

alongside each other and to make the compromises necessary to build a functioning government based on an inclusive constitution.

For the record, I opposed the Iraq war resolution, but I have resisted supporting an artificial deadline for withdrawing troops. I believe we need a plan that is designed to bring our troops home and make clear to the Islamic world that we harbor no ambitions for permanent bases, Iraqi oil revenues or any military occupation. But how we withdraw is as important as when we withdraw. This means giving the Iraqis time to form a permanent government and establish the means for international support. We must exercise deep care in the way our country withdraws because leaving a failed state in Iraq will deeply endanger our country.

We were led into war as a divided nation and today we are even more divided. That's why I led a letter last month to Defense Authorization conferees with my colleagues Rep. TOM OSBORNE (R-NE), Rep. ELLEN TAUSCHER (D-CA), and Rep. JOE SCHWARZ (R-MI) urging conferees to include language passed overwhelmingly in the Senate urging President Bush to outline his strategy for withdrawal from Iraq and to provide Members of Congress with quarterly reports on the progress of American operations in Iraq. We wrote this letter because we believe that a successful withdrawal from Iraq can only be helped if Congress and the Bush Administration work to bring unity at home.

It is in our national interest to show the greatest amount of unity possible to the American people, to the international community, and to the Iraqi people, who so bravely made their way to polling stations all over Iraq yesterday.

Sending a message of encouragement to the Iraqi people to build stable institutions based on democratic principles is important at this critical time. It is for this fundamental reason that I vote today in support of this resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY). Pursuant to House Resolution 619, the resolution is considered read and the previous question is ordered.

The question is on the resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on House Resolution 612 will be followed by 5-minute votes on motions to suspend the rules with respect to H. Res. 409; H. Res. 575; and H. Res. 534.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 279, nays 109, answered "present" 34, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 648]

YEAS—279

Aderholt	Beauprez	Blunt
Akin	Berkley	Boehler
Alexander	Berman	Boehner
Bachus	Berry	Bonilla
Baker	Biggart	Bonner
Barrow	Bilirakis	Bono
Bartlett (MD)	Bishop (GA)	Boozman
Bass	Bishop (UT)	Boren
Bean	Blackburn	Boswell

Boucher	Hall	Pearce
Boustany	Harris	Pence
Bradley (NH)	Hart	Peterson (MN)
Brady (TX)	Hastings (WA)	Peterson (PA)
Brown (SC)	Hayes	Petri
Brown-Waite,	Hayworth	Pickering
Ginny	Heffley	Pitts
Burgess	Hensarling	Platts
Burton (IN)	Herger	Poe
Buyer	Herseth	Pombo
Calvert	Higgins	Pomeroy
Camp (MI)	Hinojosa	Porter
Campbell (CA)	Hobson	Price (GA)
Cannon	Hoekstra	Pryce (OH)
Cantor	Holden	Putnam
Capito	Hostettler	Radanovich
Cardoza	Hulshof	Ramstad
Carnahan	Hunter	Regula
Carter	Inglis (SC)	Rehberg
Case	Israel	Reichert
Castle	Issa	Renzi
Chabot	Jefferson	Reyes
Chandler	Jenkins	Reynolds
Chocola	Jindal	Rogers (AL)
Coble	Johnson (CT)	Rogers (KY)
Cole (OK)	Johnson (IL)	Rogers (MI)
Conaway	Johnson, Sam	Rohrabacher
Cooper	Jones (NC)	Ros-Lehtinen
Costello	Keller	Ross
Cramer	Kelly	Royce
Crenshaw	Kennedy (MN)	Ruppersberger
Cubin	Kennedy (RI)	Ryan (WI)
Cuellar	Kind	Ryun (KS)
Culberson	King (IA)	Salazar
Davis (AL)	King (NY)	Saxton
Davis (CA)	Kingston	Schmidt
Davis (FL)	Kirk	Schwarz (MI)
Davis (KY)	Kline	Scott (GA)
Davis (TN)	Knollenberg	Sensenbrenner
Davis, Tom	Kolbe	Sessions
Deal (GA)	Kuhl (NY)	Shadegg
DeLay	Langevin	Shaw
Dent	Latham	Shays
Diaz-Balart, L.	LaTourette	Sherwood
Dicks	Lewis (CA)	Shimkus
Doolittle	Lewis (KY)	Shuster
Drake	Linder	Simmons
Dreier	Lipinski	Simpson
Duncan	LoBiondo	Skelton
Edwards	Lucas	Smith (NJ)
Ehlers	Lungren, Daniel	Smith (TX)
Emerson	E.	Smith (WA)
English (PA)	Mack	Snyder
Etheridge	Manzullo	Sodrel
Everett	Marchant	Souder
Feeney	Marshall	Spratt
Ferguson	Matheson	Stearns
Fitzpatrick (PA)	McCaul (TX)	Sullivan
Flake	McCotter	Tancredo
Foley	McCrery	Tanner
Forbes	McHenry	Taylor (MS)
Ford	McHugh	Taylor (NC)
Fortenberry	McIntyre	Terry
Fossella	McKeon	Thomas
Foxx	McMorris	Thornberry
Franks (AZ)	Melancon	Tiahrt
Frelinghuysen	Mica	Tiberi
Gallely	Miller (FL)	Turner
Garrett (NJ)	Miller (MI)	Udall (CO)
Gerlach	Miller, Gary	Upton
Gibbons	Moore (KS)	Walden (OR)
Gilchrest	Moran (KS)	Walsh
Gillmor	Murphy	Wamp
Gingrey	Musgrave	Weldon (FL)
Gohmert	Myrick	Weldon (PA)
Gonzalez	Neugebauer	Weller
Goode	Ney	Westmoreland
Goodlatte	Northup	Whitfield
Gordon	Norwood	Wicker
Granger	Nunes	Wilson (NM)
Graves	Nussle	Wilson (SC)
Green (WI)	Ortiz	Wolf
Green, Gene	Osborne	Young (AK)
Gutknecht	Otter	Young (FL)
Oxley		

