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RAISING A QUESTION OF THE PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. BIGGS. Madam Speaker, pursuant to clause 2(a)(1) of rule IX, I rise to give notice of my intention to raise a question of the privileges of the House.

The form of the resolution is as follows:

Whereas President Trump released the transcript of a call between him and the President of Ukraine;

Whereas President Trump subsequently released the whistleblower complaint of August 12, 2019;

Whereas, in a September 26, 2019, hearing on the whistleblower complaint, House Intelligence Committee Chairman ADAM SCHIFF purported to relay the content of the phone call to the American people;

Whereas, instead of quoting directly from the available transcript, Chairman SCHIFF manufactured a false retelling of the conversation between President Trump and President Zelensky;

Whereas this egregiously false and fabricated retelling had no relationship to the call itself;

Whereas these actions of Chairman SCHIFF misled the American people, bring disrepute upon the House of Representatives, and make a mockery of the impeachment process, one of this Chamber's most solemn constitutional duties;

Whereas, for more than 2 years, Chairman SCHIFF has spread false accusations that the Trump campaign colluded with Russia;

Whereas, on March 20, 2017, then-Ranking Member SCHIFF read out false allegations from the Steele dossier accusing numerous Trump associates of colluding with Russia;

Whereas then-Ranking Member SCHIFF falsely claimed in a March 2017 interview to have "more than circumstantial evidence" of collusion with Russia;

Whereas then-Ranking Member SCHIFF negotiated with Russian comedians whom he believed to be Ukrainian officials to obtain materials to damage the President of the United States politically;

Whereas, according to a New York Times article on October 2, 2019, Chairman SCHIFF's committee staff met with the whistleblower prior to the filing of his complaint, and staff members communicated the content of the complaint to Chairman SCHIFF;

Whereas Chairman SCHIFF concealed his dealings with the whistleblower from the rest of the Intelligence Com-

mittee, and when asked directly in a television interview whether he had any contact with the whistleblower, he lied to the American people and said, "We have not spoken directly with the whistleblower.";

Whereas members of the Intelligence Committee have lost faith in his objectivity and capabilities as chairman, with every Republican member on the committee having signed a letter calling for his immediate resignation as chairman; and

Whereas Chairman SCHIFF has hindered the ability of the Intelligence Committee to fulfill its oversight responsibilities of the intelligence community, an indispensable pillar of our national security: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That—

(1) the House of Representatives censures and condemns Representative ADAM SCHIFF for conduct that misleads the American people in a way that is not befitting an elected Member of the House of Representatives;

(2) Representative ADAM SCHIFF will forthwith present himself in the well of the House for the pronouncement of censure; and

(3) Representative ADAM SCHIFF will be censured with the public reading of this resolution by the Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair would now recognize the gentleman from Arizona to offer the resolution just noticed.

Does the gentleman offer the resolution?

Mr. BIGGS. Yes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the resolution.

The Clerk read the resolution as follows:

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Whereas President Trump subsequently released the whistleblower complaint of August 12, 2019;

Whereas, in a September 26, 2019, hearing on the whistleblower complaint, House Intelligence Committee Chairman Adam Schiff purported to relay the content of the phone call to the American people;

Whereas, instead of quoting directly from the available transcript, Chairman Schiff manufactured a false retelling of the conversation between President Trump and President Zelensky;

Whereas this egregiously false and fabricated retelling had no relationship to the call itself;

Whereas these actions of Chairman Schiff misled the American people, bring disrepute upon the House of Representatives, and make a mockery of the impeachment process, one of this chamber's most solemn constitutional duties;

Whereas, for more than 2 years, Chairman Schiff has spread false accusations that the Trump campaign colluded with Russia;

Whereas, on March 20, 2017, then-Ranking Member Schiff read out false allegations from the Steele dossier accusing numerous Trump associates of colluding with Russia;

Whereas then-Ranking Member Schiff falsely claimed in a March 2017 interview to have "more than circumstantial evidence" of collusion with Russia;

Whereas then-Ranking Member Schiff negotiated with Russian comedians whom he

believed to be Ukrainian officials to obtain materials to damage the President of the United States politically;

Whereas, according to a New York Times article on October 2, 2019, Chairman Schiff's committee staff met with the whistleblower prior to the filing of his complaint, and staff members communicated the content of the complaint to Chairman Schiff;

