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## AGRICULTURE RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2008—Continued

AMENDMENT NO. 1 OFFERED BY MR. SESSIONS

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. SESSIONS) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 168, noes 254, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 803]

AYES—168

Aderholt
Akin
Alexander
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Chabot
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Cubin
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Doolittle
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Ehlers
Everett
Fallin
Feeney
Flake
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Fossella
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Garrett (NJ)
Gillmor
Gingrey
Gohmert
Goode
Goodlatte
Granger
Graves
Hall (TX)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hulshof
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Knollenberg
Lamborn
Lewis (CA)
Linder
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Manzullo
Marchant
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McCrery
McHenry
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Musgrave
Myrick
Neugebauer
Nunes
Paul
Pearce
Pence
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pickering
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Ramstad
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reynolds
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (NE)
Smith (TX)
Souder
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Turner
Upton
Walberg
Walden (OR)
Wamp
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (SC)
Young (FL)

NOES—254

Ackerman
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown, Corrine
Butterfield
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doyle
Edwards
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Frank (MA)
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gonzalez
Gordon
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McDermott
McHugh
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Nadler
Napolitano
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Reyes
Rodriguez
Roskam
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuler
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Wexler
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—15

Abercrombie
Clarke
Costello
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Ellison
Faleomavaega
Gutierrez
Hastert
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy
McGovern
Neal (MA)
Schwartz
Young (AK)

□ 2139

Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. CARSON, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. GRIJALVA and Mr. NADLER changed their vote from ''aye'' to ''no.''



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Mr. BRADY of Texas and Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida changed their vote from ''no'' to ''aye.''

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. ELLISON. Madam Speaker, on August 2nd I inadvertently failed to vote on Sessions amendment to H.R. 3161 (rollcall No. 803). Had I voted, I would have voted "no."

AMENDMENT NO. 3 OFFERED BY MR. HENSARLING

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. HENSARLING) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 90, noes 337, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 804]

AYES—90

Akin
Bachmann
Bachus
Barrett (SC)
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bilbray
Blackburn
Boehner
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Chabot
Conaway
Culberson
Davis, David
Deal (GA)
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Fortuño
Fossella
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Granger
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hoekstra
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jordan
Keller
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Manzullo
Marchant
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Myrick
Nunes
Paul
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Ramstad
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Smith (TX)
Sullivan
Tancredo
Taylor
Terry
Tiahrt
Walberg
Weldon (FL)
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—337

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Blumenauer
Blunt
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buchanan
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Coble
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dent
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Everett
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gohmert
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hall (TX)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hobson
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hunter
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Jindal
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (CA)
McCarthy (NY)
McCaul (TX)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry
McHugh
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Mica
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Musgrave
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pearce
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuler
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Souder
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weller
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—10

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Giffords
Gordon
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy
Pickering
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members have 1 minute to vote.

□ 2143

Mr. FORBES changed his vote from ''aye'' to ''no.''

Mr. SHAYS changed his vote from ''no'' to ''aye.''

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 4 OFFERED BY HENSARLING

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. HENSARLING) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 66, noes 360, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 805]

AYES—66

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Bilbray
Blackburn
Boehner
Broun (GA)
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buyer
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Chabot
Coble
Culberson
Deal (GA)
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Ehlers
Feeney
Flake
Fossella
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Gohmert
Hall (TX)
Hensarling
Inglis (SC)
Jordan
Keller
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Mack
Marchant
McCarthy (CA)
McKeon
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Myrick
Paul
Pence
Petri
Poe
Price (GA)
Putnam
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Sullivan
Tancredo
Taylor
Weldon (FL)
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—360

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Biggert
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blunt
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Carter
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro

Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Edwards
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Everett
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastert
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Herger
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hobson
Hodes
Hoekstra
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hunter
Inslee
Israel
Issa
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Jindal
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel E.
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Manzullo
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCaul (TX)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry
McIntyre
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Mica
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Musgrave
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Nunes
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pearce
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Pitts
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Radanovich
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuler
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Souder
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Terry
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walberg
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weller
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—11

Bishop (UT)
Blumenauer
Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Hirono
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy
McHugh
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members are advised there is 1 minute remaining in this vote.

□ 2148

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida changed his vote from ''aye'' to ''no.''

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. MCHUGH. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 805 I was detained off the floor on a matter involving the Intelligence Committee. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

Mrs. DRAKE. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 805 I am reported as voting "yes"—It was my intention to vote "no."

AMENDMENT NO. 5 OFFERED BY MR. KINGSTON

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. KINGSTON) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 146, noes 283, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 806]

AYES—146

Alexander
Andrews
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Bean
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Boustany
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Burgess
Butterfield
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Christensen
Clyburn
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Cubin
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Deal (GA)
DeGette
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dingell
Doolittle
Drake
Dreier
Ellsworth
Eshoo
Etheridge
Fallin
Feeney
Ferguson
Fossella
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Gingrey
Gohmert
Graves
Hall (TX)
Hastert
Hayes
Herger
Hill
Hobson
Hoekstra
Holt
Honda
Hulshof
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jefferson
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (OH)
Jordan
King (NY)
Kline (MN)
Knollenberg
Lamborn
Latham
Lewis (KY)
LoBiondo
Lofgren, Zoe
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel E.
Marchant
Matheson
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McCotter
McCrery
McHenry
McIntyre
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Murphy, Patrick
Myrick
Nunes
Pascrell
Pearce
Pence
Pitts
Price (GA)
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Reynolds
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Rothman
Rush
Sali
Saxton
Schmidt
Scott (GA)
Sessions
Sestak
Shimkus
Shuler
Shuster
Sires
Smith (NE)
Smith (WA)
Souder
Sullivan
Tanner
Terry
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tiahrt
Turner
Udall (CO)
Upton
Walberg
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Watt
Waxman
Weller
Whitfield
Wilson (SC)
Young (FL)

NOES—283

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Akin
Allen
Altmire
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Buchanan
Burton (IN)
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chabot
Chandler
Clay
Cleaver
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dicks
Doggett
Donnelly
Doyle
Duncan
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Everett
Farr
Fattah
Filner
Flake
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Foxx
Frank (MA)
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Heller
Hensarling
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Holden
Hooley
Hoyer
Hunter
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jindal
Johnson (GA)
Jones (NC)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Keller
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (IA)
Kingston
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Linder
Lipinski
Loebsack
Lowey
Lynch
Mack
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Manzullo
Markey
Marshall
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McDermott
McGovern
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
McNulty
Mica
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Musgrave
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pickering
Platts
Poe
Pomeroy
Porter
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rohrabacher
Ross
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Ruppersberger
Ryan (OH)
Ryan (WI)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (VA)
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Shadegg
Shays
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Simpson
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Snyder
Solis
Space

Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Stupak
Sutton
Tancredo
Tauscher
Taylor
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weldon (FL)
Westmoreland
Wexler
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—8

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy
McHugh
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members are advised there is 1 minute remaining in this vote.

□ 2152

Messrs. SESTAK, COLE of Oklahoma, and WALBERG changed their vote from ''no'' to ''aye.''

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 806, I inadvertently voted "no" while I intended to vote "aye."

Stated against:

Mr. COLE of Oklahoma. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 806, I inadvertently voted "aye." I meant to vote "no."