NAYS—109

Abercrombie	Cardin	Doggett
Ackerman	Clay	Doyle
Allen	Cleaver	Evans
Baca	Clyburn	Farr
Baldwin	Conyers	Fattah
Becerra	Crowley	Filner
Blumenauer	Cummings	Frank (MA)
Brady (PA)	Davis (IL)	Green, Al
Brown (OH)	DeGette	Grijalva
Brown, Corrine	Delahunt	Gutierrez
Capps	DeLauro	Hastings (FL)
Capuano	Dingell	Hinchev

Holt	Miller (NC)	Schakowsky
Honda	Miller, George	Schwartz (PA)
Inslee	Mollohan	Scott (VA)
Jackson (IL)	Moore (WI)	Serrano
Jackson-Lee	Moran (VA)	Solis
(TX)	Murtha	Stark
Jones (OH)	Nadler	Strickland
Kanjorski	Neal (MA)	Stupak
Kildee	Oberstar	Thompson (MS)
Kilpatrick (MI)	Obey	Tierney
Kucinich	Olver	Towns
Larson (CT)	Pallone	Udall (NM)
Lee	Pascrell	Velazquez
Levin	Pastor	Visclosky
Lewis (GA)	Pelosi	Wasserman
Lynch	Price (NC)	Schultz
Markey	Rahall	Waters
McCollum (MN)	Rangel	Watson
McDermott	Rothman	Watt
McGovern	Roybal-Allard	Waxman
McKinney	Rush	Weimer
Meehan	Ryan (OH)	Weiler
Meeke (NY)	Sabo	Wexler
Menendez	Sanchez, Linda	Woolsey
Millender-	T.	Wu
McDonald	Sanders	Wynn

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—34

Andrews	Hoyer	Michaud
Baird	Johnson, E. B.	Owens
Bishop (NY)	Kaptur	Paul
Boyd	Lantos	Sanchez, Loretta
Butterfield	Larsen (WA)	Schiff
Carson	Leach	Sherman
DeFazio	Lofgren, Zoe	Slaughter
Emanuel	Lowe	Tauscher
Engel	Maloney	Thompson (CA)
Eshoo	Matsui	Van Hollen
Harman	McNulty	
Hooley	Meek (FL)	

NOT VOTING—11

Barrett (SC)	Hyde	Napolitano
Barton (TX)	Istook	Payne
Davis, Jo Ann	LaHood	Sweeney
Diaz-Balart, M.	McCarthy	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY) (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1442

Mr. CLYBURN changed his vote from "yea" to "nay".

