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Religion belongs in the public sphere.

Religions can make an important contribution to cultural integration and participation. While in Germany, there is a clear separation between the State and religion, they do refer to one another. Religious communities may, if they choose to, have a visible public presence, and actively participate in social life. At the same time, they are subject to the applicable rule of law and public discourse. This relationship between the State and religion has worked well in Germany. Ecumenical understanding, interreligious dialogue and the peace-building power of religions must be strengthened. We do not tolerate the abuse of religion to promote extremist views. This is the only way to find common ground and deal constructively with existing differences.



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