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STATEMENT ON TERRORIST ATTACKS IN ISRAEL

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Jonathan Riegel, CAE Executive Director The Queens County Bar Association strongly and unequivocally condemns the terrorist attacks that Hamas perpetrated upon the citizens of Israel and Americans living in Israel. This barbaric attack included the killing of unarmed men and women of all ages, including some Holocaust survivors, as well as parents, children and babies, in a savage and brutal manner; the kidnapping of an estimated 150 individuals; and the rape and torture of innocent civilians.

We join with the many organizations and President Biden in standing with Israel, and for calling out these attacks for what they are – terrorism. We also call for the immediate release of all hostages taken by Hamas.

Sincerely yours,

Michael D. Abneri

President