

LETTER TO EDITOR -

## Both parties owned by interests

This proves it! The United States is owned by the defense industry.

The Senate passed a defense bill Friday that authorizes \$696 billion in military spending. The majority of this money will go into the pockets of the defense industry, which is owned by the nation's mega-rich. The vote was 90-3 in the Senate, proving that both parties are owned by the big-money interests.

That makes the upcoming elections a farce. Vote Republican, vote Democrat, it's all the same. Don't these turkeys realize we're \$9 trillion in debt? Are they trying to destroy our economy, trying to put common people in economic chaos?

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