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anliegend zgK ein Brief der Co-Chairs des Congressional Ukraine Caucus Rep. Marcy Kaptur (D-OH), Rep. Mike Quigley (D-IL), Rep. Brian Fitzpatrick (R-PA) und Andy Harris (R-MD) an AM Blinken mit folgenden Forderungen:

1. Umsetzung der durch PEESA/PEESCA vom US-Kongress vorgeschriebenen Sanktionen gegen Nord Stream 2

„The U.S. Congress has voted now twice on an overwhelmingly bipartisan basis to sanction the pipeline and related entities pursuant to Protecting European Energy Security Act (PEESA) as amended by the Protecting European Energy Security Clarification Act (PEESCA) to halt the pipeline construction and protect Ukraine’s security. These sanctions are mandatory, not discretionary.”

2. Inklusive der Sanktionierung der Nord Stream 2 AG im Rahmen des am 17. Mai fälligen nächsten PEESCA-Berichtes

„We strongly urge you to include in this report all entities openly engaged in sanctionable pipe-laying activities, including Nord Stream AG and all vessels and project-linked insurance and certification companies supporting the Fortuna and Akademik Cherskiy pipe-laying vessels, pursuant to the legislation and clear bipartisan Congressional intent. The open source evidence is overwhelming, and it seems there is no legitimate reason for not including them.”

Dies auch vor dem Hintergrund angeblich unzureichender deutscher Vorschläge zum Umgang mit den geopolitischen Auswirkungen eines Baus der Pipelines:

“Time is of the essence as the pipeline is more than 95% complete, and German authorities until now have not offered any satisfactory proposal that addresses the significant geopolitical ramifications of the pipeline if completed.”

Ähnlich argumentierte auch Amb. John Herbst (Atlantic Council) in einem auf dem Onlinenachrichtendienst The Hill erschienenen Meinungsartikel (Anlage).

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„In addition to the completion of Nord Stream 2, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] While we urge you to impose mandatory sanctions on Nord Stream 2 without delay, [REDACTED]

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Beste Grüße,
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