Mr. BOEHLERT and Mr. FORD changed their votes from "nay" to "yea."

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. MEEK of Florida changed their votes from "nay" to "present."

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 4440. An act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax benefits for the Gulf Opportunity Zone and certain areas affected by Hurricanes Rita and Wilma, and for other purposes.

PRIVILEGED REPORT ON RESOLUTION OF INQUIRY TO THE PRESIDENT

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (during consideration of H. Res. 612), from the Committee on International Relations, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No.

109-351) on the resolution (H. Res. 549) requesting the President of the United States provide to the House of Representatives all documents in his possession relating to his October 7, 2002, speech in Cincinnati, Ohio, and his January 28, 2003, State of the Union address, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

CONDEMNING THE GOVERNMENT OF ZIMBABWE'S "OPERATION MURAMBATSVINA"

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 409, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. SMITH) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 409, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 421, nays 1, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 649]

YEAS—421

Abercrombie Cantor Emanuel
Ackerman Capito Emerson
Aderholt Capps Engel
Akin Capuano English (PA)
Alexander Cardin Eshoo
Allen Cardoza Etheridge
Andrews Carnahan Evans
Baca Carson Everett
Bachus Carter Farr
Baird Case Fattah
Baker Castle Feeney
Baldwin Chabot Ferguson
Barrow Chandler Filner
Bartlett (MD) Chocola Fitzpatrick (PA)
Bass Clay Flake
Bean Cleaver Foley
Beauprez Clyburn Forbes
Becerra Coble Ford
Berkley Cole (OK) Fortenberry
Berman Conaway Fossella
Berry Conyers Foxx
Biggert Cooper Frank (MA)
Bilirakis Costa Franks (AZ)
Bishop (GA) Costello Frelinghuysen
Bishop (NY) Cramer Gallegly
Bishop (UT) Crenshaw Garrett (NJ)
Blackburn Crowley Gerlach
Blumenauer Cubin Gibbons
Blunt Cuellar Gilchrest
Boehlert Culberson Gillmor
Boehner Cummings Gingrey
Bonilla Davis (AL) Gohmert
Bonner Davis (CA) Gonzalez
Bono Davis (FL) Goode
Boozman Davis (IL) Goodlatte
Boren Davis (KY) Gordon
Boswell Davis (TN) Granger
Boucher Davis, Tom Graves
Boustany Deal (GA) Green (WI)
Boyd DeFazio Green, Al
Bradley (NH) DeGette Green, Gene
Brady (PA) Delahunt Grijalva
Brady (TX) DeLauro Gutierrez
Brown (OH) DeLay Gutknecht
Brown (SC) Dent Hall
Brown, Corrine Diaz-Balart, L. Harman
Brown-Waite, Dicks Harris
Ginny Dingell Hart
Burgess Doggett Hastings (FL)
Burton (IN) Doolittle Hastings (WA)
Butterfield Doyle Hayes
Buyer Drake Hayworth
Calvert Dreier Hefley
Camp (MI) Duncan Hensarling
Campbell (CA) Edwards Hergert
Cannon Ehlers Herseth

