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CHINA UPDATE: JOE BIDEN AND COMMUNIST CHINA'S TAKEOVER OF AMERICA

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In my recent three-part series on Communist China and the dangerous inroads it has achieved toward its goal of global domination, it was impossible to cover how the current president and his administration have allowed China to start taking over the United States. However, in the last year, scandal after scandal has exposed the ties that Joe Biden and his family have to the Communist Chinese Party.

Republicans in the House of Representatives are doing a scrupulous, long-overdue investigation into Joe Biden's corrupt money laundering of funds from not only Communist China but other foreign countries as well. The foreign bank accounts used by the Biden family to launder money through from foreign governments around the world, especially from the Communist Chinese, are unmasking how deeply Joe Biden is compromised. As an article on RedState.com succinctly stated, "Making money off your last name is one thing if you are the untalented child of some Hollywood star. It is entirely different to fly to and from China on Air Force Two and return with a \$1.5 billion business deal and a \$500 million 'loan' that doesn't have to be paid back with kicking back 10 percent of the deal to the 'big guy'" (Streiff, "Chuck Todd Joins the Media Crowd Losing Their Crap Over Joe Biden's Pilfered Secret Documents," January 15, 2023, RedState.com).

This updated article will expose just how deeply Joe Biden has betrayed our country and how he and administration are openly and blatantly helping China take over the United States.

Giving Oil and American Technology to China

One of Joe Biden's first actions as president was to shut down the Keystone XL Pipeline, causing the loss of as many as 11,000 American jobs. Biden's refusal to approve oil leases and permits, along with the pipeline shutdown, caused oil prices to soar.

Under President Trump, I paid between \$1.50 and \$1.80 for a gallon of gas in Oklahoma City. Inflation under Joe Biden caused oil prices in Oklahoma City to jump to over \$4.00. Oklahoma City residents are currently paying about \$3.70 to \$4.50 for a gallon of gas.

To ostensibly lower gas prices before the 2022 mid-term elections, Biden ordered the release of millions of barrels of oil from the U.S. Strategic Petroleum Reserve, which President Trump had replenished. While this produced a temporary decrease in gas prices, it also endangered the country's security in the event of a war.

Eventually, the media decided they needed to tell us that Biden was selling some of the oil from the SPR to China! Forbes reported China's good fortune to have Joe Biden as president of the U.S. on their website in January 2023:

China is increasingly looking like the top beneficiary of President Joe Biden's decision to sell down the Strategic Petroleum Reserve (SPR) to lower domestic fuel prices. Chinese-owned companies have lapped up oil from America's emergency stockpile since the Biden administration decided to sell 18 million barrels last year to lower prices ahead of the midterm elections.

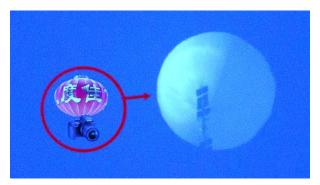
The SPR, which has a capacity of around 700 million barrels, currently has about 372 million barrels stored in salt caverns along Texas and Louisiana Gulf Coasts. That's down from 594 million barrels, or nearly 40 percent, from a year ago. The SPR was created to protect the United States from oil shortages and price spikes caused by supply disruptions, but Biden's historic drawdown for political reasons sacrificed national energy security . . . while congressional Democrats benefited at the polls from falling prices, the biggest winner may be our nation's greatest adversary. China - already the world's top oil importer - seized the opportunity to secure additional barrels of oil on the market at a time when its supply of oil from Russia was at risk of drying up due to intensifying Western sanctions against Moscow (Dan Eberhart, "Biden's SPR Drawdown Big Win For Beijing," January 21, 2023, Forbes.com).

While the House of Representatives voted to stop any more of our oil from the SPR being sold to China, the Senate, under the control of the Democrats, has not acted on the bill. So, Biden can continue to sell as much of our oil to China as he wants.