Whereas Chairman Schiff concealed his dealings with the whistleblower from the rest of the Intelligence Committee, and when asked directly in a television interview whether he had any contact with the whistleblower, he lied to the American people and said, "We have not spoken directly with the whistleblower.";

Whereas members of the Intelligence Committee have lost faith in his objectivity and capabilities as Chairman, with every Republican member on the Committee having signed a letter calling for his immediate resignation as Chairman; and

Whereas Chairman Schiff has hindered the ability of the Intelligence Committee to fulfill its oversight responsibilities of the Intelligence Community, an indispensable pillar of our national security: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That—

(1) the House of Representatives censures and condemns Representative Adam Schiff for conduct that misleads the American people in a way that is not befitting an elected Member of the House of Representatives;

(2) Representative Adam Schiff will forthwith present himself in the well of the House for the pronouncement of censure; and

(3) Representative Adam Schiff will be censured with the public reading of this resolution by the Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The resolution qualifies.

MOTION TO TABLE

Mr. HOYER. Madam Speaker, I have a motion at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Hoyer moves that the resolution be laid on the table.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to table offered by the gentleman from Maryland.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. BIGGS. Madam Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on the motion to table will be followed by 5-minute votes on motions to suspend the rules and pass:

H.R. 4406; and

H.R. 4407.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 218, nays 185, not voting 28, as follows:

[Roll No. 568]

YEAS—218

Adams	Blunt Rochester	Carson (IN)
Aguilar	Bonamici	Cartwright
Amash	Boyle, Brendan	Case
Axne	F.	Casten (IL)
Barragán	Brindisi	Castor (FL)
Bass	Brown (MD)	Castro (TX)
Beatty	Brownley (CA)	Chu, Judy
Bera	Bustos	Cicilline
Beyer	Butterfield	Cisneros
Bishop (GA)	Carbajal	Clark (MA)
Blumenauer	Cárdenas	Clarke (NY)

Clay Johnson (TX)
 Cleaver Kaptur
 Clyburn Keating
 Cohen Kelly (IL)
 Connolly Khanna
 Cooper Kildee
 Correa Kilmer
 Costa Kim
 Courtney Roybal-Allard
 Cox (CA) Kind
 Craig Kirkpatrick
 Crist Krishnamoorthi
 Crow Kuster (NH)
 Cuellar Lamb
 Cunningham Langevin
 Davids (KS) Larsen (WA)
 Davis (CA) Larson (CT)
 Dean Lawrence
 DeFazio Lawson (FL)
 DeGette Lee (CA)
 DeLauro Lee (NV)
 DelBene Levin (CA)
 Delgado Levin (MI)
 Demings Lewis
 DeSaulnier Lieu, Ted
 Deutch Lofgren
 Doggett Lowenthal
 Doyle, Michael F. Lujan
 Luria
 Engel Lynch
 Escobar Malinowski
 Eshoo Maloney,
 Espaillat Carolyn B.
 Evans Maloney, Sean
 Finkenauer Matsui
 Fletcher McAdams
 Foster McBath
 Frankel McCollum
 Fudge McGovern
 Gallego McNeerney
 Garamendi Meeks
 Garcia (IL) Moore
 Garcia (TX) Morelle
 Golden Moulton
 Gomez Mucarsel-Powell
 Gonzalez (TX) Murphy (FL)
 Gottheimer Nadler
 Green, Al (TX) Napolitano
 Harder (CA) Neal
 Hastings Neguse
 Hayes Norcross
 Heck O'Halleran
 Higgins (NY) Ocasio-Cortez
 Hill (CA) Omar
 Himes Pallone
 Horn, Kendra S. Panetta
 Horsford Pappas
 Houlihan Pascrell
 Hoyer Payne
 Huffman Perlmutter
 Jackson Lee Peterson
 Jayapal Phillips
 Jeffries Pocan
 Johnson (GA) Porter