Higgins McMorris
Hinchev McNulty
Hinojosa Meehan
Hobson Meek (FL)
Hoekstra Meeks (NY)
Holden Melancon
Holt Menendez
Honda Mica
Hookey Michaud
Hostettler Millender-
Hoyer McDonald
Hulshof Miller (FL)
Hunter Miller (MI)
Inglis (SC) Miller (NC)
Inslee Miller, Gary
Israel Miller, George
Issa Mollohan
Jackson (IL) Moore (KS)
Jackson-Lee Moore (WI)
(TX) Moran (KS)
Jefferson Moran (VA)
Jenkins Murphy
Jindal Murtha
Johnson (CT) Musgrave
Johnson (IL) Myrick
Johnson, E. B. Nadler
Johnson, Sam Neal (MA)
Jones (NC) Neugebauer
Jones (OH) Ney
Kanjorski Northup
Kaptur Norwood
Keller Nunes
Kelly Nussle
Kennedy (MN) Oberstar
Kennedy (RI) Obey
Kildee Oliver
Kilpatrick (MI) Ortiz
Kind Osborne
King (IA) Otter
King (NY) Owens
Kingston Oxley
Kirk Pallone
Kline Pascarell
Knollenberg Pastor
Kolbe Pearce
Kucinich Pelosi
Kuhl (NY) Pence
Langevin Peterson (MN)
Lantos Peterson (PA)
Larsen (WA) Petri
Larson (CT) Pickering
Latham Pitts
LaTourrette Platts
Leach Poe
Lee Pombo
Levin Pomeroy
Lewis (CA) Porter
Lewis (GA) Price (GA)
Lewis (KY) Price (NC)
Linder Pryce (OH)
Lipinski Putnam
LoBiondo Radanovich
Lofgren, Zoe Rahall
Lowey Ramstad
Lucas Rangel
Lungren, Daniel Regula
E. Rehberg
Lynch Reichert
Mack Renzi
Maloney Reyes
Manzullo Reynolds
Marchant Rogers (AL)
Markey Rogers (KY)
Marshall Rogers (MI)
Matheson Rohrabacher
Matsui Ros-Lehtinen
McCaul (TX) Ross
McCullum (MN) Rothman
McCotter Roybal-Allard
McCrery Royce
McDermott Ruppertsberger
McGovern Rush
McHenry Ryan (OH)
McHugh Ryan (WI)
McIntyre Ryun (KS)
McKeon Sabo
McKinney Salazar

NAYS—1

Paul

NOT VOTING—11

Barrett (SC) Hyde
Barton (TX) Istook
Davis, Jo Ann LaHood
Diaz-Balart, M. McCarthy

Sanchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sanders
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Mica
Schwartz (PA)
Schwarz (MI)
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Sessions
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Sherwood
Shimkus
Shuster
Simmons
Simpson
Myrick
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Sodrel
Solis
Souder
Spratt
Obey
Stark
Stearns
Strickland
Stupak
Sullivan
Tancredo
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor (MS)
Taylor (NC)
Terry
Thomas
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Townsend
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh
Wamp
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Weller
Westmoreland
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (SC)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Young (AK)
Young (FL)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY) (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1450

So (two-thirds of those voting having responded in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PROVIDING THAT HAMAS AND OTHER TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS SHOULD NOT PARTICIPATE IN ELECTIONS HELD BY PALESTINIAN AUTHORITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 575, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Florida (Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 575, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 397, nays 17, answered “present” 7, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 650]

YEAS—397

Ackerman Brown-Waite, Davis (KY)
Aderholt Ginny Davis (TN)
Akin Burgess Davis, Tom
Alexander Burton (IN) Deal (GA)
Allen Butterfield DeFazio
Andrews Buyer DeGette
Baca Calvert Delahunt
Bachus Camp (MI) DeLauro
Baird Campbell (CA) DeLay
Baker Cannon Dent
Baldwin Cantor Diaz-Balart, L.
Barrow Capito Dicks
Bartlett (MD) Capps Doggett
Bass Cardin Doyle
Bean Cardoza Drake
Beauprez Carnahan Dreier
Berkley Carson Duncan
Berman Carter Edwards
Berry Case Ehlers
Biggert Castle Emanuel
Bilirakis Chabot Emerson
Chandler Engel
Bishop (GA) Chocola English (PA)
Bishop (NY) Clay Eshoo
Bishop (UT) Cleaver Etheridge
Blackburn Clyburn Evans
Blunt Coble Everett
Boehlert Cole (OK) Farr
Boehner Conaway Fattah
Bonilla Conyers Feeney
Bonner Cooper Ferguson
Bono Costa Filner
Boozman Costello Fitzpatrick (PA)
Boren Cramer Flake
Boswell Crenshaw Foley
Boucher Crowley Forbes
Boustany Cubin Ford
Boyd Cuellar Fortenberry
Bradley (NH) Culberson Fossella
Brady (PA) Cummings Foxx
Brady (TX) Davis (AL) Frank (MA)
Brown (OH) Davis (CA) Franks (AZ)
Brown (SC) Davis (FL) Frelinghuysen
Brown, Corrine Davis (IL) Gallegly