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Reaffirming the strong partnership between the Kingdom of Denmark and
the United States.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. KEATING submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the
Committee on Foreign Affairs

RESOLUTION

Reaffirming the strong partnership between the Kingdom
of Denmark and the United States.

Whereas the Kingdom of Denmark and the United States
have enjoyed more than two centuries of close relations;

Whereas Denmark has long been a key partner in bilateral
and multilateral efforts to address global challenges and
threats;

Whereas Denmark was a founding member of the North At-
lantic Treaty Organization (NATO) in 1949 and has con-
tinued to support the trans-Atlantic security alliance;

Whereas Danish forces have participated in United States-led
military missions in both Afghanistan and Iraq and the
United States-led international coalition against the Is-
lamic State terrorist organization;

Whereas Denmark participates in a wide range of NATO missions, including Operation Enhanced Forward Presence, and contributes to numerous peacekeeping operations throughout the world;

Whereas Denmark has been an active and cooperative member in the Enhanced Partnership in Northern Europe (e-PINE) to contribute to a free and peaceful vision of Europe and has partnered with the United States and other Baltic and Nordic countries on security, health, and economic matters;

Whereas Denmark is a fellow member of the Arctic Council and has long supported peaceful cooperation in the Arctic region;

Whereas the United States is one of Denmark's largest non-European trade partners, and the United States exports \$2,200,000,000 worth of goods and \$5,500,000,000 of services to Denmark; and

Whereas the Danish Government reports that Danish investments support over 75,000 United States jobs: Now, therefore, be it

1 *Resolved*, That the House of Representatives—

2 (1) recognizes the significance of our enduring
3 political, economic, and security partnership with the
4 Kingdom of Denmark;

5 (2) recognizes the important role Denmark
6 plays in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the
7 Arctic Council, and other intergovernmental organi-
8 zations and missions to promote global peace, secu-
9 rity, and prosperity;

1 (3) expresses gratitude and appreciation to the
2 people of Denmark and the members of the Danish
3 military for their efforts and sacrifices to make our
4 world more secure; and

5 (4) calls for continued cooperation and partner-
6 ship to further strengthen the longstanding alliance
7 between Denmark and the United States.

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