Mr. MCHUGH. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 806, I was detained off the floor on a matter involving the Intelligence Committee. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

AMENDMENT NO. 6 OFFERED BY MR. KINGSTON

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. KINGSTON) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 152, noes 278, not voting 7, as follows:

[Roll No. 807]

AYES—152

Aderholt
Akin
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Chabot
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Cubin
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Dent
Doolittle
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Ehlers
Everett
Fallin
Feeney
Flake
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Garrett (NJ)
Gillmor
Gingrey
Gohmert
Goode
Goodlatte
Granger
Graves
Hall (TX)
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hulshof
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Jones (NC)
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Knollenberg
Lamborn
Latham
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Manzullo
Marchant
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McCrery
McHenry
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Musgrave
Myrick
Neugebauer
Nunes
Paul
Pearce
Pence
Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Pitts
Platts
Poe
Price (GA)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Ramstad
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Royce
Sali
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shuster
Smith (NE)
Smith (TX)
Souder
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Walberg
Wamp
Weldon (FL)
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (SC)
Wolf
Young (FL)

NOES—278

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Biggert
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Butterfield
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doyle
Edwards
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Fortuño
Fossella
Frank (MA)
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gonzalez
Gordon
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (NY)
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McDermott
McGovern
McHugh
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Ryan (WI)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shays
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuler
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weller
Wexler
Wilson (OH)
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—7

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Kennedy
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members have 1 minute remaining in this vote.

□ 2156

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida changed his vote from ''aye'' to ''no.''

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. KENNEDY. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall Nos. 803–807, I missed votes due to my pager malfunction. Had I been present, I would have voted "no" on each of them.

AMENDMENT NO. 7 OFFERED BY MR. JORDAN OF OHIO

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. JORDAN) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 146, noes 284, not voting 7, as follows:

[Roll No. 808]

AYES—146

Aderholt
Akin
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Chabot
Coble
Cole (OK)

Conaway
Cubin
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
English (PA)
Everett
Feeney
Flake
Fortuño
Fossella
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Gallegly
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Gohmert
Goode
Goodlatte
Granger
Hall (TX)
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hoekstra
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jones (NC)
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Mahoney (FL)
Manzullo
Marchant
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McCotter
McCrery
McHenry
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Murphy, Patrick
Myrick
Nunes
Paul
Pearce
Pence
Petri
Pickering
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Putnam
Radanovich
Ramstad
Reynolds
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Shimkus
Shuster
Smith (NE)
Smith (TX)
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Taylor
Terry
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Upton
Walberg
Wamp
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (SC)

NOES—284

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Butterfield
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dent
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
Eshoo
Etheridge
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gonzalez
Gordon
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hobson
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Jindal
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (NY)
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lynch
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McDermott
McGovern
McHugh
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Musgrave
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Souder
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Wexler
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—7

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Wasserman Schultz
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members have 1 minute to vote.

□ 2159

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 8 OFFERED BY MR. FLAKE

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 74, noes 357, not voting 6, as follows:

[Roll No. 809]

AYES—74

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Bean
Biggert
Bilirakis
Blackburn
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Burgess
Buyer
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Chabot
Coble
Conaway
Cooper
Davis, David
Deal (GA)
Dreier
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Fossella
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gillmor
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jordan
Keller
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Linder
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Matheson
McCarthy (CA)
Mica
Miller (FL)
Myrick
Nunes
Pearce
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Ramstad
Rohrabacher
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Shuster
Smith (NE)
Souder
Stearns
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Upton
Walberg
Weldon (FL)
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—357

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bilbray
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Blumenauer
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Burton (IN)
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Cantor
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Carter
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conyers
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Drake
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Everett
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Foxx
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gingrey
Gohmert
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hall (TX)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Herger
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hobson
Hodes
Hoekstra
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Jindal
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Manzullo
Marchant
Markey
Marshall
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCaul (TX)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry
McHugh
McIntyre
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Musgrave
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)

Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shays
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sullivan
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weller
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—6

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members have 1 minute remaining to vote.

□ 2203

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 9 OFFERED BY MR. FLAKE

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 76, noes 353, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 810]

AYES—76

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Barrow
Barton (TX)
Bean
Biggert
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Burgess
Buyer
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Castle
Chabot
Coble
Cooper
Davis, David
Deal (GA)
Dreier
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Gohmert
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Jordan
King (IA)
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Linder
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Marshall
Matheson
Miller (FL)
Musgrave
Myrick
Pearce
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Ramstad
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Smith (NE)
Souder
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Walberg
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—353

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Bartlett (MD)
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bilbray
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Burton (IN)
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Carter
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Conyers
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Drake
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Everett
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Fossella
Foxx
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hall (TX)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Herger
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hobson
Hodes
Hoekstra
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hunter
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Keller
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (NY)
Kingston
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Manzullo
Marchant
Markey
Matsui
McCarthy (CA)
McCarthy (NY)
McCaul (TX)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry
McHugh
McIntyre
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Mica
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Nunes
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shays
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—8

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Murphy (CT)
Nadler
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members have 1 minute to vote.

□ 2206

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 10 OFFERED BY MR. FLAKE

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 94, noes 337, not voting 6, as follows:

[Roll No. 811]

AYES—94

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Boehner
Broun (GA)
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Carter
Castle
Chabot
Conaway
Cooper
Deal (GA)
Doggett
Dreier
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Fossella
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Hall (TX)
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hobson
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Linder
Mack
Manzullo
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McHenry
McKeon
Mica
Miller (FL)
Musgrave
Myrick
Neugebauer
Nunes
Pearce
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Platts

Poe
Price (GA)
Pryce (OH)
Ramstad
Reynolds
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Smith (NE)
Souder
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Tiberi
Upton
Walberg
Westmoreland
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (SC)
Young (FL)

NOES—337

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Blunt
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Buchanan
Butterfield
Calvert
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Coble
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conyers
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Lincoln
Davis, Tom
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Donnelly
Doolittle
Doyle
Drake
Edwards
Ehlers
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Everett
Fallin
Farr
Fattah
Ferguson
Filner
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fortuño
Foxx
Frank (MA)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gohmert
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Graves
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Hoekstra
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Hulshof
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
King (NY)
Kingston
Kirk
Klein (FL)
Knollenberg
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel E.
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Marchant
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHugh
McIntyre
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Norton
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Putnam
Radanovich
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Rodriguez
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shays
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tiahrt
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—6

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN. Members have less than 1 minute remaining.

□ 2209

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

(By unanimous consent, Mr. ELLISON was allowed to speak out of order.)

CONCERNING THE MINNESOTA BRIDGE COLLAPSE TRAGEDY

Mr. ELLISON. Mr. Chairman, on behalf of all the Members of the Minnesota delegation, including our esteemed Chairman JIM OBERSTAR, JIM RAMSTAD, COLLIN PETERSON, BETTY MCCOLLUM, Congressman KLINE, Congressman BACHMANN and Congressman WALZ, I would simply like to share with the body that we now know the identities of four of the members of our community in Minnesota who were lost at the collapsed bridge. Those individuals include Sheri Lou Engebrelson of Shoreview, Minnesota; Julia Blackhawk of Savage, Minnesota; Patricia Holmes of Mounds View, Minnesota; and Artemo Trinidad Mena of Minneapolis, Minnesota. Eight of our fellow community members remain missing and are presumed to be lost and remain in submerged vehicles in the Mississippi River.

