

More background to help with your calls

In 2024, Shaheen co-sponsored a JRD to prevent the Biden Administration from sending an additional \$7.4 billion in weapons to Israel. Shaheen put a hold on this request, and the request and the hold carried over into this Congress. President Trump now plans to send these weapons to Israel.

Recently Trump has stated that all Palestinians have to be permanently resettled to other countries, that the U.S. needs to “own” Gaza, and that U.S. troops may be used to institute these illegal and immoral plans. In an interview with Fox’s Bret Baier, Trump said that the Gaza Strip would be a “real estate development for the future”. His plan to “take over Gaza” would not include a right of return for the more than 2 million Palestinians that he has said have “no alternative” but to leave because of the destruction left by Israel’s U.S.-backed military campaign.

Are our representatives really comfortable continuing to support this, to use our tax dollars to send \$7.4 billion of weapons to carry out those threats?