

## **French Senator Nathalie Goulet, Welcomes the Decision of the Constitutional Council**

### ***Nathalie Goulet, French Senator***

This purely electioneering text was removed from our legislation. The Council assumed the arguments presented by the MPs who were opposed to this bill and who signed the application, eventually obtaining the censorship. This is a defeat for the President of the Republic, who did not want to follow the opinions of the greatest specialists of law, and tried to use the Parliament as a tool.

Finally, this is an honor for MPs who have resisted the pressures, and I want to congratulate Jean-Pierre Sueur, Chairman of the Law Committee, who defended a motion of dismissal on January 23. The question of the memorial laws remains, and will probably be settled by another debate.

Our Turkish friends can see who their true friends are.

Nathalie Goulet, Senator of Orne.”

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