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The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. CAPITO). The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1036, as amended.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read: "A bill to amend title 17, United States Code, to make technical corrections relating to Copyright Royalty Judges, and for other purposes."

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### MAKING TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO UNITED STATES CODE

Mr. SENSENBRENNER. Madam Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 866) to make technical corrections to the United States Code.

The Clerk read as follows:

H.R. 866

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

#### SECTION 1. PURPOSE.

The purpose of this Act is to make technical corrections to the United States Code relating to cross references, typographical errors, and stylistic matters.

#### SEC. 2. TITLE 10, UNITED STATES CODE.

In section 2701(i)(1) of title 10, United States Code, in the paragraph catchline, strike "MILLER ACT" and substitute "SECTIONS 3131 AND 3133 OF TITLE 40".

#### SEC. 3. TITLE 23, UNITED STATES CODE.

Title 23, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) In section 107(a), strike "the Act of February 26, 1931, 46 Stat. 1421" and substitute "sections 3114 to 3116 and 3118 of title 40".

(2) In section 210(e), strike "the Act of February 26, 1931; 46 Stat. 1421" and substitute "sections 3114 to 3116 and 3118 of title 40".

#### SEC. 4. TITLE 28, UNITED STATES CODE.

Title 28, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) In the analysis for chapter 91, in the item related to section 1499, strike "Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act" and substitute "chapter 37 of title 40".

(2) In section 1499, in the section heading, strike "Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act" and substitute "chapter 37 of title 40".

#### SEC. 5. TITLE 36, UNITED STATES CODE.

Title 36, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) In the analysis for chapter 5, after the item related to section 509, insert the following:

"510. Disclosure of and prohibition on certain donations."

(2) In the analysis for chapter 5, in the last item, which is related to "Authorization of appropriations", strike "510" and substitute "511".

(3) In the analysis for chapter 23, in the item related to section 2306, strike "museum" and substitute "Museum".

(4) In section 2301, in the first sentence, strike "United State Government" and substitute "United States Government".

(5) In section 20908(c), strike "board or directors" and substitute "board of directors".

(6) In section 40103(13), strike "laws of the each State" and substitute "laws of each State".

(7) In section 70912(b), strike "Corporation" and substitute "corporation".

(8) In section 150511(b), strike "with secretary" and substitute "with the secretary".

(9) In section 151303(c), strike "The Chairman" and substitute "The chairman".

(10) In section 153513(a)(1), strike "(16 U.S.C. 1 et seq.), known as the National Park Service Organic Act)" and substitute "(16 U.S.C. 1 et seq.) (known as the National Park Service Organic Act)".

(11) In section 220104(a)(2)(B), strike "State" and substitute "Defense".

(12) In the analysis for chapter 2205, in the item related to section 220501, strike "Definitions." and substitute "Short title and definitions."

(13) In section 220501, in the section heading, strike "Title and Definitions" and substitute "Short title and definitions".

(14) In section 220501(a), in the subsection catchline, strike "TITLE" and substitute "SHORT TITLE".

(15) In section 220505(b)(9), strike "this Act" and substitute "this chapter".

(16) In section 220506(d)(3)(A), strike "subsections" and substitute "subsection".

(17) In section 220509(b)(1)(A), strike "a" before "paralympic sports organizations".

(18) In section 220511, in the section heading, strike "Annual report" and substitute "Report".

(19) In section 220512, strike "Corporation" and substitute "corporation".

(20) In section 220521(a), strike "subsections" and substitute "subsection".

#### SEC. 6. TITLE 40, UNITED STATES CODE.

Title 40, United States Code, is amended as follows:

(1) In section 522(a), strike "of this section".

(2) In section 522(b), in the subsection catchline, strike "AT" and substitute "AT".

(3) In section 552(a), strike "(a) AUTHORITY TO TAKE PROPERTY Administrator" and substitute "(a) AUTHORITY TO TAKE PROPERTY.—The Administrator".

(4) In section 554(c), in the subsection catchline, strike "TRANSPORTATION." and substitute "TRANSPORTATION.—".

(5) In section 581(b), strike "The Administrator may—" and substitute "The Administrator of General Services may—".

(6) In section 593(b), strike "available to the Administration" and substitute "available to the General Services Administration".

(7) In section 611—

(A) after "under section 1343, 1344, or 1349(b)", insert "of title 31"; and

(B) after "under section 641", insert "of title 18".

(8) In section 3131(e), in the subsection catchline, strike "TO" and substitute "To".

(9) In section 3133(b), in the subsection catchline, strike "To" and substitute "To".

(10) In section 3133(c), strike "(c) A waiver" and substitute "(c) WAIVER OF RIGHT TO CIVIL ACTION.—A waiver".

(11) In section 3141(1), strike "1494" and substitute "1494".

