

United States to faithfully execute the laws of the United States.

Wherefore, Alejandro Nicholas Mayorkas, thus warrants impeachment and trial, removal from office, and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust, or profit under the United States.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ELLZEY). The resolution qualifies.

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MOTION TO REFER

Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, I have a motion at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Ms. Clark of Massachusetts moves to refer the resolution to the Committee on Homeland Security.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Massachusetts is recognized for 1 hour.

Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time and move the previous question on the motion.

The previous question was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to refer.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 209, nays 201, not voting 23, as follows:

[Roll No. 645]

YEAS—209

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| Adams | Craig | Houlahan |
| Aguilar | Crockett | Hoyer |
| Allred | Crow | Hoyle (OR) |
| Amo | Cuellar | Huffman |
| Auchincloss | Davids (KS) | Issa |
| Balint | Davis (IL) | Ivey |
| Barragán | Davis (NC) | Jackson (IL) |
| Beatty | Dean (PA) | Jackson (NC) |
| Bentz | DeGette | Jacobs |
| Bera | DeLauro | Jayapal |
| Beyer | DelBene | Jeffries |
| Bishop (GA) | Deluzio | Johnson (GA) |
| Blumenauer | DeSaulnier | Kamlager-Dove |
| Blunt Rochester | Dingell | Kaptur |
| Bonamici | Doggett | Keating |
| Bowman | Duarte | Kelly (IL) |
| Boyle (PA) | Escobar | Khanna |
| Brown | Eshoo | Kildee |
| Brownley | Espallat | Kilmer |
| Buck | Evans | Kim (NJ) |
| Budzinski | Fletcher | Krishnamoorthi |
| Bush | Foster | Kuster |
| Caraveo | Foushee | Landsman |
| Carbajal | Fox | Larsen (WA) |
| Cárdenas | Frankel, Lois | Larson (CT) |
| Carson | Frost | Lee (CA) |
| Carter (LA) | Galleo | Lee (NV) |
| Cartwright | Garcia (IL) | Lee (PA) |
| Casar | Garcia (TX) | Leger Fernandez |
| Case | Garcia, Robert | Levin |
| Casten | Golden (ME) | Lieu |
| Castor (FL) | Goldman (NY) | Lynch |
| Castro (TX) | Gomez | Magaziner |
| Cherfilus- | Gonzalez, | Manning |
| McCormick | Vicente | Matsui |
| Clark (MA) | Gottheimer | McBath |
| Clarke (NY) | Green, Al (TX) | McClellan |
| Clyburn | Grijalva | McClintock |
| Cohen | Harder (CA) | McCollum |
| Connolly | Hayes | McGarvey |
| Correa | Higgins (NY) | McGovern |
| Costa | Himes | McHenry |
| Courtney | Horsford | Meeks |

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| Menendez | Pressley | Stevens |
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| Mfume | Ramirez | Sykes |
| Moore (WI) | Raskin | Takano |
| Morelle | Ross | Thanedar |
| Moskowitz | Ruiz | Thompson (MS) |
| Moulton | Ruppersberger | Titus |
| Mrvan | Ryan | Tlaib |
| Nadler | Salinas | Tokuda |
| Napolitano | Sánchez | Tonko |
| Neal | Sarbanes | Torres (CA) |
| Neguse | Scanlon | Trahan |
| Nickel | Schakowsky | Trone |
| Norcross | Schiff | Turner |
| Ocasio-Cortez | Schneider | Underwood |
| Omar | Scholten | Vargas |
| Pallone | Schrier | Vasquez |
| Panetta | Scott (VA) | Veasey |
| Pappas | Scott, David | Velázquez |
| Pascrell | Sewell | Wasserman |
| Payne | Sherrill | Schultz |
| Peltola | Slotkin | Waters |
| Perez | Smith (WA) | Watson Coleman |
| Peters | Sorensen | Wexton |
| Pettersen | Soto | Wild |
| Pingree | Spanberger | Williams (GA) |
| Pocan | Stansbury | Wilson (FL) |
| Porter | Stanton | |

