

## **STATEMENT**

Madrid, June 20

We have heard about the statement approved on June 16th by the Foreing Action Comittee of the Parliament of Catalonia in which it accuses Israel of acting against International Law and of practising "apartheid".

The Federation of Jewish Communities of Spain (<a href="https://www.fcje.org/">https://www.fcje.org/</a>) rejects and condemns in all its terms this resolution.

The People of Catalonia have demonstrated throughout History to be a society of peace, a builder of bridges of dialogue and a supporter of each people developing solutions to their problems in a democratic way.

Therefore, we reject this resolution of the Parliamentary Commission as destructive, biased and not at all representative of the recognized values of the People of Catalonia.

The impact of this position by the Parliament will not bring any benefit to the citizens and we do not perceive the interest in creating such a prejudice that undermines the international recognition of the institutions of our country.

The FCJE expects public institutions to act with common sense, respecting the general interest and always supporting dialogue solutions.