(12) In section 3142(d), after "amount referred to in section 3141(2)(B)", insert "of this title".

(13) In section 3142(e), after "determined under section 3141(2)(B)", insert "of this title".

(14) In section 3701(b)(3)(B)—

(A) in the subparagraph catchline, strike "3902" and substitute "3702";

(B) strike "3902" and substitute "3702"; and

(C) strike "subsection (a)(2)(C)" and substitute "paragraph (1)(B)(iii)".

(15) In section 3702(d), in the subsection catchline, strike "TO" and substitute "To".

(16) In section 3704(a)(1), after "authorized by section 553", insert "of title 5".

(17) In section 3704(a)(2), strike "of this section".

(18) In section 6111(b), in the subsection catchline, strike the second period.

(19) In the analysis for chapter 65, in the first item, which is related to "Definition", strike "6581" and substitute "6501".

(20) In the analysis for chapter 67, in the item related to subchapter I, strike "ASSIGNMENT" and substitute "ASSIGNMENT".

(21) In chapter 67, in the heading for subchapter I, strike "ASSIGNMENT" and substitute "ASSIGNMENT".

(22) In section 8104(b), strike "Commission on Fine Arts" and substitute "Commission of Fine Arts".

(23) In section 8105, strike "post-office" and substitute "post office".

(24) In section 8501(b)(1)(A), after "sections 5101 and 5102", insert "of this title".

(25) In section 8502(a), strike "5314" and substitute "5315".

(26) In section 8502(c)(2), after "sections 5101 and 5102", insert "of this title".

(27) In section 8711(a), after "sections 5101 and 5102", insert "of this title".

(28) In section 8712(a)(2), after "sections 5101 and 5102", insert "of this title".

(29) In section 8722(d)—

(A) strike "52 Stat. 802" and substitute "52 Stat. 797"; and

(B) strike "is subject" and substitute "are subject".

(30) In section 9302(b), in the subsection catchline, strike "WITH" and substitute "WITH".

(31) In section 14308(b)(2), strike "section (a)(2)" and substitute "subsection (a)(2)".

(32) In section 17504(b), in the subsection catchline, strike "WITH" and substitute "WITH".

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER) and the gentleman from California (Mr. BERMAN) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER).

Mr. SENSENBRENNER. Madam Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Madam Speaker, I rise in support of H.R. 866, to make technical corrections to the United States Code. I introduced this legislation on February 16, 2005, along with Committee on the Judiciary's Ranking Member CONYERS. The Office of Law Revision Counsel of the House of Representatives has prepared this bill and submitted it to the Committee on the Judiciary under section 285(b) of title 2, United States Code. Pursuant to rule X of the House of Representatives, the Committee on the Judiciary maintains jurisdiction over the revision and codification of statutes of the United States.

This bill revises, codifies and enacts without substantive changes certain general and permanent laws. The effective titles of the United States Code under this bill, include: title 10, armed forces; title 23, highways; title 28, judiciary and judicial procedure; title 36, patriotic and national observances,

ceremonies and organizations; and title 40, public buildings, property, and works.

Let me be clear that this bill makes no substantive change in existing law. Rather it removes ambiguities, contradictions and other imperfections from existing law and repeals obsolete, superfluous and superseded provisions.

Madam Speaker, H.R. 866 is a simple bill that makes necessary technical updates to existing law. I urge my colleagues to support it.

Madam Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. BERMAN. Madam Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Madam Speaker, H.R. 866 is a bill introduced by Chairman SENSENBRENNER and Ranking Member CONYERS. The purpose of this bill is to make technical corrections to various provisions of titles 10, 23, 28, 36 and 40 of the U.S. Code. The bill updates cross-references, corrects typographical errors, makes stylistic changes, conforming capitalization, correcting the punctuation of certain words. It is a bill that the Office of Law Revision Counsel has prepared and submitted to the committee for consideration so that those titles of the Code that have been enacted into positive law may be kept current. I urge my colleagues to support this bill.

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The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 866.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## COMPLETING CODIFICATION OF TITLE 46, UNITED STATES CODE, "SHIPPING", AS POSITIVE LAW

Mr. SENSENBRENNER. Madam Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1442) to complete the codification of title 46, United States Code, "Shipping", as positive law, as amended.

The Clerk read as follows:

H.R. 1442

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

### SECTION 1. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Table of contents.	
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Sec. 17. Conforming amendments to other laws.	
Sec. 18. Transitional and savings provisions.	
Sec. 19. Repeals.	

### SEC. 2. PURPOSE; CONFORMITY WITH ORIGINAL INTENT.

(a) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this Act is to complete the codification of title 46, United States Code, "Shipping", as positive law, by reorganizing and restating the laws currently in the appendix to title 46.