Joe Biden also generously gifted Communist China with advanced battery technology developed by American scientists. John Locke reported on a story he found on the *Daily Wire* website concerning the Department of Energy's actually donating this tax-payer funded technology to a Chinese company instead of keeping it here in the U.S. for our benefit. WY Senator John Barrasso and IA Senator Joni Ernst protested that this transfer of battery technology was "illicit" and a "dereliction of duty," while the Energy Department's inspector general stated they were conducting an investigation, none of which actually resulted in any censure of Joe Biden and his administration. The *Daily Wire* article explains why this was such a horrendous decision by the Biden administration:

China is now reportedly building one of the largest battery grids in the world using the technology, which could store huge amounts of solar energy without degrading over time or requiring lithium, mitigating a major environmental impact of current green technology that ends up in landfills . . . U.S. government-funded scientists working at the Pacific Northwest National Laboratory had developed the "vanadium redox flow battery," which could store enough energy to power a house and last for 30 years. The technology would make it easier to rely on solar power . . . The U.S. government holds the patent on the technology, and in 2012, it licensed it to Gary Yang, one of the scientists who helped develop it, so that he could commercialize it" (Luke Rosiak, Mitch Kokai, "Biden Administration Gave Key Green Technology to China," October 14, 2022, John Locke Foundation, www.johnlocke.org).

China probably never realized what a good friend they would have in Joe Biden! He has produced quite a return on their "investments" (i.e., bribes).



Chinese Balloons and Police Stations

Many Americans were shocked when it was revealed earlier this year that a spy balloon from China was making its way across the United States - and that the Biden administration had been well aware of it for some time! The only reason the general public became cognizant of the spy balloon was because someone in Montana spotted it. The incident became even more appalling when the Biden administration refused to shoot it down - claiming that there was no way to do that safely over one of the least populated states in the country!

Defense officials clearly viewed Americans as stupid and naive when they had the gall to downplay the spy balloon's ability to intercept any sensitive security information, even as it was flying over U.S. nuclear sites. It was only weeks afterward that the Pentagon admitted that the Chinese had collected highly classified security information from our nuclear sites. It is beyond the pale that Joe Biden and his administration tried to blame the spy balloon incident on Donald Trump who hadn't been in office for two years!

If that wasn't bad enough, the recent discovery of secret Chinese police stations operating with impunity across the U.S. should chill every American to the bone. According to an article in *The Hill*, Chinese police stations are openly functioning in New York City, Los Angeles, Houston, San Francisco, and in cities in states that you would not be apt to think of such as in Nebraska and Minnesota (Andrew Harding, Erin Walsh, "Crack down on illegal Chinese police stations in the US," May 18, 2023, *The Hill*, thehill.com).

Safeguard Defenders, a human rights group, revealed that the Communist Chinese are actually spying on Chinese citizens and monitoring their activities in the United States. Michael Lee explains the following in his article, "What are Chinese overseas police stations?", published by Fox News on their website, foxnews.com, on April 18, 2023.

[A] report by Safeguard Defenders, a human rights watchdog, released last year, casts doubt on the claims of the Chinese government, arguing the centers are used to police Chinese citizens overseas as part of a crackdown on criticism of the ruling communist party.

"These operations eschew official bilateral police and judicial cooperation and violate the international rule of law, and may violate the territorial integrity in third countries involved in setting up a parallel policing mechanism using illegal methods," reads the report by Safeguard Defenders, which was released in September . . .

Safeguard Defenders points to multiple human rights abuses carried about by the centers, including harassing and intimidating Chinese nationals living abroad with tactics such as threatening the family members of the overseas citizens. The report also claims that the centers have been used to monitor the activities of Chinese citizens overseas and to spread communist party propaganda.

While a few of these Chinese "police officers" have been arrested, none of these illegal police stations in the U.S. have been shut down and are still free to operate.

U.S. Farmland and U.S. Security

Late last year, I was shocked to learn that China through Chinese companies has been buying farmland in Oklahoma, Louisiana, and in other states. Even though pro-China media outlets try to calm Americans' fears that China owns less than 1% of U.S. farmland, approximately 380,000 acres, America's number one foreign adversary should not own ANY land in our country.

Chinese ownership of U.S. farmland has increased fivefold over the past decade, according to U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) data, from 69,000 acres in 2011 to almost 384,000 acres in 2021. That amounts to about 1 percent of the 3 percent of all U.S. farmland owned by foreign nationals . . . Chinese-owned farmland increased by more than 136 thousand acres between 2019 and 2021 . . .

One of the Republicans . . . Rep. Dan Newhouse (R-Wash.), has repeatedly introduced legislation to prohibit the Chinese government from buying U.S. agricultural land. "I've always said that food security is literally national security," Newhouse said at [a House] committee's first hearing in late February (Christina Van Waasbergen, "How US farmland became a battleground in the fight against China," May 24, 2023, *The Hill*, the hill.com).

The same article reveals how China bought farmland near the Grand Forks Air Force Base in North Dakota in 2021 and how China tried to do the same in Texas, only to be blocked, thankfully, by the Texas state legislature. Residents in rural Michigan are fighting their state government over plans for a Chinese company to build a battery factory on 700 acres. Democrat Governor Gretchen Whitmer has reportedly allocated \$715 million taxpayer dollars to give to this Chinese company. To say that the local residents are angry is an understatement.