This morning, I was able to accompany Secretary of Transportation Peters, along with Senators KLOBUCHAR and COLEMAN, where we met Mayor R.T. Rybak and Governor Pawlenty and many other responsive elected officials. And there, Members, I did see, no doubt, a collapsed bridge spanning about 2,000 feet, which fell 64 feet into the Mississippi River. I saw vehicles that had been crushed. I also saw, not just devastation, but true heroism, Mr. Chairman, people who ran without any thought of their own safety to try to rescue people who had fallen into the Mississippi, rescue workers, first responders who, without any regard to their safety, came to the aid of their fellow community members. I saw unity of purpose, Mr. Chairman, and I saw responsive government meeting the needs of its people.

I also saw members of the community who were looking in need of aid and assistance of their fellow members of the community.

Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask that the Committee observe a moment of silence for those who we have lost, those who are suffering from injury, and the entire community which is struggling to recover at this time.

The CHAIRMAN. All Members will rise and we will observe a moment of silence.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN. Without objection, 2-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

AMENDMENT NO. 11 OFFERED BY MR. FLAKE

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 74, noes 355, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 812]

AYES—74

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Burgess
Buyer
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Chabot
Coble
Cooper
Davis, David
Deal (GA)
Dreier
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Fossella
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gerlach
Gingrey
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Jordan
Keller
Kline (MN)
Lamborn
Linder
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
McHenry
Mica
Miller (FL)
Myrick
Pearce
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Platts
Poe
Price (GA)
Ramstad
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Souder
Stearns
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Upton
Walberg
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—355

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Bordallo
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Burton (IN)
Butterfield

Calvert
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Carter
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Christensen
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Conyers
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
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Green, Gene
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Hall (NY)
Hall (TX)
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Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
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McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
McNerney
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Meek (FL)
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Miller (MI)
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Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Mitchell
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Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Murtha
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Nadler
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Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Norton
Nunes
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Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
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Pastor
Paul
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Pickering
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Price (NC)
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Roybal-Allard
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Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
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Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
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Taylor
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Welch (VT)
Weldon (FL)
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Wilson (NM)
Wilson (OH)
Wolf
Woolsey
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Wynn
Yarmuth
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—8

Bilbray
Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Faleomavaega
Johnson, Sam
Sullivan
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members are advised 1 minute remains in this vote.

□ 2217

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 12 OFFERED BY MR. FLAKE

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 68, noes 363, not voting 6, as follows:

[Roll No. 813]

AYES—68

Akin
Bachmann
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Bean
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Broun (GA)
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Chabot
Conaway
Cooper
Deal (GA)
Duncan
Feeney
Flake
Fossella
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gingrey
Hastert
Heller
Hensarling
Inglis (SC)
Jindal
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
Kline (MN)
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LoBiondo
Mack
Matheson
McCaul (TX)
Mica
Miller (FL)
Myrick
Pence
Petri
Pitts
Poe
Price (GA)
Ramstad
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Saxton
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Stearns
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Westmoreland
Wilson (SC)

NOES—363

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Alexander
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
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Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blumenauer
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Bonner
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Boozman
Bordallo
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Boswell
Boucher
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Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buchanan
Butterfield
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Camp (MI)
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Miller, George
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Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
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Olver
Ortiz
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Pascrell
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Pearce
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
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Platts
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
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Reichert
Renzi
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Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
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Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
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Scott (VA)
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Shea-Porter
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Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Souder
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walberg
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
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| Wicker | Woolsey | Young (FL) |

NOT VOTING—6

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| Crenshaw | Faleomavaega | Young (AK) |

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN (during the vote). Members are advised less than 1 minute remains in this vote.

□ 2221

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The CHAIRMAN. There being no further amendments, under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. MCNULTY) having assumed the chair, Mr. BECERRA, chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, reported that that committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 3161) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 599, he reported the bill, as amended by that resolution, back to the House with sundry further amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any further amendment reported from the Committee of the Whole? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT OFFERED BY MR. LEWIS OF CALIFORNIA

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentleman opposed to the bill?

Mr. LEWIS of California. In its present form, I am.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. LEWIS of California moves to recommit the bill, H.R. 3161, to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back to the House promptly with an amendment that:

(1) Prohibits any funds in the act (including grant funds) from being used to employ an alien who is not authorized to be employed in the United States; and

(2) Prohibits any funds in the act for rental housing assistance programs to provide assistance to an alien not authorized to receive such assistance pursuant to 213A of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from California is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, before going to the business at hand, let me say to my colleagues that that moment of silence earlier was something that each of us should take home with us in our hearts this evening. That which has happened in Minnesota is an obvious tragedy to the people affected, those who lost their lives, those who were injured, and, indeed, those we don't know about.

In turn, it is a reflection of the reality that across the country we have infrastructure exactly like that in Minnesota that we should all try to raise in terms of the priority of our attention. Indeed, that kind of crisis will come again, and we need to pay attention to it soon.

Mr. Speaker, with that, this motion to recommit would send the bill back to the committee and report the bill back promptly with an amendment that prohibits any funds in this act from being used to employ a person who is not authorized to be employed in this country and prohibits funds from being used for rental housing assistance to a person who is not authorized to receive such assistance.

There is nothing, Mr. Speaker, there is nothing dilatory about this motion. This is not a political piece of chicanery. It only requires that funds in this act be implemented in accordance with the current law and to ensure that sufficient diligence be employed by the USDA and its partners to ensure that these current requirements are followed.

Mr. Speaker, we cannot afford to be allocating funds and subsidizing individuals who are not in our country legally.

Similar amendments have been adopted in several appropriations bills passed by the House this year. Had there been regular order on this bill, I am sure they would have been adopted on this bill as well, that is, those individuals who would suggest that we should not have people who are not legally in this country being subsidized.

Now, you are going to hear from my friends on the other side of the aisle that this will kill the bill. That is absolutely not the case. As has been demonstrated by their actions today, they can go to committee, pass these amendments, and then waive procedural issues to bring this bill back to the floor tomorrow.

Mr. Speaker, I urge all Members to vote ''aye'' on this motion to recommit.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Ms. DELAURO. Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to the motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman from Connecticut is recognized for 5 minutes.

Ms. DELAURO. Mr. Speaker, I rise to oppose this motion for several reasons, not the least of which is that it derails the bill. There is one word in this motion, ''promptly,'' which, as my colleagues know, takes the bill from the floor without reaching the question of passage.

Let me also add a critical point and be very clear: There are no funds in this bill which would authorize any actions for illegal aliens; not for rural housing, not for employment, not for any of the activities funded under this bill.

The President today accused the Congress of stalling on appropriations bills, yet that is exactly what you are doing with this motion. You are adding to the delay with a motion that means nothing.

As I have said earlier today during debate, this bill is the product of good, bipartisan cooperation and the result of many, many months of hard work; from hearings, to the subcommittee mark and up through the full committee. This bill strengthens rural America, it protects our public health, it improves nutrition in this Nation, it transforms our energy future, it supports conservation, it invests in research and it enhances all of society. We have every reason to move forward on this bill tonight.

