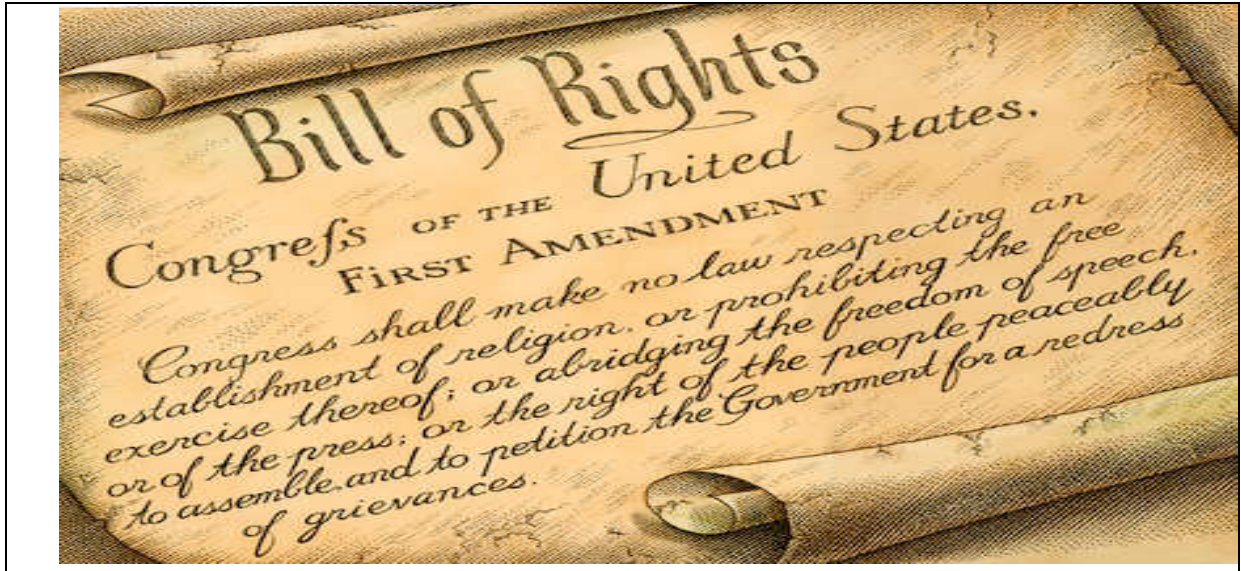


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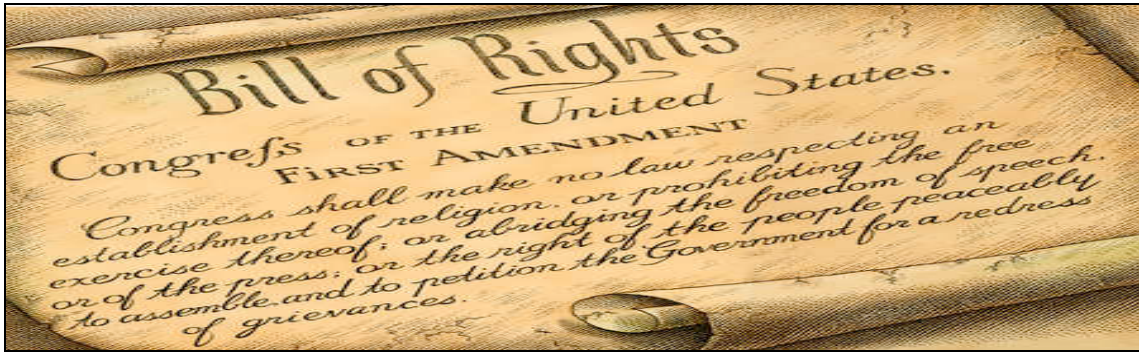


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Write the meaning of Freedom of Religion in your own words, in complete sentences:

Freedom of religion means _____

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Congress	<i>US Government</i>	Graphic here if desired le: drawing of the flag
Shall	<i>will</i>	
Respecting	<i>about, related to</i>	
Establishment	<i>set up, start</i>	
Prohibiting	<i>keep from, prevent</i>	
Free exercise	<i>allowing someone practice their belief in the religion</i>	
Thereof	<i>about the religion or related to</i>	

Write the meaning of Freedom of Religion in your own words, in complete sentences:

Sample: The government cannot make a law about starting a religion or keeping anyone else from practicing their own religious belief.

***Discussion:** Two parts to this amendment: “Establishment” – setting up (government cannot), and also “Practice”, (government cannot stop anyone from practicing). This helps to establish the separation of church and state (religion and government)