Unfortunately, the opinions of the Michigan residents were discarded. Joe Biden and his administration announced in June 2023 that they had approved the building of the Chinese EV battery factory that the residents were so vehemently opposed to.

Cuba and U.S. National Security

In 1823, our 5th president, James Monroe, established what came to be called the Monroe Doctrine. President Monroe succinctly stated that no European countries or governments had the right to

interfere in the United States or establish a presence in the Western hemisphere with the intention of interfering or attacking the U.S. With the rise of communist governments such as the Soviet Union and China and other dictatorships, the understanding of the Monroe Doctrine was expanded to include any foreign government or country that was hostile to the U.S. from doing the same.

U.S. media outlets reported in June 2023 that Cuba had agreed to allow China to build a spy base on the island. The Biden administration response? Our idiot U.S. Secretary of State Antony Blinken said, "This is something we're going to be monitoring very, very closely and we've been very clear about that. And we will protect our homeland, we will protect our interests," he said, as quoted by CNN reporters in the article, "Blinken says he 'made very clear' US 'would have deep concerns' about Chinese military activities in Cuba," published on June 20, 2023, on the CNN website, cnn.com.

In other words, yawn.

Joe Biden and his administration have not defended the United States from China buying our farmland, especially near military bases. They have not defended our country against a Chinese spy balloon that recorded sensitive military information or Chinese police stations on our soil, and even gifting China American technology that helps them and undermines us. So why would they object to a Chinese spy base and other hostile Chinese activities in Cuba, in other countries within our hemisphere, and even in our own country?

China's Fentanyl, Illegal Immigration, and U.S. Security

Under President Donald Trump, the United States created the most secure southern border the country had in years. While the Trump administration did not completely stop the influx of illegal aliens and drug smuggling into the country, President Trump's secure border policies significantly decreased the amount of illegal activities along the southern border.

Under the Biden Administration, the invasion along the southern border has exploded. Cities in Texas and Arizona are collapsing due to the number of illegal aliens pouring into their cities close to the border. Pictures of illegal aliens sleeping on the streets and lawns in Texas cities like El Paso are easy to find on the internet. But they don't reveal one of the most malevolent and destructive results of the open border policy: China's fentanyl production and the deaths of Americans.

Mark Morgan, who worked in the Trump Administration for the Customs and Border Protection Department, was very frank about China and their fentanyl production in a report by Fox 26 News.

Fentanyl overdose is the leading cause of death for U.S. adults 18 to 45 years old, according to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Last month, Customs and Border Protection sized 1,800 pounds of the synthetic drug that primarily sourced from China.

"The majority of fentanyl, 95%, comes from the wide-open Southwest border," said former acting commissioner for Customs and Border Protection Mark Morgan. "Where do they get the chemicals and the products to manufacture fentanyl? It comes from China."

According to the CDC, more than 107,000 Americans died of drug overdoses in 2021 (Elissa Salamy, "Cartels 'pouring' drugs into the U.S. says border expert," August 23, 2022, The National Desk, kmph.com).

While most Americans know that fentanyl is a problem, many don't realize how dangerous even a tiny amount is to consume. Greg Swan, a father who had a child die of a drug overdose, detailed how

heinous our open border policy is with regard to this drug in an article published recently in *The Washington Times*.

Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid up to 50 times more powerful than heroin. In 2022, it killed more Americans than drunken driving, COVID 19 and cancer combined. The drug is often used as a filler by illicit drug manufacturers. All over social media, individuals sell fake versions of Adderall, OxyContin and Percocet filled with fentanyl, and it is estimated that nearly 60% of fentanyl-laced prescription pills contain a lethal dose of the product. Children and young adults accidentally overdose by ingesting these counterfeit drugs. Often, all it takes is one to kill.

But the dangers of fentanyl are not confined to illicit pills. There is a new threat lurking in illegal, disposable, flavored vapes made in China. According to a 2022 study by the Food and Drug Administration and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, more than 2.5 million middle and high school students nationwide have used an e-cigarette in the past 30 days, and 25% used e-cigarettes daily. Over half of the youth vapers reported using disposable e-cigarettes in 2022, almost 90% of whom reported using flavored vapes . . . A 13-year-old in Georgia was hospitalized after unwittingly consuming fentanyl contained in a disposable flavored vape. One school district in lowa reported in February that officials are finding "vape devices across the country are being laced with fentanyl, and local authorities have reported an increase of laced devices in the Quad Cities area" (Greg Swan, "China is fueling America's fentanyl epidemic through illegal, disposable flavored vapes," June 19, 2023, *The Washington Times*, www.washingtontimes.com).