Let me take the time to say thank you to the chair of the committee, Mr. OBEY; yes, to the ranking member, Mr. LEWIS; to the subcommittee ranking member, Mr. KINGSTON; to the staff, Martha Foley, Leslie Barrack, Diem-Linh Jones, Adrienne Simonson, Kelly Wade, Brian Ronholm, Ashley Turton, Leticia Mederos; on the Republican side, Martin Delgado, David Gibbons, Jamie Swafford, Merritt Myers, Meg Gilley; and on our side again, Rob Nabors, John Daniel, David Reich, Lesley Turner. They did incredible work to make sure that this bill got passed.

□ 2230

Let me just say to you now that I have had a lot of Members who have come up to tell me that they will vote for whichever side stops talking first. So with that, I end my remarks. Defeat this motion to recommit and pass this bill.

Mr. Chairman, I yield back the balance of my time.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRIES

Mr. BARTON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman may state his parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. BARTON of Texas. Is the vote that is about to occur a 15-minute vote or a 5-minute vote?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. It will be a 15-minute vote.

Mr. BARTON of Texas. Further parliamentary inquiry. Would it be in order to ask a unanimous consent request to make it a 5-minute vote?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair cannot entertain that request without proper notice. Proper notice has not been given.

Mr. BARTON of Texas. Further parliamentary inquiry. What would constitute proper notice?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. All Members would have to be given adequate notice.

Mr. BARTON of Texas. I'm sorry, Mr. Speaker, I couldn't hear the answer. I am not being dilatory.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Member may consult the leadership on standards of adequate notice.

Mr. BILBRAY. Parliamentary inquiry, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman may state his inquiry.

Mr. BILBRAY. The most gracious gentlelady from Connecticut pointed out that the gentleman from California had cooperated here. Is there any reason that the gentlelady from Connecticut or the majority could accept the amendment and bring it back tomorrow morning at 9 a.m. so the American people could be assured that illegal aliens would not get this benefit, as the gentlelady from Connecticut has assured us?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has recently addressed this. It is further in Deschler's Precedents, volume 7, chapter 23, section 32.25.

Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the motion to recommit.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to recommit.

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

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX, the Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the minimum time for any electronic vote on the question of passage.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 212, nays 216, not voting 5, as follows:

[Roll No. 814]

YEAS—212

Aderholt
Akin
Alexander
Altmire
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Bean
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Boren
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Capito
Carney
Carter
Castle
Chabot
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Cubin
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Dent
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Doolittle
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Ehlers
Ellsworth
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English (PA)
Everett
Fallin
Feeney
Ferguson
Flake
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fossella
Foxx
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Garrett (NJ)
Gerlach
Giffords
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Goodlatte
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Graves
Hall (TX)
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
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Hensarling
Herger
Hill
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hulshof
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
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Jindal
Johnson (IL)
Jones (NC)
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
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Kingston
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Kuhl (NY)
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NAYS—216

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Andrews
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Baldwin
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Berkley
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Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
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Boyda (KS)
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Peterson (MN)
Pomeroy
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Reyes
Rodriguez
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz (MN)
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Wexler
Wilson (OH)
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—5

Clarke
Crenshaw
Davis, Jo Ann
Johnson, Sam
Young (AK)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised they have 2 minutes in which to vote on the motion to recommit.

□ 2301

Messrs. SPACE, LAMPSON, MITCHELL, McNERNEY and Mrs. GILLIBRAND changed their vote from ''yea'' to ''nay.''

Ms. BEAN, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida and Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida changed their vote from ''nay'' to ''yea.''

The SPEAKER pro tempore. On this vote the yeas are 214, the nays are 214. The motion is not agreed to.

The Chair recognizes the majority leader.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to vacate the vote that we have just taken.

Mr. BOEHNER. I object.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Objection is heard.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I move to reconsider the vote by which the previous vote was taken.

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair first will announce the result. The Chair prematurely announced that the motion was rejected on a tie vote of 214–214. After the cards already submitted in the well were entered in the computer, the result was the same, albeit by a different total, 212–216. The motion is not adopted.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Maryland.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I move to reconsider the vote by which the previous motion to recommit failed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion.

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

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX this will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 238, noes 12, answered ''present'' 55, not voting 127, as follows:

[Roll No. 815]

YEAS—238

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Bean
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown, Corrine
Butterfield
Capps
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doyle
Edwards
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Engel
Eshoo
Etheridge
Farr
Fattah
Feeney
Frank (MA)
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gonzalez
Goode
Gordon
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
Kingston
Klein (FL)
Kucinich
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McDermott
McGovern
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Michaud
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pomeroy
Price (NC)
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Reyes
Rodriguez
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Rothman
Roybal-Allard
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Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz (MN)
Wamp
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Weldon (FL)
Wexler
Whitfield
Wilson (OH)
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NAYS—12

Arcuri
Bartlett (MD)
Capuano
Dreier
Duncan
Filner
Fossella
Hastert
Johnson (IL)
Nunes
Pascrell
Shays

ANSWERED ''PRESENT''—55

Alexander
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Camp (MI)
Chabot
Coble
Cubin
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Dent
Ehlers
Emerson
English (PA)
Everett
Flake
Foxx
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Gerlach
Gillmor
Gingrey
Goodlatte
Graves
Hall (TX)
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Jindal
Kirk
Knollenberg
Kuhl (NY)
Latham
Lungren, Daniel E.
Marchant
McCotter
McCrery
McHugh
Murphy, Tim
Pence
Platts
Poe
Porter
Price (GA)
Regula
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Stearns
Tiahrt
Upton
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—127

Aderholt
Akin
Bachmann
Bachus
Baker
Barrett (SC)
Barton (TX)
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Brown-Waite, Ginny
Buchanan
Burgess
Calvert
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Capito
Carter
Clarke
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Crenshaw
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Jo Ann
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Doolittle
Drake
Fallin
Ferguson
Forbes
Fortenberry
Franks (AZ)
Garrett (NJ)
Gohmert
Granger
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hulshof
Hunter
Johnson, Sam
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kline (MN)
LaHood
Lamborn
LaTourette
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lucas
Mack
Manzullo
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul (TX)
McHenry
McKeon
McMorris Rodgers
Melancon
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Murtha
Musgrave
Myrick
Neugebauer
Pearce
Peterson (PA)
Pickering
Pitts
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reynolds
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Saxton
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Souder
Sullivan
Tancredo
Terry
Thornberry
Tiberi
Turner
Walberg
Weller
Westmoreland
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (SC)
Wolf
Young (AK)

Mr. BOEHNER (during the vote). Mr. Speaker, I move to adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair would advise the minority leader that that motion is not proper at this time because we are in a vote on the motion to reconsider the vote on the motion to recommit with the previous question ordered to passage without other intervening motion. The only reason it is not on the board is that the machine is down.

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, I move to adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair would remind Members that the vote is on the motion to reconsider.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members have 1 minute in which to vote on the motion to reconsider.

□ 2309

Mr. PENCE changed his vote from ''nay'' to ''present.''

So the motion to reconsider the vote on the motion to recommit was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to recommit.

