

## Claim

Claim: "Majority Leader John Thune blocked Senator Adam Schiff's committee assignments because of his past work in the Russia investigation over Donald Trump."

## Actions

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web_search("John Thune Adam Schiff committee assignments")  
web_search("John Thune blocked Adam Schiff committee assignments Russia")
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## Evidence

### Evidence from **web\_search**

The article from ACEC.org discusses the Senate committee assignments for the 119th Congress and mentions that Adam Schiff (D-CA) was assigned to the Finance Committee.

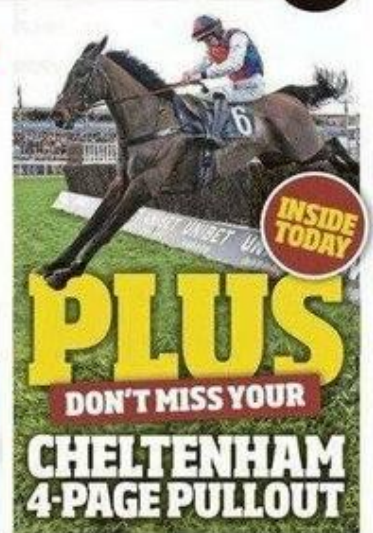


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The document from Torreydc.com lists the Senate Committee Assignments for the 119th Congress, with John Thune listed as a member of the Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee, the Commerce, Science, and Transportation Committee, and the Finance Committee. Adam Schiff is listed as a member of the Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee, the Environment and Public Works Committee, the Judiciary Committee, and the Small Business and Entrepreneurship Committee.

The document from Holland & Knight LLP lists the committee assignments for the House of Representatives and the Senate for the 118th Congress. Adam Schiff is assigned to the House

Committee on the Judiciary and the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. John Thune is assigned to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation and the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

## **Elaboration**

The evidence indicates that Adam Schiff was assigned to various committees in both the 118th and 119th Congresses. John Thune was also assigned to several committees during the same periods. The evidence does not support the claim that John Thune blocked Adam Schiff's committee assignments.

## **Final Judgement**

The search results show that Adam Schiff was assigned to various committees, and John Thune was also assigned to committees. The evidence does not support the claim that John Thune blocked Adam Schiff's committee assignments.

false

**Verdict: FALSE**

## **Justification**

The claim is false. Evidence from multiple sources, including ACEC.org and Holland & Knight LLP, indicates that Adam Schiff was assigned to various committees in both the 118th and 119th Congresses, and John Thune was also assigned to committees during the same periods. The evidence does not support the assertion that John Thune blocked Adam Schiff's committee assignments.