(b) CONFORMITY WITH ORIGINAL INTENT.—In the codification of laws by this Act, the intent is to conform to the understood policy, intent, and purpose of the Congress in the original enactments, with such amendments and corrections as will remove ambiguities, contradictions, and other imperfections, in accordance with section 205(c)(1) of House Resolution No. 988, 93d Congress, as enacted into law by Public Law 93-554 (2 U.S.C. 285b(1)).

### SEC. 3. TITLE ANALYSIS.

The title analysis of title 46, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

“Subtitle	Sec.
“I. GENERAL	101
“II. VESSELS AND SEAMEN	2101
“III. MARITIME LIABILITY	30101
“IV. REGULATION OF OCEAN SHIPPING	40101
“V. MERCHANT MARINE	50101
“VI. CLEARANCE, TONNAGE TAXES, AND DUTIES	60101
“VII. SECURITY AND DRUG ENFORCEMENT	70101
“VIII. MISCELLANEOUS	80101”.

### SEC. 4. SUBTITLE I OF TITLE 46.

Title 46, United States Code, is amended by inserting after the title analysis the following:

#### “Subtitle I—General

“Chapter	Sec.
“1. Definitions	101
“3. Federal Maritime Commission	301
“5. Other General Provisions	501

#### “CHAPTER 1—DEFINITIONS

“Sec.	
“101. Agency.	
“102. Barge.	
“103. Boundary Line.	
“104. Citizen of the United States.	
“105. Consular officer.	
“106. Documented vessel.	
“107. Exclusive economic zone.	
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“109. Foreign commerce or trade.	
“110. Foreign vessel.	
“111. Numbered vessel.	
“112. State.	
“113. Undocumented.	
“114. United States.	
“115. Vessel.	
“116. Vessel of the United States.	

#### “§ 101. Agency

“In this title, the term ‘agency’ means a department, agency, or instrumentality of the United States Government.

#### “§ 102. Barge

“In this title, the term ‘barge’ means a non-self-propelled vessel.

#### “§ 103. Boundary Line

“In this title, the term ‘Boundary Line’ means a line established under section 2(b) of the Act of February 19, 1895 (33 U.S.C. 151).

#### “§ 104. Citizen of the United States

“In this title, the term ‘citizen of the United States’, when used in reference to a natural per-

son, means an individual who is a national of the United States as defined in section 101(a)(22) of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(22)).

#### “§ 105. Consular officer

“In this title, the term ‘consular officer’ means an officer or employee of the United States Government designated under regulations to issue visas.

#### “§ 106. Documented vessel

“In this title, the term ‘documented vessel’ means a vessel for which a certificate of documentation has been issued under chapter 121 of this title.

#### “§ 107. Exclusive economic zone

“In this title, the term ‘exclusive economic zone’ means the zone established by Presidential Proclamation 5030 of March 10, 1983 (16 U.S.C. 1453 note).

#### “§ 108. Fisheries

“In this title, the term ‘fisheries’ includes processing, storing, transporting (except in foreign commerce), planting, cultivating, catching, taking, or harvesting fish, shellfish, marine animals, pearls, shells, or marine vegetation in the navigable waters of the United States or in the exclusive economic zone.

#### “§ 109. Foreign commerce or trade

“(a) IN GENERAL.—In this title, the terms ‘foreign commerce’ and ‘foreign trade’ mean commerce or trade between a place in the United States and a place in a foreign country.

“(b) CAPITAL CONSTRUCTION FUNDS AND CONSTRUCTION-DIFFERENTIAL SUBSIDIES.—In the context of capital construction funds under chapter 535 of this title, and in the context of construction-differential subsidies under title V of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, the terms ‘foreign commerce’ and ‘foreign trade’ also include, in the case of liquid and dry bulk cargo carrying services, trading between foreign ports in accordance with normal commercial bulk shipping practices in a manner that will permit bulk vessels of the United States to compete freely with foreign bulk vessels in their operation or competition for charters, subject to regulations prescribed by the Secretary of Transportation.

#### “§ 110. Foreign vessel

“In this title, the term ‘foreign vessel’ means a vessel of foreign registry or operated under the authority of a foreign country.

#### “§ 111. Numbered vessel

“In this title, the term ‘numbered vessel’ means a vessel for which a number has been issued under chapter 123 of this title.

#### “§ 112. State

“In this title, the term ‘State’ means a State of the United States, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Northern Mariana Islands, and any other territory or possession of the United States.

#### “§ 113. Undocumented

“In this title, the term ‘undocumented’ means not having and not required to have a certificate of documentation issued under chapter 121 of this title.

#### “§ 114. United States

“In this title, the term ‘United States’, when used in a geographic sense, means the States of the United States, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, the Northern Mariana Islands, and any other territory or possession of the United States.

#### “§ 115. Vessel

“In this title, the term ‘vessel’ has the meaning given that term in section 3 of title 1.