

A JOINT RESOLUTION

To authorize the President to implement an Agreement with the Government of the Republic of Turkey Relative to Defense Cooperation Pursuant to Article III of the North Atlantic Treaty in Order to Resist Armed Attack in the North Atlantic Treaty Area.

Whereas on March 26, 1976, there was signed an Agreement Between the Governments of the United States of America and of the Republic of Turkey Relative to Defense Cooperation Pursuant to Article 3 of the North Atlantic Treaty (which Agreement, together with a related exchange of notes dated April 7 and 13, 1976, are hereinafter referred to collectively as "the Agreement"); and

Whereas the Agreement provides that its entry into force is conditioned upon a further exchange of notes indicating the approval of both parties in accordance with their respective legal procedures; and

Whereas the said Agreement provides for certain undertakings by the United States as part of its obligations under the said Agreement; and

Whereas the entry into force of the Agreement will restore to the United States the use of facilities which are important to the security of the United States and the defense of the North Atlantic Treaty Area; and

Whereas the President has requested the Congress to approve the Agreement and to authorize the appropriation of funds necessary to its execution so that the Agreement may enter into force: Now, therefore, be it

1           Resolved, by the Senate and House of Repre-  
2           sentatives of the United States of America in  
3           Congress assembled, That the Congress approves the  
4           Agreement and the President is authorized to imple-  
5           ment the provisions thereof.

6           SEC. 2. (a) There are authorized to be  
7           appropriated the amounts required by the said Agree-  
8           ment for the purpose of carrying out the programs  
9           and activities as are provided for therein.

10           (b) Foreign assistance and military sales  
11           programs and activities carried out with funds  
12           made available pursuant to subsection (a) of this  
13           section shall be conducted in accordance with  
14           provisions of law generally applicable to foreign  
15           assistance and military sales programs of the

1 United States: Provided, That section 620(x)  
2 of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 shall not  
3 apply with respect to such programs and activities;  
4 and Provided further, That the President is  
5 authorized, notwithstanding that section, to  
6 furnish to the Government of Turkey those  
7 defense articles and defense services with  
8 respect to which funds were obligated or reserved  
9 under chapter 2 of part II of the Foreign Assist-  
10 ance Act of 1961 on or before February 5, 1975.

11 (c) This Resolution satisfies the require-  
12 ment of section 36(b) of the Foreign Military  
13 Sales Act and section 7307 of Title 10 of the  
14 United States Code with respect to the transfer  
15 pursuant to the Agreement of naval vessels and  
16 other defense articles and defense services which  
17 are referred to in the United States note dated  
18 April 7, 1976.

19 (d) The costs of Department of Defense  
20 programs and activities to be carried out with  
21 Department of Defense funds made available pursuant  
22 to subsection (a) of this subsection include:  
23 operational, maintenance and other costs in connec-  
24 tion with the use of installations in Turkey by the  
25 United States pursuant to Article XIII of the

1 Agreement; training (on-the-job and locally) of  
2 Turkish personnel assigned or to be assigned to  
3 the installations pursuant to Article VI of the  
4 Agreement; costs of implementation of communica-  
5 tions joint use plans pursuant to Article XVI of  
6 the Agreement; and costs of providing access by  
7 Turkey to the United States Defense Communica-  
8 tions Satellite System pursuant to numbered para-  
9 graph 3 of the United States note dated April 7,  
10 1976.

11 SEC. 3. The authorities contained in this  
12 Resolution shall become effective only upon the  
13 entry into force of the Agreement and shall  
14 continue in effect only for so long as that  
15 Agreement remains in force.