

RESOLUTION

Authorizing and directing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate whether sufficient grounds exist for the impeachment of Donald John Trump, President of the United States.

1 *Resolved*, That the Committee on the Judiciary, acting as a whole
2 or by any subcommittee thereof appointed by the chairman for the
3 purposes hereof and in accordance with the rules of the committee, is
4 authorized and directed to investigate fully and completely whether
5 sufficient grounds, including but not limited to, violations of the Foreign
6 Emoluments Clause and Domestic Emoluments Clause of the United
7 States Constitution and the STOCK Act, exist for the House of
8 Representatives to exercise its constitutional power to impeach Donald
9 John Trump, President of the United States of America. The committee
10 shall report to the House of Representatives such resolutions, articles
11 of impeachment, or other recommendations as it deems proper.

12 SEC. 2. (a) For the purpose of making such investigation, the
13 committee is authorized to require—

14 (1) by subpoena or otherwise—

15 (A) the attendance and testimony of any person
16 (including at a taking of a deposition by counsel for the
17 committee); and

1 (B) the production of such things; and

2 (2) by interrogatory, the furnishing of such information;

3 as it deems necessary to such investigation.

4 (b) Such authority of the committee may be exercised—

5 (1) by the chairman and the ranking minority member acting

6 jointly, or, if either declines to act, by the other acting alone,

7 except that in the event either so declines, either shall have the

8 right to refer to the committee for decision the question whether

9 such authority shall be so exercised and the committee shall be

10 convened promptly to render that decision; or

11 (2) by the committee acting as a whole or by subcommittee.

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13 Subpoenas and interrogatories so authorized may be issued over the

14 signature of the chairman, or ranking minority member, or any member

15 designated by either of them, and may be served by any person

16 designated by the chairman, or ranking minority member, or any

17 member designated by either of them. The chairman, or ranking

18 minority member, or any member designated by either of them (or,

19 with respect to any deposition, answer to interrogatory, or affidavit,

20 any person authorized by law to administer oaths) may administer

21 oaths to any witness. For the purposes of this section, “things” includes,

1 without limitation, books, records, correspondence, logs, journals,
2 memorandums, papers, documents, writings, drawings, graphs, charts,
3 photographs, reproductions, recordings, tapes, transcripts, printouts,
4 data compilations from which information can be obtained (translated
5 if necessary, through detection devices into reasonably usable form),
6 tangible objects, and other things of any kind. ☒

7 SEC. 3. There shall be paid out of the applicable accounts of the
8 House such sums as may be necessary to assist the Committee on the
9 Judiciary in conducting the inquiry under this resolution, any of which
10 may be used for the procurement of staff or consultant services.