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## *House of Representatives*

**Dennis J. Kucinich**

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

IN RECOGNITION OF THE PALESTINE CHILDREN'S RELIEF FUND

*Madam Speaker, I rise today in order to recognize the achievements of The Palestine Children's Relief Fund (PCRF) on the occasion of their 2008 gala, entitled "Healing Hands." For the past seventeen years, PCRF has played an instrumental role in providing some of the best medical treatment for children all over the Middle East.*

*The Palestine Children's Relief Fund is a U.S. based non-profit that has now become the leading organization providing free medical treatment for children in the Middle East. PCRF works closely with doctors, hospitals, and organizations throughout North America and Europe in order to facilitate specialized medical care for children who are unable to be treated locally. Children have been treated in hospitals all over the United States, including in Cleveland and other cities across Ohio. Since its founding in 1991, PCRF has treated over eight-hundred children outside of the Middle East and continues to send doctors from the United States to train medical personnel in the region.*

*Madam Speaker and colleagues, please join me in honor of the Palestine Children's Relief Fund and in recognition of their outstanding achievements and important work in providing free medical treatment to children in need.*

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