NAYS—201

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| Aderholt | Jimenez | Miller-Meeks |
| Alford | Gonzales, Tony | Mills |
| Allen | Good (VA) | Molinaro |
| Amodei | Gooden (TX) | Moolenaar |
| Armstrong | Gosar | Moore (AL) |
| Arrington | Granger | Moore (UT) |
| Babin | Graves (LA) | Moran |
| Bacon | Graves (MO) | Murphy |
| Baird | Green (TN) | Nehls |
| Balderson | Greene (GA) | Newhouse |
| Barr | Griffith | Norman |
| Bean (FL) | Grothman | Nunn (IA) |
| Bergman | Guest | Obermole |
| Bice | Guthrie | Ogles |
| Biggs | Hageman | Owens |
| Bilirakis | Harris | Palmer |
| Bishop (NC) | Harshbarger | Perry |
| Boebert | Hern | Pfluger |
| Bost | Higgins (LA) | Posey |
| Brecheen | Hill | Reschenthaler |
| Burchett | Hinson | Rodgers (WA) |
| Burgess | Houchin | Rogers (AL) |
| Burlison | Hudson | Rogers (KY) |
| Calvert | Huizenga | Rose |
| Cammack | Hunt | Rosendale |
| Carey | Jackson (TX) | Rouzer |
| Carl | James | Roy |
| Carter (GA) | Johnson (OH) | Rutherford |
| Carter (TX) | Johnson (SD) | Santos |
| Chavez-DeRemer | Jordan | Scalise |
| Ciscomani | Joyce (OH) | Schweikert |
| Cline | Joyce (PA) | Scott, Austin |
| Cloud | Kean (NJ) | Self |
| Clyde | Kelly (MS) | Sessions |
| Cole | Kelly (PA) | Simpson |
| Collins | Kiggans (VA) | Smith (MO) |
| Comer | Kiley | Smith (NE) |
| Crane | Kim (CA) | Smith (NJ) |
| Crawford | Kustoff | Smucker |
| Curtis | LaHood | Spartz |
| D'Esposito | LaLota | Stauber |
| Davidson | LaMalfa | Steel |
| De La Cruz | Lamborn | Stefanik |
| DesJarlais | Langworthy | Steil |
| Diaz-Balart | Latta | Steube |
| Donalds | LaTurner | Strong |
| Duncan | Lawler | Tenney |
| Dunn (FL) | Lee (FL) | Thompson (PA) |
| Edwards | Lesko | Tiffany |
| Ellzey | Letlow | Timmons |
| Emmer | Loudermilk | Valadao |
| Estes | Lucas | Van Drew |
| Feenstra | Luetkemeyer | Van Dwyne |
| Ferguson | Luna | Van Orden |
| Finstad | Luttrell | Wagner |
| Fischbach | Malliotakis | Walberg |
| Fitzgerald | Mann | Waltz |
| Fitzpatrick | Massie | Weber (TX) |
| Fleischmann | Mast | Webster (FL) |
| Flood | McCarthy | Wenstrup |
| Franklin, Scott | McCaul | Westerman |
| Fry | McClain | Williams (NY) |
| Fulcher | McCormick | Wilson (SC) |
| Gaetz | Meuser | Wittman |
| Gallagher | Miller (IL) | Womack |
| Garbarino | Miller (OH) | Yakym |
| Garcia, Mike | Miller (WV) | Zinke |

NOT VOTING—23

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| Banks | Garamendi | Phillips |
| Buchanan | Jackson Lee | Salazar |
| Bucshon | Loifgren | Sherman |
| Chu | Mace | Swalwell |
| Cleaver | Mooney | Thompson (CA) |
| Crenshaw | Mullin | Torres (NY) |
| Ezell | Pelosi | Williams (TX) |
| Fallon | Pence | |

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

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So the motion to refer was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. TORRES of New York. Mr. Speaker, I was not present in the House Chamber today. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 643, "yea" on rollcall No. 644, and "yea" on rollcall No. 645.

HOURLY OF MEETING ON TOMORROW

Mr. POSEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Florida?

There was no objection.

HAMAS MUST BE DEFEATED

(Mr. LAWLER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. LAWLER. Mr. Speaker, as a point of personal privilege, I would like to recognize my grandparents, John and Eileen Lawler, who are here with us tonight.

Mr. Speaker, I just returned from a bipartisan delegation trip to Israel, where we met with Prime Minister Netanyahu, Defense Minister Gallant, and U.S. Ambassador Jack Lew. We also met with the family members of some of the 240 hostages currently being held by Hamas and viewed raw footage of the barbaric terrorist attack of October 7.

Mr. Speaker, let's be clear: Hamas is a terrorist organization that not only wants to wipe Israel off the face of the Earth, they want to eliminate the Jewish people. They must not only be defeated, they must be destroyed.

I support Israel's right to defend itself and denounce the ludicrous calls for a cease-fire. No one in this room would have called for a cease-fire after September 11, and no one should hold Israel to a standard we would not hold ourselves.

The United States must stand resolute in our support for Israel. This is a battle of good versus evil.

As Edmund Burke said: The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing. Let us not be Neville Chamberlains; let us be

Winston Churchills: "Victory at all costs . . . for without victory, there is no survival."

NATIONAL DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH

(Mr. PAYNE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to discuss the dangers of diabetes for Black Americans.

November is National Diabetes Awareness Month. Today, more than 37 million Americans suffer from diabetes, and that number includes almost 5 million Black Americans. Right now, one of every five Black Americans over 20 years of age has diagnosed or undiagnosed diabetes. Black Americans are far more likely to develop diabetes than White Americans.

Diabetes is the most expensive chronic health condition in our country. The \$35 cap on insulin for Medicare beneficiaries in the Inflation Reduction Act helps our seniors afford this lifesaving medication. However, we need to pass the bill to make the \$35 cap on insulin available to all Americans. If we can cap insulin payments, we can help millions of Black Americans afford this critical medication. No diabetic in this country should have to choose between food or insulin every month.