The motion to recommit was rejected.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 237, nays 18, answered ''present'' 13, not voting 165, as follows:

[Roll No. 816]

YEAS—237

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Allen
Altmire
Andrews
Arcuri
Baca
Baird
Baldwin
Barrow
Becerra
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd (FL)
Boyda (KS)
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown, Corrine
Butterfield
Capps
Capuano
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carney
Carson
Castle
Castor
Chandler
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Costello
Courtney
Cramer
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
Davis, Lincoln
DeFazio
DeGette
Delahunt
DeLauro
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Donnelly
Doyle
Edwards
Ellison
Ellsworth
Emanuel
Emerson
Engel
Eshoo
Etheridge
Farr
Fattah
Filner
Frank (MA)
Giffords
Gilchrest
Gillibrand
Gillmor
Gonzalez
Gordon
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Hall (NY)
Hare
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hayes
Herseth Sandlin
Higgins
Hill
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hodes
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hoyer
Inslee
Israel
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee (TX)
Jefferson
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kagen
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind
Klein (FL)
Kucinich
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lee
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebsack
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lynch
Mahoney (FL)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Marshall
Matsui
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum (MN)
McGovern
McIntyre
McNerney
McNulty
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Melancon
Michaud
Miller (NC)
Miller, George
Mitchell
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy (CT)
Murphy, Patrick
Murphy, Tim
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Ortiz
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Pomeroy
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Reyes
Rodriguez
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walsh (NY)
Walz (MN)
Wasserman Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Wexler
Wilson (OH)
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Yarmuth

NAYS—18

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bean | Flake | Paul |
| Burton (IN) | Fossella | Petri |
| Chabot | Gallegly | Ramstad |
| Cubin | Goode | Shays |
| Davis, Tom | Matheson | Upton |
| Duncan | McDermott | Young (FL) |

ANSWERED ''PRESENT''—13

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bartlett (MD) | Latham | Schmidt |
| Camp (MI) | McHugh | Tiahrt |
| Ehlers | Porter | Wolf |
| Graves | Regula | |
| Kuhl (NY) | Rogers (MI) | |

NOT VOTING—165

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Aderholt | Foxx | Musgrave |
| Akin | Franks (AZ) | Myrick |
| Alexander | Frelinghuysen | Neugebauer |
| Bachmann | Garrett (NJ) | Nunes |
| Bachus | Gerlach | Pearce |
| Baker | Gingrey | Pence |
| Barrett (SC) | Gohmert | Peterson (PA) |
| Barton (TX) | Goodlatte | Pickering |
| Biggert | Granger | Pitts |
| Bilbray | Hall (TX) | Platts |
| Bilirakis | Hastert | Poe |
| Bishop (UT) | Hastings (WA) | Price (GA) |
| Blackburn | Heller | Pryce (OH) |
| Blunt | Hensarling | Putnam |
| Boehner | Herger | Radanovich |
| Bonner | Hobson | Rehberg |
| Bono | Hoekstra | Reichert |
| Boozman | Hulshof | Renzi |
| Boustany | Hunter | Reynolds |
| Brady (TX) | Inglis (SC) | Rogers (AL) |
| Broun (GA) | Issa | Rogers (KY) |
| Brown (SC) | Jindal | Rohrabacher |
| Brown-Waite, Ginny | Johnson, Sam | Ros-Lehtinen |
| | Jordan | Roskam |
| Buchanan | Keller | Royce |
| Burgess | King (IA) | Ryan (WI) |
| Buyer | King (NY) | Sali |
| Calvert | Kingston | Saxton |
| Campbell (CA) | Kirk | Sensenbrenner |
| Cannon | Kline (MN) | Sessions |
| Cantor | Knollenberg | Shadegg |
| Capito | LaHood | Shimkus |
| Carter | Lamborn | Shuster |
| Clarke | LaTourette | Simpson |
| Coble | Lewis (CA) | Smith (NE) |
| Cole (OK) | Lewis (KY) | Smith (NJ) |
| Conaway | Linder | Smith (TX) |
| Crenshaw | Lucas | Souder |
| Culberson | Lungren, Daniel E. | Stearns |
| Davis (KY) | | Sullivan |
| Davis, David | Mack | Tancredo |
| Davis, Jo Ann | Manzullo | Terry |
| Deal (GA) | Marchant | Thornberry |
| Dent | McCarthy (CA) | Tiberi |
| Diaz-Balart, L. | McCaul (TX) | Turner |
| Diaz-Balart, M. | McCotter | Walberg |
| Doolittle | McCrery | Walden (OR) |
| Drake | McHenry | Wamp |
| Dreier | McKeon | Weldon (FL) |
| English (PA) | McMorris Rodgers | Weller |
| Everett | | Westmoreland |
| Fallin | Mica | Whitfield |
| Feeney | Miller (FL) | Wicker |
| Ferguson | Miller (MI) | Wilson (NM) |
| Forbes | Miller, Gary | Wilson (SC) |
| Fortenberry | Murtha | Young (AK) |

□ 2318

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 18 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

□ 0844

## AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. MCGOVERN) at 8 o'clock and 44 minutes a.m.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. CRENSHAW (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for August 1 from 6 p.m. through the balance of the week on account of medical reasons.

## SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 845. An act to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to expand and intensify programs with respect to research and related activities concerning elder falls; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## ADJOURNMENT

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 46 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until today, Friday, August 3, 2007, at 9 a.m.

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2845. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Dairy Product Mandatory Reporting [Doc. # AMS-07-0047; DA-06-07] (RIN: 0581-AC66) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2846. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Gypsy Moth Generally Infested Areas; Addition of Counties in Ohio and West Virginia [Docket No. APHIS-2006-0116] received July 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2847. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Export Certification for Wood Packaging Material [Docket No. APHIS-2006-0122] (RIN: 0579-AC43) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2848. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Quillaja Saponaria Extract; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2007-0289; FRL-8136-6] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2849. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Bromoxynil, Diclofop-methyl, Dicofol, Diquat, Etridiazole, et al.; Tolerance Actions [EPA-HQ-OPP-2004-0154; FRL-8139-5] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2850. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Rimsulfuron; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0209; FRL-8139-1] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2851. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Chlorthalonil; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2004-0257; FRL-8127-9] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2852. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Thiamethoxam; Pesticide Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2006-0523; FRL-8133-6] received June 19, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2853. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2854. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-B-7722] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2855. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-B-7722] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2856. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-B-7716] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2857. A letter from the Chief Counsel, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations — received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2858. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Iowa [EPA-R07-OAR-2007-0477; FRL-8448-5] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2859. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Attainment Determination, Redesignation of the Franklin County Ozone Nonattainment Area to Attainment and Approval of the Area's Maintenance Plan and 2002 Base Year Inventory [EPA-R03-OAR-2007-0174; FRL-8445-6] received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2860. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental

Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District and San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District [EPA-R09-OAR-2007-0462; FRL-8442-4] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2861. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Texas; Clean Air Interstate Rule Nitrogen Oxides Annual Trading Program [EPA-R06-OAR-2007-0252; FRL-8446-3] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2862. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Redesignation of the Johnstown (Cambria County) Ozone Nonattainment Area to Attainment and Approval of the Area's Maintenance Plan and 2002 Base Year Inventory [EPA-R03-OAR-2007-0324; FRL-8447-7] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2863. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Indiana [EPA-R05-OAR-2007-0292; FRL-8442-9] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2864. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Redesignation of the Altoona 8-Hour Ozone Nonattainment Area to Attainment and Approval of the Area's Maintenance Plan and 2002 Base Year Inventory [EPA-R03-OAR-2007-0245; FRL-8446-9] received July 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2865. A letter from the Acting Director Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Northeast (NE) Multispecies Fishery; Closure of the Eastern U.S./Canada Area [Docket No. 040112010-4114-02] (RIN: 0648-XA92) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2866. A letter from the Writer/Editor, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Searches of Housing Units, Inmates, and Inmate Work Areas; Electronic Devices [BOP-1089-F] (RIN: 1120-AA90) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2867. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Coast Guard Sector, Marine Inspection Zone, and Captain of the Port Zone Structure; Technical Amendment [USCG-2006-25556] (RIN: 1625-AB07) received July 19, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2868. A letter from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — NASA Grant and Cooperative Agreement Handbook-Individual Procurement Action Reports (NF 507). (RIN: 2700-AD34) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science and Technology.

