The RNC Attacked Biden For Meeting With A Chinese Energy Company Whose Subsidiary Made Payments To Trump's Company

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- According to the <u>report</u>, "Hong Kong Huaxin Petroleum Company Limited—a wholly owned subsidiary of CEFC—bought an apartment in Trump World Tower for \$5.25 million dollars."
 - The company reportedly "<u>maintained</u> this property throughout the Trump presidency."

Payments From Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited				
Company	Trump Business	Payment Date	Payment Amount	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	4/2/2018	\$3,997.49	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	8/1/2018	\$3,967.09	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	12/3/2018	\$3,351.26	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	2/1/2018	\$ 4,043.78	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	1/2/2018	\$ 3,422.45	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	7/2/2018	\$3,976.43	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	6/1/2018	\$3,998.56	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	3/1/2018	\$3,991.38	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	5/1/2018	\$3,981.46	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	11/1/2018	\$ 3,336.03	
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	10/1/2018	\$ 4,037.48	

TOTAL:	,		\$ 46,092.51
Hongkong Huaxin Petroleum Limited	Trump World Tower (New York, NY)	9/4/2018	\$3,989.10
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