

The Time Has Come for a March in DC to Stop the Iran Nuclear Pact



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President Obama may be on a vacation with the family, however his West Wing political operatives are busily trying to line up Democrat votes in both the Senate and House enabling him to veto anticipated Republican majority resolutions. While New York Democrat Senator Charles Schumer has come out against the pact, he demurred from active advocacy of his position. *The Hill* [noted](#) in its *Whip List* count that Rep. Pete Roskam (R-IL) has signed up 218 of 243 Republican colleagues for a resolution opposing the Iran nuclear pact. The *Hill Whip List* vote [tally](#), as of August 14, 2015, on the Democrat side of aisle shows Democrats divided with 48 "Yes", 16 leaning in that direction, 11 "No," 2 leaning towards "No" and 58 "undecideds." The resolutions are likely to be voted on by both Chambers before September 17th following Congress reconvening just after Labor Day. The ultimate choice of which way the undecideds will go will depend on what they learn from Town Hall meetings and constituent calls, tweets and emails. If respected polls are any indication, millions of Americans have voiced concerns that Iran's track record as a cheater on nuclear weapons developments and state support

for terrorism preclude trusting it. The JCPOA will immediately release tens of billions for Iran to expand hegemony in the Middle East. In 10 years it will add over 1 trillion dollars in additional sanctions relief to Iran and the Mullahs that run it.

Already the international sanctions regime has been shredded by Iranian Quds Force commander Soleimani's violation of travel bans and purchases of Russian advanced air defense systems and Chinese stealth fighter jets. Italian, French and other Foreign Ministers have led trade delegations to Tehran to ink billions in pre-approval deals. Just this week, the Swiss [lifted](#) some of their financial sanctions, doubtless both the Russians and Chinese will follow suit, as their sequestered funds comprise the majority of off shore resources. Moreover, Iranian Foreign Minister Zarif is [endeavoring](#) to broker the Syrian Crisis. With the nuclear deal, the Islamic regime is gaining traction in the Middle East courtesy of Obama's outreach and the pending nuclear pact.

While many Congressional Democrats and liberal media pundits contend that the nuclear pact is not perfect, they suggest it is better than the alternative. [Orde Kittrie](#), Senior Fellow and leading expert on non proliferation law and policy at the Washington, DC Foundation for Defense of Democracies in a *Wall Street Journal* [opinion piece](#), contends that the unsigned political agreement can be and should be amended by Congress. He cites as evidence the 200 plus incidents, including nuclear test ban and arms control agreements with Russia during the Cold War era. There is also the recent 2009 nuclear cooperation agreement with the United Arab Emirates, where Congress demanded changes and material improvement to international agreements before granting consent.