1) WUPJ Resolution on Islamophobia and Extremism

Whereas as Jews, we have experienced & continue to confront the bigotry of anti-

Semitism & its distortions of the teachings of Judaism.

Whereas we oppose the prejudices which turn God's children against each other, aimed at people of all religions. We decry especially the wave of Islamophobia which delegitimizes the faith and practices of Muslims all over the world.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that this International Assembly joins with the

overwhelming majority of Muslims in condemning Islamic extremism, which threatens moderate Muslims even as it threatens peace everywhere. We call upon the affiliated members and institutions of the World Union for Progressive Judaism to work with people of all religions through dialogue and religious action to create a more peaceful world one of mutual respect and understanding.

4) IMPJ Resolution for the WUPJ on Racism

Whereas of late, racist statements especially targeting the Arab citizens of Israel,

immigrants and refugees, are becoming more common and more severe while becoming more socially acceptable in the eyes of the public.

And whereas in particular, some Rabbis are even manipulating Jewish religious texts in order to justify these statements.

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that this International Assembly of the World Union for

Progressive Judaism calls on all of its members to condemn all racist statements and to clarify that the Jewish religion does not support these expressions.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that this International Assembly of The World Union

for Progressive Judaism also calls its members to request that Israel's President, the

Prime Minister, the Minister of Justice and the Attorney General condemn racism,

specifically the recent public appeals to not rent apartments to the Arab citizens of Israel, to immigrants and/or to refugees. We also call on them to reinforce the rules of democracy in Israel by prosecuting any person expressing racism and/or incitement to violence.