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One of the seminars was attended by Richard Schum, legislative assistant to Congressman Bilirakis (FL). His response was so enthusiastic that Congressman Bilirakis immediately introduced the resolution without our knowledge. He actually preceded Congressman Hunter by about an hour.

As a result HR 311 and HR312 are identical House resolutions. These are identical to SR 314 which Senators Symms (ID) and Wilson (CA) introduced in the Senate. Richard Schum has received official notification of cosponsorship of HR 311 from Congressmen Shumway (CA), Swindall (GA), Young (FL), and Holloway (LA).

Please write to your Congressional Representative and ask him to cosponsor HR 311. Also, please write to Congressman Bilirakis and his legislative assistant, Richard Schum, with your thanks and encouragement for their work on behalf of American civil defense.

Above the door of room H130 in the Capitol building where Richard Schum attended our seminar is written:

"Our Government Conceived in Freedom and Purchased with Blood Can be Preserved only by Constant Vigilance"

William Jennings Bryan 1908

PATRICK HENRY

On 23 November 1987 *The New American* reprinted in its entirety Patrick Henry's most famous speech given in 1775 at St. John's Church in Richmond, Virginia.

This oratory, clearly among the few greatest statements by an American, has many parts which are even more relevant today than they were in Patrick Henry's time. No American should be without a copy.

We therefore reprint the speech below.

Mr. President, no man thinks more highly than I do of the patriotism, as well as abilities, of the very worthy gentlemen who have just addressed the house. But different