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UNITED STATES SENATOR for TEXAS

Good Evening,

This week, President Trump sent a strong message: Iran poses a threat not only to Israel in the Middle East, but also to the United States as it pursues nuclear weapons.

Last week, President Trump acted decisively and effectively, deploying B-2 bombers with surgical precision to protect Israel—but more importantly, to protect America. When the Ayatollah chants “Death to America,” he means it—and the reason he is building nuclear weapons is because he intends to use them. President Trump has consistently and unequivocally stated that such threats cannot be countered without dismantling the Iranian regime’s enrichment capacity. The President and his negotiators spent two months exploring whether the regime would agree to a negotiated settlement that met America’s national security needs. At the end of that period, Iranian regime officials declared that, instead of agreeing to a deal, they would open a new enrichment facility and install more advanced centrifuges.

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For years, China and the Democrats have orchestrated a coordinated assault on American energy, with the primary objective of bankrupting the energy industry, obliterating jobs, and

energy, with the primary objective of bankrupting the energy industry, eliminating jobs, and increasing gas prices nationwide. We know that the top emitter in the world is China, and if it truly cared about reducing emissions, it would invest in its own carbon emissions reduction—not work with Democrats to force Americans into crippling regulations. China's grab for control over America's climate policy would hurt Texans and Americans who rely on natural gas and energy production for economic stability and job opportunities.

My priority in the Senate has always been jobs, jobs, jobs—and I will continue to put Texas jobs first and protect U.S. energy.

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Under Joe Biden, the world was put in jeopardy. Now, under President Trump's strong leadership, our allies can once again trust us, and our enemies fear us. European countries are no longer permitted to rely freely on America without contributing their fair share. President Trump's appearance at the NATO summit this week reaffirmed the United States' position as a nation that must be taken seriously. His leadership will continue to keep Americans safe and deliver great success for our country.

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In 2024, we witnessed the most consequential presidential debate in history between President Trump and Joe Biden. It sent the Democratic Party and the sitting administration scrambling, as Joe Biden's mental state was displayed on national television. Texans across the state would approach me and ask, "Who is running our country?" My response was simple: I did not know who was running the country during Biden's presidency. During his administration, the ultimate symbol of executive authority in the United States was outsourced to a machine used by staffers, with executive orders being signed using an autopen.

In 2025, every executive order issued by the President was signed with the autopen. As both a voter and a legislator, this makes me incredibly uneasy. All staffers who lied about the administration are complicit in these actions, and I will continue to speak out against the previous administration and its potential abuses of authority.

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Recently, President Trump approved a presidential permit to expand and maintain a commercial international bridge between Laredo, Texas, and Colombia, Nuevo León, Mexico. Texans understand how important trade with Mexico is, as it supports a significant portion of the state's jobs and GDP growth. Expanding this bridge is a step in the right direction to boost U.S. trade and promote economic growth in the Lone Star State. I look forward to working alongside the President to continue supporting U.S. trade and job creation throughout Texas.

Keep Texas Strong,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to be 'Ted Cruz'.

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