

AMENDMENT TO H. RES. 759

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In the 4th preamble clause, strike “Richard M. Burr, the” and insert “then”.

In the 4th preamble clause, insert “Richard M. Burr,” after “Committee,”.

In the penultimate preamble clause, strike “; and” at the end and insert a semicolon.

After the penultimate preamble clause, insert the following new preamble clauses:

Whereas, in December 2019, it was reported that sources with direct knowledge of the Senate Intelligence Committee investigation of foreign interference in the 2016 United States election stated that there was no evidence to support claims that Ukraine interfered in the 2016 election and that there had been no products from the intelligence community accusing Ukraine of such interference;

Whereas, on December 3, 2019, State Department Undersecretary for Political Affairs David Hale testified before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that he was not aware of any evidence that Ukraine interfered in the 2016 United States election;

In the final preamble clause, strike the colon and all that follows through the end of the clause and insert a semicolon.

After the final preamble clause, insert the following new preamble clauses:

Whereas, on February 13, 2020, Intelligence officials briefed House lawmakers on continued Russian attempts to interfere in the 2020 Democratic primaries and the 2020 general election through strategic online social media posts designed to sidestep internet companies' rules that prohibit 'inauthentic speech'; and

Whereas, on April 21, 2020, the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence issued a report affirming the findings of the Intelligence Community Assessment issued as a "Memorandum for the President" on December 30, 2016 related to Russian interference in the 2016 election and that "analysts were under no politically motivated pressure to reach specific conclusions.": Now, therefore, be it

Page 5, after line 6, insert the following:

- 1 (2) recognizes that Russian-backed entities have
- 2 continued to spread disinformation during the 2018
- 3 mid-term election and the 2020 Presidential election;

