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Japan's Prime Minister Shigeru Ishiba sent a trade negotiator to Washington, DC, to broker a deal with President Donald Trump on tariffs. POOL/AFP VIA GETTY IMAGES

Trump announces Japan trade deal

Agreement comes before Aug. 1 deadline

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WASHINGTON – President Donald Trump says his administration has secured a long-sought trade deal with Japan that includes lowering the steep U.S. tariff the country faced under a looming Aug. 1 deadline, when higher levies for countries across the world are

set to go into effect
“I just signed the largest trade deal in history – I think maybe the largest deal in history – with Japan,” Trump said the night of July 22 during a White House reception with Republican lawmakers.
Japan is the fourth largest trading partner of the United States, behind Canada, Mexico and China. Trump said the United States will impose a 15% tariff on Japanese imports under the

agreement, which he hailed as “a massive deal” in a post on Truth Social.
He had previously threatened a 24% tariff on Japan beginning Aug. 1.
Trump did not disclose the full details of the deal but said Japan would “invest \$550 Billion Dollars into the United States,” with the United States receiving 90% of the profits. He said

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McMaster considers ‘Alligator Alcatraz’ for SC

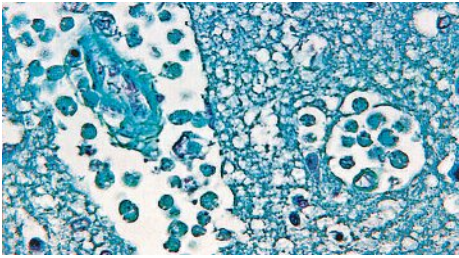
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“Alligator Alcatraz,” a migrant detention center in the Florida Everglades, is expanding to other states.
Kristi Noem, secretary of the Department of Homeland Security, said in an announcement that spinoff facilities are currently underway. She has also spoken to five governors regarding the new facilities, but their identities have yet to be revealed, according to News Nation.
Several states have already expressed their desire to aid President Donald Trump’s immigration crack-down, including South Carolina. Last week, Rep. Nancy Mace of S.C. tweeted, “If I was Governor, we’d be bringing Alligator Alcatraz to South Carolina.”

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Beds inside a migrant detention center, dubbed “Alligator Alcatraz,” as President Donald Trump toured the Ochopee, Florida, facility July 1. ANDREW CABALLERO-REYNOLDS/AFP VIA GETTY IMAGES



A photomicrograph of a brain tissue specimen depicts the changes associated with Naegleria fowleri, a brain-eating amoeba. CDC VIA REUTERS

Case of brain-eating amoeba reported in SC

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A case of a brain eating amoeba has been confirmed in the Palmetto State.
In a statement, the South Carolina Department of Public Health said the case was confirmed in early July.
“The South Carolina Department of

Public Health (DPH) was made aware of Naegleria fowleri in our state on the week of July 7. Naegleria fowleri is not required to be reported by the DPH. The agency does not track infections from the amoeba and does not provide information about or comment on individual cases, including the person’s condition,” said the statement. “Recreational water users should assume that Nae-

gelria fowleri is present in warm freshwater; however, the risk of infection is very low. There are less than 10 cases annually in the United States. While rare, Naegleria fowleri is nearly always fatal.”
Here’s more to know about the case and the amoeba.

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