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Ongoing Violence in Libya

New York, NY, March 14, 2011 - United States Federation for Middle East Peace (“USFMEP”) strongly condemns the ongoing violence in Libya and expresses dismay over the mounting death toll in the turbulent nation.

“We are horrified by the violence in Libya and are praying for a peaceful resolution without further bloodshed,” USFMEP President Sally Kader said.

Since protests began in mid-February, civilians have been subjected to disproportionate violence from government forces. Hundreds of protestors have been killed and many areas lack food, clean water and medical supplies.

President Kader insisted that Libyan leader Muammar Qaddafi follow the demands of the United Nations and the international community to cease all violence against his citizens. President Kader added, “the Libyan people have the right to protest peacefully without suffering atrocious violence from their government. They have the right as human beings to freedom of speech, dignity, peace and security.”

USFMEP President and staff pray for a peaceful resolution to the conflict and support the people of Libya in their demands.

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