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H. RES. 717

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the so-called “FISA memo”, a document prepared by the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, and any ancillary information, should be released to the public.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 29, 2018

Mr. GAETZ (for himself, Mr. ARRINGTON, Mr. BARR, Mr. FARENTHOLD, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. MEADOWS, Mr. MESSER, Mr. MOONEY of West Virginia, Mr. NORMAN, Mr. FRANCIS ROONEY of Florida, Mr. WEBER of Texas, Mr. BABIN, Mr. KELLY of Pennsylvania, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. ROE of Tennessee, Mr. PITTENGER, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. DUNCAN of South Carolina, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Mr. PALAZZO, Mr. RENACCI, Mr. BRAT, Mr. JODY B. HICE of Georgia, Mr. PERRY, Mr. BIGGS, Mr. VALADAO, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. LOUDERMILK, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. BLUM, Mr. ROTHFUS, Mr. ADERHOLT, and Mr. ROGERS of Alabama) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence

RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the so-called “FISA memo”, a document prepared by the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, and any ancillary information, should be released to the public.

Whereas the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (HPSCI) drafted a memo summarizing improper conduct at the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the

Department of Justice, widely referred to as the “FISA memo”;

Whereas, on January 18, 2018, HPSCI voted to make the memo available to all Members of the House of Representatives;

Whereas many Members of Congress have found the information provided in this memo to be shocking and un-American;

Whereas, on January 19, 2018, 65 Members of Congress signed a letter to HPSCI Chairman Devin Nunes requesting that the HPSCI memo be released to the public; and

Whereas the information provided in the memo pertains to preserving the integrity of the United States democratic system of government: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

3 This resolution may be cited as the “Release the
4 Memo Resolution”.

5 **SEC. 2. SENSE OF THE HOUSE REGARDING RELEASE OF**
6 **THE FISA MEMO.**

7 It is the sense of the House of Representatives that—

8 (1) in accordance with all proper protocol and
9 procedures, the House Permanent Select Committee
10 on Intelligence (HPSCI) should immediately hold a
11 recorded vote on making the so-called “FISA memo”
12 and any ancillary information available to the public;
13 and

1 (2) if HPSCI votes to make the memo and in-
2 formation available to the public, HPSCI should re-
3 lease such memo and information to the public as
4 quickly as possible after holding the vote.

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