



RESOLUTION REFUTING THE LEGITIMACY OF THE SOUTHERN POVERTY LAW CENTER TO IDENTIFY HATE GROUPS

WHEREAS, The Southern Poverty Law Center (SPLC) is a far-left organization with an obvious bias;

WHEREAS, The SPLC makes a practice of incorrectly labeling persons and organizations as “hate groups”;

WHEREAS, The actions of the SPLC have served to mobilize persons to act in hate and violence towards those on its “hate group” list;

WHEREAS, The Family Research Council suffered a violent attack due to its support of the traditional family, which the SPLC has deemed as hateful;

WHEREAS, The Obama Administration legitimized the SPLC and acted upon their request that the federal government formally identify individuals and organizations as “hate groups;”;

WHEREAS, The SPLC was further legitimized when the Obama-Biden Administration gave them the ability to provide input to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS); and

WHEREAS, Legitimizing the SPLC puts conservative groups or voices at risk of attack; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the SPLC is a radical organization, and that the federal government should not view this organization as a legitimate foundation equipped to provide actionable information to DHS or any other government agency.