

1 **Resolution to De-Classify the 28 Page Chapter of the**
2 **Congressional Joint Inquiry into 9/11**

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4 **WHEREAS** the United States Congress held hearings after the September 11 attacks on
5 the World Trade Center, the Pentagon, and in Pennsylvania, called the Joint
6 Congressional Inquiry into 9/11, and released an 800 page report on those hearings;

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8 **WHEREAS** the final chapter of that report, totaling 28 pages, was summarily classified
9 by President George W. Bush;

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11 **WHEREAS** that final chapter purports to establish the role of the Kingdom of Saudi
12 Arabia and its associated charities, princes, and other participants in financing and
13 orchestrating the 9/11 attacks;

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15 **WHEREAS** former U.S. Senator Bob Graham (D-Fl) who chaired the Congressional
16 hearings, and has demanded the declassification of the 28 pages, has stated to the press
17 that the Saudis have been involved in spawning all of the Jihadi terror networks
18 including Al Queda and ISIS;

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20 **WHEREAS** there was a letter to President Bush in 2003 to declassify the 28 pages, and
21 that letter was signed by 46 US Senators, including Tom Harkin, John Kerry, Joe Biden,
22 and Hillary Clinton, and there are now two bills in the Congress to release the 28 pages,
23 H.Res.14 with 42 bipartisan sponsors in the House, and S.1471 with 3 bipartisan
24 sponsors in the Senate;

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26 **WHEREAS** the call to release the 28 pages has been endorsed by the leaders of the 9/11
27 Commission, Gov. Tom Keane and Rep. Lee Hamilton, and has been endorsed by many
28 other prominent leaders including Admiral John Lehman and Senator Bob Kerry,
29 among others; and

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31 **WHEREAS** we owe it to the families of the victims of 9/11 and to the victims
32 themselves, as well as to the troops that have been sent into battle, to tell the truth once
33 and for all as to who perpetrated the attack on our soil; therefore,

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35 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Washington State Democratic Party hereby
36 calls upon the Congress of the United States, both the Senate and the House, to pass
37 H.Res.14 and S.1471, with all due haste, and to compel the de-classification of the 28
38 page chapter of the 9/11 report; and

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40 **THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Washington State Democratic
41 Party calls for the de-classification of the 28 page chapter of the Congressional 9/11
42 Report.

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Submitted by the Skamania County Democrats.

The Platform Committee recommended that this resolution be passed at their June 17, 2016 meeting.

The 2016 Washington State Democratic Convention passed this resolution on June 18, 2016.