

**AMENDMENT TO THE REPORT ISSUED BY THE CHAIR,
PURSUANT TO SECTION 2, PARAGRAPH 6 OF H. RES.
660, AS PART OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES’
IMPEACHMENT INQUIRY
OFFERED BY TURNER OF OHIO**

At the end of Volume II, section 6 insert the following as a new section:

1 **Section X: One-sided Partisan Process**

2 In March 2019, Speaker Pelosi said “Impeachment is so
3 divisive to the country that unless there’s something so
4 compelling and overwhelming and bipartisan, I don’t
5 think we should go down that path, because it divides the
6 country.”¹ Six months later, when she announced the
7 start of a partisan impeachment process. Deviating from
8 prior impeachment processes, the Democrat majority
9 initiated an impeachment inquiry without any formal
10 vote. More than a month later, the Democrats offered a
11 resolution to establish a process for the “ongoing”
12 impeachment investigation. The resolution deviated
13 substantially from prior impeachment resolutions by
14 providing fewer minority rights and less procedural
15 safeguards for the President. During the Rules

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<https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/magazine/wp/2019/03/11/feature/nancy-pelosi-on-impeaching-president-trump-hes-just-not-worth-it/>

16 Committee business meeting, each of 16 amendments
17 offered by the Republican members were defeated on a
18 party-line vote. The Democrat sponsored resolution was
19 approved by the Democrat majority on the Committee on
20 a party-line vote. However, when the resolution was
21 considered on the floor the next day, the pattern broke
22 and a bipartisan agreement was reached, as both
23 Republican and Democrat Members voted in opposition
24 to the resolution.

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26 Additionally, Chairman Schiff refused to call additional
27 witnesses that were requested by the HPSCI minority.

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