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Urging the P5+1 to only accept a final nuclear agreement with Iran that definitively prevents Iran from acquiring a nuclear weapons capability, ceases Iran's construction of advanced missiles and warheads, suspends Iran's support for terrorist organizations, and reduces human rights violations within Iran.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 12, 2013

Mr. ROSKAM (for himself, Mr. McCAUL, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. LIPINSKI) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs

RESOLUTION

Urging the P5+1 to only accept a final nuclear agreement with Iran that definitively prevents Iran from acquiring a nuclear weapons capability, ceases Iran's construction of advanced missiles and warheads, suspends Iran's support for terrorist organizations, and reduces human rights violations within Iran.

Whereas a nuclear-capable Iran threatens United States national security and global stability;

Whereas since at least the late 1980s, Iran has engaged in a sustained and well-documented pattern of illicit and deceptive activities to acquire a nuclear weapons capability;

Whereas United States policy is to prevent Iran from acquiring a nuclear weapons capability;

Whereas in November 2013, the P5+1 and Iran announced an interim nuclear agreement and the intent to reach a final comprehensive agreement over Iran's nuclear program;

Whereas the United Nations Security Council has adopted multiple resolutions since 2006 demanding of Iran its full and sustained suspension of all uranium enrichment-related and reprocessing activities and its full cooperation with the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) on all outstanding issues related to its nuclear activities, particularly those concerning the possible military dimensions of its nuclear programs;

Whereas Secretary of State John Kerry has publicly stated that the United States does not recognize Iran's self-proclaimed right to enrich uranium;

Whereas the United Nations Security Council has adopted multiple resolutions demanding of Iran its full and sustained suspension of heavy-water production efforts, including the heavy-water reactor at Arak;

Whereas Iran routinely denies international inspectors access to suspected nuclear and weapons-testing facilities in violation of international agreements, including the Parchin military complex;

Whereas Iran is developing an arsenal of advanced long-range ballistic missiles, including some already capable of reaching India, North Africa, western China, and parts of eastern Europe, and is expected to be able to flight-test an intercontinental ballistic missile (ICBM) capable of reaching the United States by 2015;

Whereas, on June 9, 2010, the United Nations Security Council adopted Resolution 1929, which states that “Iran shall not undertake any activity related to ballistic missiles capable of delivering nuclear weapons.”;

Whereas the United States Department of State has designated Iran as a state sponsor of terrorism since 1984 and has characterized Iran as the “most active state sponsor of terrorism” in the world;

Whereas Iran is a world leader in human rights violations, including the persecution of religious minorities and imprisonment of United States citizens; and

Whereas economic sanctions have brought Iran’s economy to the brink of collapse, forcing the Government of Iran to enter serious negotiations over Iran’s nuclear program: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2 (1) reaffirms its commitment to prevent Iran
3 from acquiring a nuclear weapons capability, which
4 threatens United States national security and global
5 stability;

6 (2) declares that Iran should completely dis-
7 mantle all enrichment facilities and cease all cen-
8 trifuge production;

9 (3) declares that Iran should completely dis-
10 mantle its heavy-water plutonium reactor at Arak
11 and cease all heavy-water production efforts;

12 (4) declares that Iran should allow constant, in-
13 trusive inspections and monitoring of all nuclear and

1 weapons-testing facilities and fully implement the
2 Additional Protocol to the nuclear Non-Proliferation
3 Treaty (NPT);

4 (5) declares that Iran should cease the develop-
5 ment, production, and testing of long-range ballistic
6 missiles;

7 (6) declares that Iran should cease and dis-
8 mantle the development of a nuclear warhead and
9 cease other weaponization efforts;

10 (7) declares that Iran should suspend its sup-
11 port for terrorist organizations including Hamas and
12 Hezbollah, as well as the Assad regime in Syria;

13 (8) declares that Iran should take dramatic
14 steps to significantly reduce human rights violations,
15 including the persecution of religious minorities and
16 unjust imprisonment of innocent United States citi-
17 zens; and

18 (9) reaffirms the need for additional economic
19 sanctions against Iran should it fail to meet the ne-
20 gotiated terms of the interim agreement within six
21 months of implementing the deal.

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