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Concerning the approximately one hundred and ninety children and youths at the Romanian Institution for the Unsalvageables at Sighetu Marmatiei who are in desperate need of humanitarian assistance.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

APRIL 2 (legislative day, MARCH 3), 1993

Mr. GRAMM submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Concerning the approximately one hundred and ninety children and youths at the Romanian Institution for the Unsalvageables at Sighetu Marmatiei who are in desperate need of humanitarian assistance.

Whereas there are approximately one hundred and ninety children and youths at the Romanian Institution for the Unsalvageables at Sighetu Marmatiei who are in desperate need of humanitarian assistance, including proper medical attention and treatment;

Whereas a private, nonprofit organization known as the Chalcedon Foundation of Vallecito, California, in coordination with EPIC Healthcare Group of Dallas, Texas, has committed to facilitating such assistance through the provi-

sion of medical attention and treatment and housing for such children and youths in the United States;

Whereas the Chalcedon Foundation has guaranteed that once these children and youths arrive in the United States they will not become a public charge or burden on the taxpayer; and

Whereas increased cooperation among the United States Government, the Government of Romania, and interested individuals and humanitarian organizations is needed if these children and youths are to be saved: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*
2 *concurring), That the Congress calls upon—*

3 (1) the Government of Romania to allow the
4 approximately one hundred and ninety children and
5 youths at the Romanian Institution for the
6 Unsalvageables at Sighetu Marmatiei to come to the
7 United States for humanitarian assistance, including
8 proper medical attention and treatment; and

9 (2) the Secretary of State to facilitate this process
10 by granting these children and youths entry into
11 the United States with the immediacy that their
12 intolerable situation demands.

