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From: Noam Neusner
Sent: Tuesday, March 02, 2010 3:18 PM
To: Noam Neusner
Subject: Turkey's Jewish Community: "The assessment of historic events by parliaments is an unrealistic undertaking."

Friends,

Earlier today, Turkey's Jewish Community issued the attached release regarding HR 252. I've pasted it below, as well. I think you will find it interesting.

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We believe in the event that the bill in question is adopted by the committee, both Turkish-American relations will be harmed and such an action will in no way benefit the Turkish-Armenian relations.

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Press Release of the Turkish Jewish Community

Upon the requests made by various media organizations for the opinion of Turkish Jewish Community regarding the H. Res. 252 bill to be put to vote at the U.S. House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee on March 4th, 2010, our Community has deemed it necessary to share with the public the following points:

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