NAYS—185

Abraham Cloud
 Aderholt Cole
 Allen Comer
 Amodei Conaway
 Armstrong Cook
 Arrington Crawford
 Babin Crenshaw
 Bacon Davidson (OH)
 Baird Davis, Rodney
 Balderson DesJarlais
 Banks Diaz-Balart
 Barr Duncan
 Bergman Dunn
 Biggs Emmer
 Bilirakis Estes
 Bishop (UT) Ferguson
 Bost Fitzpatrick
 Brady Fleischmann
 Brooks (AL) Flores
 Brooks (IN) Fortenberry
 Buchanan Foxx (NC)
 Buck Fulcher
 Bucshon Gallagher
 Budd Gianforte
 Burchett Gibbs
 Burgess Gohmert
 Byrne Gonzalez (OH)
 Calvert Gosar
 Carter (GA) Granger
 Carter (TX) Graves (GA)
 Chabot Graves (LA)
 Cheney Graves (MO)
 Cline Green (TN)

Lamborn Pence
 Latta Perry
 Lesko Posey
 Long Ratcliffe
 Loudermilk Reed
 Lucas Reschenthaler
 Luetkemeyer Rice (SC)
 Marchant Rigglesman
 Marshall Roby
 McCarthy Rodgers (WA)
 McCaul Roe, David P.
 McClintock Rogers (AL)
 McHenry Rogers (KY)
 McKinley Rose, John W.
 Meadows Rouzer
 Miller Roy
 Mitchell Rutherford
 Schrader Schweikert
 Schrier Scott, Austin
 Simpson Sensenbrenner
 Smith (MO) Shimkus
 Smith (NE) Simpson
 Smith (NJ) Smith (MO)
 Nunes Smucker
 Olson Spano
 Palazzo Stauber
 Palmer Stefanik

NOT VOTING—28
 Alred Haaland
 Bishop (NC) Keller
 Collins (GA) Kennedy
 Curtis Lipinski
 Davis, Danny K. Loeb sack
 Dingell McEachin
 Gabbard Meng
 Gaetz Meuser
 Gooden Peters
 Grijalva Pingree

□ 1857

Messrs. ROUZER and LOUDERMILK changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mr. CROW, Ms. TLAIB, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mses. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ and CLARKE of New York changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the motion to table was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTERS IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2019

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4406) to amend the Small Business Act to improve the small business development centers program, and for other purposes, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from New York (Ms. VELÁZQUEZ) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 375, nays 25, not voting 31, as follows:

[Roll No. 569]

YEAS—375

Abraham Amodei
 Adams Armstrong
 Aderholt Arrington
 Aguilar Axne
 Allen Bacon

Bass Beatty
 Bera Bera
 Bergman Bergman
 Beyer Beyer
 Bilirakis Bilirakis
 Bishop (GA) Bishop (GA)
 Bishop (UT) Bishop (UT)
 Blumenauer Blumenauer
 Blunt Rochester Blunt Rochester
 Bonamici Bonamici
 Bost Bost
 Boyle, Brendan Boyle, Brendan
 F. F.
 Brady Brady
 Brindisi Brindisi
 Brooks (AL) Brooks (AL)
 Brooks (IN) Brooks (IN)
 Brown (MD) Brown (MD)
 Brownley (CA) Brownley (CA)
 Buchanan Buchanan
 Bucshon Bucshon
 Budd Budd
 Burchett Burchett
 Bustos Bustos
 Butterfield Butterfield
 Byrne Byrne
 Calvert Calvert
 Carbajal Carbajal
 Cárdenas Cárdenas
 Carson (IN) Carson (IN)
 Carter (GA) Carter (GA)
 Carter (TX) Carter (TX)
 Cartwright Cartwright
 Case Case
 Casten (IL) Casten (IL)
 Castor (FL) Castor (FL)
 Castro (TX) Castro (TX)
 Chabot Chabot
 Cheney Cheney
 Chu, Judy Chu, Judy
 Cicilline Cicilline
 Cisneros Cisneros
 Clark (MA) Clark (MA)
 Clarke (NY) Clarke (NY)
 Clay Clay
 Cleaver Cleaver
 Cloud Cloud
 Clyburn Clyburn
 Cohen Cohen
 Cole Cole
 Comer Comer
 Conaway Conaway
 Connolly Connolly
 Cook Cook
 Cooper Cooper
 Correa Correa
 Costa Costa
 Courtney Courtney
 Cox (CA) Cox (CA)
 Craig Craig
 Crawford Crawford
 Crenshaw Crenshaw
 Crist Crist
 Crow Crow
 Cuellar Cuellar
 Cunningham Cunningham
 Davids (KS) Davids (KS)
 Davis (CA) Davis (CA)
 Davis, Rodney Davis, Rodney
 Dean Dean
 DeFazio DeFazio
 DeGette DeGette
 DeLauro DeLauro
 DelBene DelBene
 Delgado Delgado
 Demings Demings
 DeSaulnier DeSaulnier
 DesJarlais DesJarlais
 Deutch Deutch
 Diaz-Balart Diaz-Balart
 Doggett Doggett
 Doyle, Michael F. Doyle, Michael F.
 Duncan Duncan
 Dunn Dunn
 Emmer Emmer
 Engel Engel
 Escobar Escobar
 Eshoo Eshoo
 Espaillat Espaillat
 Estes Estes
 Evans Evans
 Finkenauer Finkenauer
 Fitzpatrick Fitzpatrick
 Fleischmann Fleischmann
 Fletcher Fletcher
 Flores Flores
 Fortenberry Fortenberry