2869. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Surety Bond Guarantee Program-Preferred Surety Qualification, Increased Guarantee for Veteran and Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Business, Deadline for Payment of Guarantee Fees, Denial of Liability, and Technical Amendments (RIN: 3245-AF39) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

2870. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Weighted Average Interest Rates Update [Notice 2007-61] received July 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2871. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 26 CFR 601.201: Rulings and determination letters. (Also Part 1, 102.) (Rev. Proc. 2007-39) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2872. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Deemed IRAs in Governmental Plans/Qualified Nonbank Trustee Rules [TD 9331] (RIN: 1545-BG46) received July 30, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. LANTOS: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 1400. A bill to enhance United States diplomatic efforts with respect to Iran by imposing additional economic sanctions against Iran, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110–294, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

## TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1400. Referral to the Committees on Ways and Means, Financial Services, Oversight and Government Reform, and the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than September 7, 2007.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. OBERSTAR (for himself, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. RAMSTAD, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, and Mrs. BACHMANN):

H.R. 3311. A bill to authorize additional funds for emergency repairs and reconstruction of the Interstate I-35 bridge located in Minneapolis, Minnesota, that collapsed on August 1, 2007, to waive the $100,000,000 limitation on emergency relief funds for those emergency repairs and reconstruction, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DAVIS of Alabama (for himself and Mr. MELANCON):

H.R. 3312. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the work opportunity tax credit for Hurricane Katrina employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. EHLERS (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. DAVID DAVIS of Tennessee, and Mr. LAMPSON):

H.R. 3313. A bill to amend provisions of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 relating to mathematics and science instruction; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. DAVIS of Alabama (for himself and Mr. KING of New York):

H.R. 3314. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow the deduction of attorney-advanced expenses and court costs in contingency fee cases; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WAMP (for himself, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BACA, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. BONNER, Mrs. BONO, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. BUYER, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP of Michigan, Mr. CANNON, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. CARTER, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CASTOR, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. CASTLE, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLAY, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COLE of Oklahoma, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DAVID DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. ELLISON, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FARR, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GOODE, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HARE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HELLER, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HODES, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. JINDAL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KELLER, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KIRK, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. KUHL of New York, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. LARSEN

of Washington, Mr. LATHAM, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCCARTHY of California, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. MACK, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mrs. MYRICK, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. PITTS, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. REGULA, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. RENZI, Mr. REYES, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. ROSKAM, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SIMPSON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SNYDER, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. STARK, Mr. SULLIVAN, Ms. SUTTON, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. TERRY, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TURNER, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. UPTON, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. WALSH of New York, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Ms. WATERS, Ms. WATSON, Mr. WATT, Mr. WEINER, Mr. WELCH of Vermont, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WICKER, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WU, Mr. WYNN, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 3315. A bill to provide that the great hall of the Capitol Visitor Center shall be known as Emancipation Hall; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself and Mr. GILLMOR):

H.R. 3316. A bill to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to provide individuals the ability to control access to their credit reports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. FATTAH (for himself and Mr. SOUDER):

H.R. 3317. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to improve and enhance the Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs (GEAR UP); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Ms. WATSON, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 3318. A bill to require that the recommended national protocol for sexual assault medical forensic examinations include a recommendation that rape victims be offered information about emergency contraceptives to prevent pregnancy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. HARE, Ms. SUTTON, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. MICHAUD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois):

H.R. 3319. A bill to provide Federal contracting preferences for, and a reduction in the rate of income tax imposed on, Patriot corporations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. EMANUEL):

H.R. 3320. A bill to provide assistance for the Museum of the History of Polish Jews in Warsaw, Poland; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. HOEKSTRA (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. PUTNAM):

H.R. 3321. A bill to update the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BOSWELL (for himself, Mr. CHANDLER, Ms. BORDALLO, and Mr. PATRICK MURPHY of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 3322. A bill to provide grants to units of local government and States to hire personnel to monitor the activities of sex offenders; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CAPPS:

H.R. 3323. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey a water distribution system to the Goleta Water District, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CLYBURN (for himself and Mr. MCKEON):

H.R. 3324. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish the First Tee Life Skills Program; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. COURTNEY (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut):

H.R. 3325. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 235 Mountain Road in Suffield, Connecticut, as the ''Corporal Stephen R. Bixler Post Office''; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. TOWNS, Mrs. BONO, Mr. RUSH, Mr. UPTON, Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico, Mr. WYNN, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. FOSSELLA, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. FERGUSON, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. KIRK, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. PAUL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. FORTUÑO, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. WALSH of New York, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. LOBIONDO, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. MCHUGH, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. WELLER, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. DENT, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. PORTER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 3326. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit States the option to provide Medicaid coverage for low-income individuals infected with HIV; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GALLEGLY (for himself, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. COSTELLO, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. WOLF, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. ROTHMAN, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. COBLE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. WATSON, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. MCHUGH, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. FORBES, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. WEINER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. MYRICK, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. LANTOS, and Mrs. BIGGERT):

H.R. 3327. A bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to prohibit dog fighting ventures; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. GIFFORDS:

H.R. 3328. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Commissioner of Reclamation, to conduct a feasibility study of water augmentation alternatives in the Sierra Vista Subwatershed; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. AL GREEN of Texas (for himself and Mr. MICHAUD):

H.R. 3329. A bill to provide housing assistance for very low-income veterans; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. GUTIERREZ (for himself and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 3330. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to prescribe the weights and the compositions of circulating coins, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HIGGINS:

H.R. 3331. A bill to prohibit, as a banned hazardous substance, certain household dishwashing detergent containing phosphorus; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. HIRONO (for herself and Mr. ABERCROMBIE):

H.R. 3332. A bill to provide for the establishment of a memorial within Kalaupapa National Historical Park located on the island of Molokai, in the State of Hawaii, to honor and perpetuate the memory of those individuals who were forcibly relocated to the Kalaupapa Peninsula from 1866 to 1969, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. JACKSON of Illinois (for himself, Mr. WICKER, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. STARK, Mr. KIRK, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mrs. DRAKE, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mr. FORBES, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. ALEXANDER, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WAMP, Ms. WATSON, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr.

SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. LATOURETTE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BONNER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. TIBERI, Ms. WATERS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. FATTAH, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. BOUSTANY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. RENZI, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WALSH of New York, Ms. LEE, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. REGULA, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. COOPER, Mr. HOBSON, and Mr. REYES):

H.R. 3333. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve the health and healthcare of racial and ethnic minority groups; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. CANTOR):

H.R. 3334. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to conduct activities to rapidly advance treatments for spinal muscular atrophy, neuromuscular disease, and other pediatric diseases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LAMBORN:

H.R. 3335. A bill to establish the South Park National Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LAMBORN (for himself and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

H.R. 3336. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing a historic district to the Camp Hale on parcels of land in the State of Colorado; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. LEE (for herself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. RUSH):

H.R. 3337. A bill to remove from the Immigration and Nationality Act a provision rendering individuals having HIV inadmissible to the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LOBIONDO (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H.R. 3338. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to expand the capability of the Department of Veterans Affairs to provide for the medical-care needs of veterans in southern New Jersey; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota (for herself, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. RAHALL, Ms. WATERS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. FARR, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. COHEN, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. LEE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, and Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California):

H.R. 3339. A bill to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act to reduce the health risks posed by asbestos-containing products, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. OBEY:

H.R. 3340. A bill to amend the Agricultural Manufacturing Act of 1946 to require labeling of raw agricultural forms of ginseng, including the country of harvest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. PAUL (for himself, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, and Mr. GINGREY):

H.R. 3341. A bill to ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by exempting health care professionals from the Federal antitrust laws in their negotiations with health plans and health insurance issuers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 3342. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a credit against income tax for the cost of insurance against negative outcomes from surgery, including against malpractice of a physician; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 3343. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make health care coverage more accessible and affordable; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 3344. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow medical care providers a credit against income tax for uncompensated emergency medical care and to allow hospitals a deduction for such care; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAYNE:

H.R. 3345. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Education to establish a competitive demonstration grant program to provide funds for local educational agencies in order to increase the effectiveness of substitute teaching, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 3346. A bill to provide compensation for United States citizens taken hostage by terrorists or state sponsors of terrorism; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER (for herself and Mr. DUNCAN):

H.R. 3347. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to prevent credit card issuers from taking unfair advantage of college students and their parents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. WAMP (for himself, Mr. MCCOTTER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, and Mr. STEARNS):

H.R. 3348. A bill to require the Secretary of State to withhold from the United States contribution to the regularly assessed biennial budget of the United Nations an amount that is equal to the percentage of such contribution that the Secretary determines would be allocated by the United Nations to support the United Nations Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) until such time as the United Nations and ECOSOC have withdrawn consultative status for all organizations with any affiliations to terrorist organizations; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3349. A bill to authorize the Alaska Native Self-Governance in Housing Demonstration Program; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3350. A bill to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to provide for equitable allotment of lands to Alaska Native veterans; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3351. A bill to adapt the lessons of foreign aid to underdeveloped economies to the provision of Federal economic development assistance to similarly situated remote Native American communities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3352. A bill to reauthorize and amend the Hydrographic Services Improvement Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H. Con. Res. 199. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding Turkey's claims of sovereignty over islands and islets in the Aegean Sea; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. KING of New York (for himself and Mr. LANTOS):

H. Con. Res. 200. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the immediate and unconditional release of Daw Aung San Suu Kyi; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER:

H. Con. Res. 201. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Government of Iraq should schedule a referendum to determine whether or not the people of Iraq want the Armed Forces of the United States to be withdrawn from Iraq or to remain in Iraq until order is restored to the country; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, and Mrs. BACHMANN):

H. Res. 606. A resolution honoring the city of Minneapolis, first responders, and the citizens of the State of Minnesota for their valiant efforts in responding to the horrific collapse of the Interstate Route 35W Mississippi River Bridge; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina):

H. Res. 607. A resolution extending best wishes to the people of India as they celebrate the 60th anniversary of India's independence from the British Empire; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER (for himself, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. SHIMKUS):

H. Res. 608. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the United States Government should take immediate steps to boycott the Summer Olympic Games in Beijing in August 2008 unless the Government of the People's Republic of China stops engaging in serious human rights abuses against its citizens and stops supporting serious human rights abuses by the Governments of Sudan, Burma, and North Korea against their citizens; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

149. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 292 urging the Congress of the United States to provide equitable funding to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for the operation of quality affordable housing; to the Committee on Financial Services.

150. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, relative to

Senate Joint Resolution No. 361 urging the Congress of the United States to address the economic impact of interchange fees and merchant discount charges and develop clear and concise disclosure to consumers and retailers; to the Committee on Financial Services.

151. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 345 urging the Congress of the United States to enact improvements to the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLB); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

152. Also, a memorial of the General Court of the State of New Hampshire, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 urging the Congress of the United States to amend the No Child Left Behind Act; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

153. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, relative to Senate Resolution No. 3259 expressing support of the financing of the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) through federal funds, and to exhort the Congress of the United States to assure an increase in federal funds for the SCHIP, including the territories; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

154. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 urging the Congress of the United States to renew the Special Statutory Funding Program for Type 1 Diabetes Research and the Special Diabetes Program for Indians; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

155. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 15 memorializing the Congress of the United States to act to commemorate the Armenian Genocide; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

156. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Ohio, relative to Senate Resolution No. 18 urging the Congress of the United States to pass legislation establishing a Servitude and Emancipation Archival Research Clearinghouse in the National Archives; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

157. Also, a memorial of the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon, relative to Senate Joint Memorial No. 9 urging the Congress of the United States to pass legislation and appropriate funds for an orderly transition for the National Guard and National Guard Reservists to civilian life following active service; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

158. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Wisconsin, relative to Senate Resolution No. 8 memorializing the Congress of the United States to create a system that ensures that trade agreements are developed and implemented using a democratic, inclusive mechanism that enshrines the principles of federalism and state sovereignty; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

159. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 114 memorializing the Congress of the United States to review and consider eliminating provisions of federal law which reduce Social Security benefits for those receiving pension benefits from federal, state, or local government retirement systems or funds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

160. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 urging the Congress of the United States to reauthorize and fund the federal Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000; jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

## PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, private bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. KING of New York:

H.R. 3353. A bill for the relief of Terrence George; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LYNCH:

