

# Assemblyman Ari Brown

***Fighting Against  
Antisemitism in  
Our Community***

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# Standing United Against Antisemitism

As the son and grandson of those who endured the Holocaust, I carry their memory and strength into public service. I am also proud to be the first elected official on Long Island to wear a yarmulke in office and the first and only member of the Minority Conference in New York State history.<sup>1</sup>

## CONTINUING TO FIGHT ANTISEMITISM:

- Supported the **Honoring Our Pledge to Eliminate Antisemitism** (HOPE) Act (A2139A)
- Introduced legislation to **prohibit universities from granting tuition assistance to any student who knowingly promotes antisemitism** (A04772)
- Introduced legislation to ensure **no state aid is granted to any college or university that authorizes, funds, or supports events promoting antisemitism** (A04797)

## *Additional Legislation I've Introduced to Combat Antisemitism and Protect Our Communities:*


**A.4766:** Requires a police officer to arrest any person when there is **reasonable cause to believe a hate crime has been committed.**

**A.4773:** Makes it a violation to loiter in a group of six or more persons in a public place **while masked or disguised** by unusual or unnatural attire or facial alteration.

**A.4809:** Subjects individuals found guilty of antisemitism to punitive measures, including the collection of student loans and suspension or revocation of tuition assistance awards.

**A.4813:** Prohibits state funding of any degree-granting institution of higher education that **permits certain organizations or activities supporting terrorist organizations** on campus.

**A.4968:** Provides legal protection for **"reasonable intervention"** in certain situations and appropriates funds for public service announcements and community training on being a good Samaritan.



***"Antisemitism has no place in our communities or anywhere in this state. As a proud representative of a diverse district, I will always stand firmly with our Jewish neighbors and work to ensure that hate in any form is met with accountability and education. We must continue to promote understanding, respect, and unity for all."***

<sup>1</sup>[https://www.queensjewishlink.com/index.php/local/79-community-corner/shabsie-saphirstein/12181-delegates-from-queens-and-long-island-launch-agudah-s-albany-advocacy-mission?utm\\_source=chatgpt.com](https://www.queensjewishlink.com/index.php/local/79-community-corner/shabsie-saphirstein/12181-delegates-from-queens-and-long-island-launch-agudah-s-albany-advocacy-mission?utm_source=chatgpt.com)



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