, that Member, officer, or employee shall file a report of that transaction with the Clerk of the House of Representatives in the case of a Representative in Congress, a Delegate to Congress, or the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico, or with the Secretary of the Senate in the case of a Senator.

RESOLVED that, the members of the Republican National Committee do hereby recommend that the bipartisan leadership of the US Congress to enact such rules of conduct with respect to insider trading as described herein that are comparable to existing federal laws and regulation that govern the officers, board members and employees of publicly traded companies who are subject to sanction by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

RESOLVED that, upon the approval of this resolution the Republican National Committee shall deliver a copy of this resolution to each of the Republican members of Congress, all Republican candidates for Congress, all Republican candidates for President who qualify for RNC sanctioned debates, and to each Republican state and territorial party office.

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RESOLUTION SUPPORTING TAIWAN'S FREEDOM
AND AMERICA'S MORAL LEADERSHIP

WHEREAS, The United States of America not only defends its own freedom but has stood by her allies around the world in defense of their freedom; and,

WHEREAS, Taiwan, (Republic of China), is a beacon of freedom as the first democratic republic in Asia and stands as a model of hope for the people of Communist China; and,

WHEREAS, a recent New York Times editorial by Mr. Paul V. Kane on November 11, 2011 (http://www.nytimes.com/2011/11/11/opinion/to-save-our-economy-ditch-taiwan.html?_r=2&ref=china) advocated ending military assistance to Taiwan and ending the current United States-Taiwan defense arrangement in exchange for Communist China forgiving \$1.14 trillion of U.S. debt; and,

WHEREAS, President Obama has not rejected this idea of selling out a liberty-loving democratic republic of 23 million free people to control by Communist China, an authoritarian regime which has vowed to "reunify" Taiwan by force if necessary; and,

WHEREAS, the idea of such a betrayal of trust towards Taiwan, a loyal ally of the United States, is a moral outrage that dishonors the principles upon which our country was founded and represents a foreign policy of appeasement that history has shown never to succeed; and,

WHEREAS, as a free people, Taiwan is ready to pay for and willing to exercise its right of self defense and is counting on agreements made with the United States to sell them the means of defense in the form of military equipment and training; and,

WHEREAS, President Obama already has bowed to Communist Chinese pressure to block the sale of F-16C/D fighters to Taiwan; a policy that is inconsistent with his own State Department's "America's Pacific Century" initiative in which Taiwan plays a key role; and,

WHEREAS, the 2008 Republican Party Platform states that "the U.S., in accord with the Taiwan Relations Act, will help Taiwan defend itself" including "the timely sale of defensive arms," now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Republican National Committee thanks Mr. Kane for his service as a Marine in Iraq; and be it further

RESOLVED, that if President Obama were willing to sell out a free country such as Taiwan, it would profoundly damage our moral leadership and reliability around the world, severely limit our ability to conduct foreign policy and would undermine our national security interests in Asia; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Republican National Committee calls on President Obama to condemn and reject the idea of selling the freedom of 23 million Taiwanese people for “red” cash advocated by Mr. Kane on both moral and diplomatic grounds; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Republican National Committee demands that a central pillar of U.S. foreign policy be a steadfast and honorable support of Taiwan including defense of her freedom and democratic republic; and
be it further

RESOLVED, that upon the approval of this resolution the Republican National Committee shall deliver a copy of this resolution to each of the Republican members of Congress, all Republican candidates for Congress, all Republican candidates for President who qualify for RNC sanctioned debates, and to each Republican state and territorial party office.

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