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PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. FATTAH. Mr. Speaker, had I been present for the vote on H. Res. 1088 and H. Res. 1091, I would have voted "yea."

REQUIRING SECRETARY OF DE-FENSE TO SUBMIT ANNUAL RE-PORT ON CONGRESSIONAL INI-TIATIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 6375.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. HUNTER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 6375, 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 70, nays 330, not voting 32, as follows:

[Roll No. 535]

YEAS-70

Gilchrest Barrett (SC) Pence Gingrey Pitts Barrow Gohmert Green (WI) Bilbray Platts Blackburn Poe Bradley (NH) Price (GA) Hall Brown-Waite, Hayworth Ramstad Ginny Reichert Hensarling Campbell (CA) Rogers (MI) Hoekstra Hunter Rohrabacher Capito Inglis (SC) Castle Royce Ryan (WI) Chocola Jindal Coble Johnson (IL) Ryun (KS) Kennedy (MN) Cooper Schmidt King (IA) Sensenbrenner Davis, Tom Leach Linder Deal (GA) Sessions Shadegg Dent Duncan McHenry Shaw Feeney Fitzpatrick (PA) McMorris Shavs Rodgers Simmons Flake Miller (MI) Souder Fossella. Moran (KS) Stearns Tiberi Foxx Musgrave Franks (AZ) Neugebauer Westmoreland Garrett (NJ) Nussle Wolf

NAYS—330

Abercrombie Brown, Corrine DeFazio Ackerman Burgess DeGette Butterfield Delahunt Aderholt DeLauro Diaz-Balart, L. Akin Buyer Alexander Calvert Allen Camp (MI) Diaz-Balart, M. Andrews Cannon Dicks Dingell Baca Cantor Bachus Capps Doggett Baird Capuano Doolittle Baldwin Cardin Dovle Bartlett (MD) Cardoza Drake Barton (TX) Carnahan Dreier Edwards Bass Carson Bean Carter Ehlers Beauprez Case Emanuel Becerra Chabot Emerson Berman Chandler Engel English (PA) Berry Clay Bilirakis Cleaver Eshoo Bishop (GA) Clyburn Etheridge Cole (OK) Bishop (NY) Everett Bishop (UT) Farr Conaway Boehlert Costa Costello Ferguson Bonilla. Filner Bonner Cramer Forbes Bono Crenshaw Fortenberry Frank (MA) Boozman Crowley Boren Cuellar Frelinghuysen Boswell Culberson Gerlach Boucher Cummings Gonzalez Boustany Davis (AL) Goode Boyd Davis (CA) Goodlatte Brady (PA) Davis (FL) Gordon Brady (TX) Davis (IL) Granger Brown (OH) Davis (KY) Graves Green, Al Brown (SC) Davis (TN)

Ryan (OH) Grijalva Markey Marshall Gutierrez Sabo Gutknecht Matheson Salazar Matsui Harman Sánchez, Linda McCarthy Harric McCaul (TX) Sanchez Loretta Hart Hastings (FL) McCollum (MN) Sanders Hastings (WA) McCotter Saxton McDermott Haves Schakowsky McGovern Hefley Schiff Schwartz (PA) Herger McHugh McIntyre Herseth Schwarz (MI) McKeon Higgins Scott (GA) Hinchev McNulty Scott (VA) Meehan Hinojosa Sekula Gibbs Meek (FL) Serrano Holden Meeks (NY) Sherman Holt Melancon Sherwood Honda Shimkus Michaud Hooley Shuster Hostettler Millender-Simpson McDonald Sires Skelton Hulshof Miller (FL) Miller (NC) Hyde Slaughter Inslee Miller, George Smith (NJ) Israel Mollohan Smith (TX) Moore (KS) Issa Smith (WA) Istook Moore (WI) Snyder Jackson (IL) Moran (VA) Sodrel Jackson-Lee Murphy Solis (TX) Murtha Spratt Jenkins Myrick Stark Johnson (CT) Nadler Stupak Johnson, E. B. Napolitano Sullivan Neal (MA) Johnson, Sam Tanner Northup Jones (OH) Tauscher Kanjorski Nunes Taylor (MS) Oberstar Kaptur Terry Keller Obey Thomas Kelly Olver Thompson (CA) Kennedy (RI) Ortiz Thompson (MS) Kildee Osborne Thornberry Kilpatrick (MI) Owens Tiahrt Pallone Kind Tierney King (NY) Pascrell Towns Turner Kingston Pastor Kirk Payne Udall (CO) Pearce Kline Udall (NM) Knollenberg Pelosi Upton Peterson (MN) Kucinich Van Hollen Kuhl (NY) Peterson (PA) Velázquez LaHood Petri Visclosky Langevin Pickering Walden (OR) Lantos Pombo Walsh Larsen (WA) Pomeroy Wamp Larson (CT) Porter Price (NC) Wasserman Latham LaTourette Schultz Pryce (OH) Watt Putnam Lee Waxman Radanovich Levin Lewis (CA) Weiner Rahall Weldon (FL) Lewis (GA) Rangel Weldon (PA) Lewis (KY) Regula Rehberg Weller Lipinski LoBiondo Renzi Wexler Whitfield Lofgren, Zoe Reves Reynolds Wicker Lowey Wilson (NM) Lucas Rogers (AL) Lungren, Daniel Rogers (KY) Ros-Lehtinen Wilson (SC) E. Woolsey Lynch Ross Wu Rothman Mack Wvnn Maloney Roybal-Allard Young (AK) Manzullo Ruppersberger Young (FL)

NOT VOTING-32

Baker Fattah Norwood Berkley Ford Gallegly Otter Biggert Oxlev Blumenauer Gibbons Paul Blunt Gillmor Strickland Boehner Jefferson Sweeney Burton (IN) Jones (NC) Tancredo Convers Kolbe Taylor (NC) Cubin McCrery Waters Davis, Jo Ann McKinney Watson Evans Miller, Gary

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE
The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

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Mr. MORAN of Kansas changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds of those voting having not responded in the affirmative) the motion was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. NORWOOD. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 535, requiring the Secretary of Defense to submit to Congress an annual report and to provide notice to the public on congressional initiatives in funds authorized or made available to the Department of Defense, had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 6136

Mr. ENGEL. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to remove my name as a co-sponsor of the bill, H.R. 6136.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PRO-VIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 102, FURTHER CON-TINUING APPROPRIATIONS, FIS-CAL YEAR 2007

Mr. PUTNAM, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 109–727) on the resolution (H. Res. 1105) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 102) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2007, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

RESIGNATION FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following resignation from the House of Representa-

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,

House of Representatives, Washington, DC, December 4, 2006.

Hon. Dennis Hastert,

Speaker, House of Representatives,

Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: On November 7, 2006, I received the great privilege of being elected Governor of the State of Nevada. Although Dean Heller was elected and will succeed me as the representative of the Second Congressional District of Nevada, under Nevada law I must formally resign my Congressional office prior to taking office as Governor. I have advised the current Governor of the State of Nevada of such resignation and hereby inform you of my formal resignation as the representative of the Second Congressional District of Nevada to be effective at the close of business on December 31, 2006

of business on December 31, 2006. It has been an honor and pleasure representing the Great State of Nevada in Congress over the past 10 years, and I look forward to continuing that service as Governor.

Sincerely.

 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm JIM~GIBBONS}, \\ {\it Member~of~Congress}. \end{array}$

DECEMBER 4, 2006.

Hon. Kenny Guinn, Governor, State of Nevada, Carson, City, NV.

DEAR GOVERNOR GUINN: On November 7, 2006, I received the great privilege of being