Richmond Rooney (FL)
 Scalise Scalise
 Sires Sires
 Stewart Stewart
 Takano Takano
 Timmons Timmons
 Upton Upton

Foster Lujan
 Foxx (NC) Luria
 Frankel Lynch
 Fudge Malinowski
 Fulcher Maloney,
 Gallagher Carolyn B.
 Gallego Maloney, Sean
 Garamendi Marchant
 Garcia (IL) Marshall
 Garcia (TX) Mast
 Gianforte Matsui
 Gibbs McAdams
 Golden McBath
 Gomez McCaul
 Gonzalez (OH) McCaul
 Gonzalez (TX) McCollum
 Gottheimer McGovern
 Granger McHenry
 Graves (GA) McKinley
 Graves (LA) McNeerney
 Graves (MO) Meeks
 Green, Al (TX) Miller
 Griffith Mitchell
 Guest Moolenaar
 Guthrie Mooney (WV)
 Hagedorn Moore
 Harder (CA) Morelle
 Hartzler Moulton
 Hastings Mucarsel-Powell
 Hayes Mullin
 Heck Murphy (FL)
 Hern, Kevin Murphy (NC)
 Herrera Beutler Nadler
 Higgins (LA) Napolitano
 Higgins (NY) Neal
 Hill (AR) Neguse
 Hill (CA) Newhouse
 Himes Norcross
 Holding Norman
 Hollingsworth Nunes
 Horn, Kendra S. O'Halleran
 Horsford Ocasio-Cortez
 Houlihan Olson
 Hoyer Omar
 Hudson Palazzo
 Huffman Pallone
 Huizenga Palmer
 Hunter Panetta
 Hurd (TX) Pappas
 Jackson Lee Pascrell
 Jayapal Payne
 Jeffries Pence
 Johnson (GA) Perlmutter
 Johnson (OH) Peterson
 Johnson (SD) Phillips
 Johnson (TX) Pocan
 Jordan Porter
 Joyce (OH) Posey
 Joyce (PA) Pressley
 Kaptur Price (NC)
 Katko Quigley
 Keating Raskin
 Kelly (IL) Ratcliffe
 Kelly (MS) Reed
 Kelly (PA) Reschenthaler
 Khanna Rice (NY)
 Kildee Rice (SC)
 Kilmer Richmond
 Kim Rigglesman
 Kind Roby
 King (NY) Rodgers (WA)
 Kinzinger Roe, David P.
 Kirkpatrick Rogers (AL)
 Krishnamoorthi Rogers (KY)
 Kuster (NH) Rose (NY)
 Kustoff (TN) Rose, John W.
 LaHood Rouda
 LaMalfa Rouzer
 Lamb Roybal-Allard
 Lamborn Ruiz
 Langevin Ruppertsberger
 Larsen (WA) Rush
 Larson (CT) Rutherford
 Latta Ryan
 Lawrence Sánchez
 Lawson (FL) Sarbanes
 Lee (CA) Scanlon
 Lee (NV) Schakowsky
 Levin (CA) Schiff
 Levin (MI) Schneider
 Lewis Schrader
 Lieu, Ted Schrier
 Lofgren Schweikert
 Long Scott (VA)
 Loudermilk Scott, Austin
 Lowenthal Scott, David
 Lowey Sensenbrenner
 Lucas Serrano
 Luetkemeyer Sewell (AL)