Swan pointed out in his article that our government reported only 409 overdose deaths to fentanyl in 1999. By 2021, the number of deaths attributed to fentanyl had risen to 67,325.

A new, even deadlier drug is making its way into the US from China: Tranq, an animal tranquilizer that is mixed with either fentanyl or other drugs, rots the flesh of the user and induces a zombie-like state. Addicts look like characters from The Walking Dead. You can find pictures of zombie-like Americans on the streets of Philadelphia and New York City on *The Daily Mail* UK site, www.dailymail.co.uk. How many more Americans is China is going to kill? Evidently, unleashing the COVID virus on us was not enough.



Chinese National Crossing U.S. Southern Border

China's pouring illegal drugs into our country is not the only thing Americans have to be concerned about when it comes to our open borders. Young, single, military-age Chinese men have been spotted over the past year crossing our southern border in droves. Gordon Chang, a very well-respected expert on China, has been warning for months that China is on a war footing, President Xi Jinping has surrounded himself with hawks in a so-called "War Cabinet." China's Defense Ministry is

building up their military, and they are calling up reserves. Chang recently made a bombshell prediction in his eye-opening article, "China's Saboteurs Are Coming to America," published by the Gatestone Institute on June 29, 2023.

Chinese migrants are entering the United States on foot at the southern border. . . U.S. Customs and Border Protection reports that the number of apprehensions of Chinese migrants in the first five months of the current federal fiscal year was more than double that during all of the last fiscal year. The 8,000 Chinese migrants apprehended this calendar year are more than quadruple the number apprehended in the comparable period a year ago . . .

Some migrants are almost certainly members of China's People's Liberation Army (PLA). Representative Mark Green (R-Tenn.), chairman of the House Homeland Security Committee, said . . . a Border Patrol sector chief informed him that some of the Chinese migrants at the southern border have "known ties to the PLA."

"We have no idea who these people are, and it's very likely, using Russia's template of sending military personnel into Ukraine, China is doing the same into the United States," said Green.

These military-linked migrants, despite their affiliations, have been released into America.

There is no question that China's PLA is inserting saboteurs through Mexico. "At the Darien Gap [between Colombia and Panama], I have seen countless packs of Chinese males of military age, unattached to family groups, and pretending not to understand English," said [Michael] Yon, [a] war correspondent. "They were all headed to the American border."

"Normally in groups of five to fifteen, they typically . . . spend one night in the U.S. funded San Vicente Camp . . . before boarding luxury buses for the trip up Highway 1 toward Costa Rica," You reports. "One group of six young men bought a chicken at the Tonosi Hotel, drank its blood from small glasses, then cooked the chicken themselves in the hotel restaurant, according to the hotel manager. Drinking raw chicken blood is a rite among some PLA soldiers."

Once here, the military fighters can link up with China's agents already in place or Chinese diplomats.

How many of the PLA fighters have slipped into the United States this way? Some estimate 5,000, others 10,000. Those numbers sound high, but whatever the actual figure, more are coming.

These are China's shock troops. The concern is that, on the first day of war in Asia, they will take down America's power lines, poison water reservoirs, assassinate officials, start wildfires, spread pathogens, and create terror by bombing shopping malls and supermarkets.

The saboteurs will almost certainly attack American military bases. China has already been probing sensitive installations. Chinese agents posing as tourists have, for instance, intruded into bases, including the Army's Fort Wainwright in Fairbanks, Alaska. There, the suspected Chinese agents drove past a base gate and were later apprehended with a drone inside their car . . . Therefore, the next war in Asia will almost certainly be fought on U.S. soil, perhaps on its first day. Unsuspecting Americans will be in the fight.

Joe Biden, China's Man in the White House

The evidence is overwhelming. No one can deny that Joe Biden is bought and paid for by Communist China through his son's nefarious business dealings and is doing China's bidding to weaken the U.S. You'd have to be living in a cave 30 miles underground with no access to the outside world not to know that Joe Biden is giving our country over to China.

I personally believe that there will be no war with China. Our country is already so compromised by our leaders that the Biden Administration will simply hand the United States over to China on a silver platter. Our military will be ordered to stand down. It will then be apparent to every American citizen that Joe Biden and everyone in his administration are traitors.

It may already be too late.

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