**A Resolution to Clarify Constitutional Language**

**WHEREAS**, the term “Advise and Consent” appears in the Constitution; and

**WHEREAS**, it has been interpreted as the Senate providing approval to a presidential nominee; and

**WHEREAS**, this has historically been considered a process to proceed with at all deliberate speed; and

**WHEREAS**, the Senate has shown disapproval with a nominee through a vote in the negation; and

**WHEREAS**, courts have interpreted silence or inaction to imply consent; and

**WHEREAS**, the Senate has remained officially silent on the current Supreme Court Nominee; and

**WHEREAS**, the complete lack of response indicates that the Senate has no great objection to the nominee, otherwise they would have held a hearing to raise such objections; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** By the Congress here assembled that unless the Senate provides for a hearing and a vote within a time of ninety days, they have provided consent to the nomination to the Supreme Court.