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PRAISING SENATOR TIM SCOTT

(Mr. WILSON of South Carolina asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Last night, on "Sunday Night in America with Trey Gowdy" on FOX News, Senator TIM SCOTT suspended his Republican Presidential campaign.

In his decision, the Senator said, "I love America more today than I did on May 22. . . . I am suspending my campaign. I think the voters, who are the most remarkable people on the planet, have been really clear that they are telling me: Not now, Tim."

He has served since 2011 as a Congressman and then followed as a Senator since 2013. Growing up in North Charleston with his inspiring mother, Frances, TIM SCOTT has two brothers: Ben, an Army Command sergeant major, and Earl, an Air Force colonel.

On Friday, to celebrate Diwali, I met with Consul General Ramesh Babu of India, where I recognized the three countries most attacked by terrorists are India, America, and Israel, with Israel tomorrow being appreciated with AIPAC a part of the rally fighting dictators, as is Ukraine fighting war criminal Putin.

In conclusion, God bless our troops, who successfully protected America for 20 years as the global war on terrorism continues moving from Afghanistan's

safe haven to America with Biden's open borders.

STOP ENDLESS CYCLE OF CENSURES AND IMPEACHMENTS

(Mr. THANEDAR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THANEDAR. Mr. Speaker, in Congress, our mission is clear: to serve the people. However, a pattern has emerged that is troubling.

We are seeing an endless cycle of censure resolutions and impeachment measures from some factions within the Republican Party.

This isn't just about disagreement. It is about distraction.

These actions are eating up valuable time and resources, resources that should be spent on solving real issues facing our constituents.

I call on my colleagues across the aisle: Let's rethink this path. Our duty to govern, to really serve our people, must come before personal promotion or political posturing. We are here to work for the well-being of our Nation and its citizens.

I urge my friends on the other side to put an end to this relentless brinkmanship. It is not about backing down. It is about stepping up to our responsibilities.

RECOGNIZING MCKEAN COUNTY 4-H CLUB

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize members of the McKean County 4-H Club who participated and excelled at the Pennsylvania 4-H State Horse Show in Harrisburg, from October 26 to 29.

Congratulations to Reese Kinney for winning grand champion in pole bending ponies and also finishing third place in cutback ponies in the 14- to 18-year-old age group.

Congratulations to Adrianna Keesler and Jesse Gould, who collected reserve champion trophies.

Congratulations to Charlie Aiello, who finished 10th in western horsemanship, and Claire Storer, who finished ninth in western grooming and showmanship and eighth in beginner western pleasure for the 12- to 14-year-old age group.

Congratulations to Georgia Barth, who finished sixth in low equitation over fences, and Madelyn McKean, who finished seventh in cutback horses and ninth in barrel horses for the 8- to 13-year-old age group.

Congratulations to Melissa Burton, who finished eighth in hunt seat equitation for the 15- to 18-year-old age group and eighth in the breed type hunter under saddle for the 14- to 18-year-old age group.

Congratulations to Addyson Storts, who finished third in the EWD independent WT showmanship, fourth in EWD minimum assistance equitation, and seventh in EWD minimum assistance obstacle trail.

Also representing McKean County at the event were Mason Reed, Sarah Long, and Braelyn Taylor.

I am so proud of all their hard work.

CONSIDERING THE PROPOSED MENTHOL BAN

(Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I rise to address a significant issue that would affect the hard-working families and farmers of North Carolina—the FDA's proposed rule to ban menthol cigarettes and flavored cigars.

Having grown up cropping tobacco to help my family make ends meet, I know firsthand how this industry impacts eastern North Carolina, rural America, and beyond.

Mr. Speaker, we must be mindful that this well-intended ban could have an unintended consequence. It might increase the availability of illegal tobacco products and, more concerning, jeopardize the livelihoods of families and farmers by eliminating at least 6,000 menthol cigarette industry jobs in North Carolina. We must always protect our communities and their well-being.

To be clear, we need jobs. That is why I sent a bipartisan letter to the President with my North Carolina colleague, Representative DAVID ROUZER, and asked this administration to thoroughly consider the economic implications of this proposed ban before taking decisive action.

SAVANNAH, GEORGIA, IS BEST PLACE TO RETIRE

(Mr. CARTER of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. CARTER of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the beloved city of Savannah, which has been recognized as one of the best places to retire in the United States by HGTV.

Since I have been a resident of Georgia's First District my whole life, I know that it is the best place to live and retire, but it is nice to see Savannah receiving the national recognition it deserves.

Affordability plays a pivotal role in the city earning this distinction, with the cost of living notably below the national average, as well as the absence of estate taxes.

Other key factors that contributed to the city's rankings include its delightful weather, tax-friendly area, and convenient and accessible transportation.

Our historic city squares, riverfront dining, musical and artistic amenities,