H.R. 3354. A bill for the relief of Paul Ladd and Jennifer Ladd; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 98: Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas.
H.R. 191: Mr. ADERHOLT.
H.R. 380: Ms. BEAN.
H.R. 463: Mr. SPACE.
H.R. 468: Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, and Ms. WATSON.
H.R. 503: Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. FORTUÑO, and Mr. WELLER.
H.R. 513: Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. WU.
H.R. 524: Mr. MCCOTTER.
H.R. 542: Mr. BACA, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HONDA, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. SIRES.
H.R. 552: Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. COURTNEY.
H.R. 601: Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. MANZULLO.
H.R. 621: Ms. HIRONO and Mrs. BLACKBURN.
H.R. 636: Mrs. MUSGRAVE.
H.R. 677: Mr. WAXMAN.
H.R. 687: Mr. SESTAK.
H.R. 690: Mr. ELLSWORTH.
H.R. 715: Mr. OLVER.
H.R. 719: Mr. BARROW, Mr. BERMAN, and Ms. BEAN.
H.R. 726: Mr. KILDEE.
H.R. 743: Mr. GERLACH.
H.R. 748: Mr. MARCHANT.
H.R. 898: Mr. FILNER.
H.R. 989: Mr. PITTS.
H.R. 1000: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.
H.R. 1014: Mrs. EMERSON.
H.R. 1017: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California and Mr. HOLDEN.
H.R. 1022: Mr. HONDA.
H.R. 1029: Mr. SCOTT of Georgia.
H.R. 1064: Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 1102: Mr. ELLSWORTH.
H.R. 1110: Ms. BALDWIN.
H.R. 1154: Mr. BACA, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Ms. CARSON, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. LEE, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. WATERS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. COSTA, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. SIRES, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. BEAN, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. FARR, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. NADLER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. WEINER.
H.R. 1155: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina and Ms. NORTON.
H.R. 1193: Mr. MICHAUD and Mr. FERGUSON.
H.R. 1194: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.
H.R. 1229: Mr. MARSHALL and Mr. LYNCH.
H.R. 1230: Mr. DAVID DAVIS of Tennessee.
H.R. 1244: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mr. KILDEE.
H.R. 1279: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. PORTER.
H.R. 1304: Mr. BOYD of Florida.
H.R. 1317: Mr. KNOLLENBERG and Ms. SUTTON.
H.R. 1336: Mr. DEFAZIO.
H.R. 1386: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WILSON of Ohio, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. SPACE.
H.R. 1399: Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HOEKSTRA, and Mr. MCHUGH.
H.R. 1420: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.
H.R. 1481: Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky.
H.R. 1506: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.
H.R. 1518: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin.
H.R. 1540: Mr. LATOURETTE and Mr. DOGGETT.
H.R. 1542: Mrs. CAPPS and Mr. BLUMENAUER.
H.R. 1552: Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.
H.R. 1567: Mr. WEINER.
H.R. 1584: Mr. HILL, Mr. BOUSTANY, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. WICKER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. BUYER, Mr. PENCE, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. PAUL, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. MICA, Mr. ADERHOLT, and Mr. BOYD of Florida.
H.R. 1609: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. GERLACH, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. WOLF.
H.R. 1610: Mr. KUHL of New York, Mr. PASTOR, Mrs. DRAKE, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. PAUL, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. PUTNAM.
H.R. 1621: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. MARSHALL.
H.R. 1644: Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. WELCH of Vermont, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. GORDON, Ms. SCHWARTZ, and Ms. ESHOO.
H.R. 1687: Mrs. NAPOLITANO.
H.R. 1712: Mr. JEFFERSON.
H.R. 1713: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.
H.R. 1767: Mr. ETHERIDGE.
H.R. 1772: Mr. SPACE.
H.R. 1781: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. BOREN.
H.R. 1807: Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California and Mr. SALAZAR.
H.R. 1814: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota and Mr. MANZULLO.
H.R. 1819: Mr. ALLEN.
H.R. 1835: Mr. WAXMAN.
H.R. 1843: Mr. WELCH of Vermont and Ms. BORDALLO.
H.R. 1908: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. SALI, Ms. HOOLEY, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. BACHUS.
H.R. 1921: Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.
H.R. 1937: Mr. PEARCE, Mr. PETRI, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. ROGERS of Alabama.
H.R. 1940: Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. HOEKSTRA.
H.R. 1968: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.
H.R. 1992: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BARROW, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.
H.R. 2015: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.
H.R. 2086: Mrs. DRAKE.
H.R. 2087: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
H.R. 2095: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 2122: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California and Mr. LANGEVIN.
H.R. 2164: Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota.
H.R. 2183: Mr. PITTS.
H.R. 2265: Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. NADLER, and Mrs. DAVIS of California.
H.R. 2325: Mr. MILLER of Florida.
H.R. 2353: Mr. LIPINSKI.
H.R. 2387: Mrs. BACHMANN.
H.R. 2447: Ms. MATSUI, Mr. CHANDLER, Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Mr. CLAY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. WEXLER, and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.
H.R. 2452: Mr. COURTNEY.
H.R. 2490: Mr. PUTNAM and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2495: Mr. ELLSWORTH.
H.R. 2521: Mr. MARSHALL.
H.R. 2522: Ms. WATERS.
H.R. 2542: Mr. POE.
H.R. 2578: Mr. MCNULTY and Mrs. GILLIBRAND.
H.R. 2606: Mr. GORDON and Mr. MCHUGH.
H.R. 2634: Mr. DOYLE.
H.R. 2639: Mrs. MUSGRAVE.
H.R. 2689: Mr. DOGGETT.
H.R. 2702: Mr. FILNER and Mr. DINGELL.
H.R. 2729: Mr. KILDEE.
H.R. 2738: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland and Mr. MCINTYRE.
H.R. 2758: Mr. SHERMAN.
H.R. 2774: Mr. LAMPSON and Mr. SMITH of Texas.
H.R. 2784: Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FORTUÑO, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. PAUL, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. WELLER.
H.R. 2807: Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. MCCOTTER.
H.R. 2818: Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. ELLISON, and Mr. ALLEN.
H.R. 2842: Mr. WU.
H.R. 2894: Mr. COOPER and Mr. PASCRELL.
H.R. 2895: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. GRIJALVA.
H.R. 2897: Mr. NUNES.
H.R. 2905: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. COBLE, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. DREIER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. JINDAL, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. REGULA, Mr. RENZI, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. WAMP, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. HOBSON.
H.R. 2910: Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. SESTAK, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Ms. LEE, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, and Mrs. TAUSCHER.
H.R. 2923: Mr. WICKER.
H.R. 2927: Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HERGER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. PENCE, Mrs. SCHMIDT, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. AKIN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. NUNES, Mr. BRADY of Texas, and Mr. FEENEY.
H.R. 2928: Mr. RUSH.
H.R. 2930: Ms. CLARKE, Mr. EMANUEL, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.
H.R. 2942: Mr. SAXTON and Mr. LYNCH.
H.R. 2949: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mrs. CAPPS.
H.R. 3004: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 3014: Mr. GUTIERREZ.
H.R. 3026: Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GOODE, Mr. KUHL of New York, Ms. GRANGER, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
H.R. 3035: Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. NADLER.
H.R. 3041: Mr. LANGEVIN.
H.R. 3047: Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey.
H.R. 3057: Ms. DELAURO and Mr. YARMUTH.
H.R. 3059: Mr. BRADY of Texas and Mr. FEENEY.
H.R. 3090: Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS.
H.R. 3098: Mr. SKELTON.
H.R. 3109: Mr. PAUL and Mr. GERLACH.
H.R. 3113: Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. SIRES, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. HINCHEY, and Ms. CLARKE.
H.R. 3133: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
H.R. 3138: Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mrs. EMERSON, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, and Mr. PITTS.
H.R. 3140: Mr. WELCH of Vermont and Mrs. MCMORRIS RODGERS.
H.R. 3145: Mr. MANZULLO.
H.R. 3147: Mr. GERLACH and Mr. PEARCE.
H.R. 3168: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.
H.R. 3170: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
H.R. 3174: Mr. LOEBSACK.
H.R. 3175: Mr. GRIJALVA.
H.R. 3195: Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. OLVER, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. SIRES, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, and Ms. CARSON.
H.R. 3209: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
H.R. 3213: Mr. SKELTON, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, and Mr. CARTER.
H.R. 3220: Mr. INSLEE, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. HOLT, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. LEE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. FARR, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. HONDA, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. MCNERNEY, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. HODES, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. NADLER, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. PASTOR.
H.R. 3223: Mr. DELAHUNT.
H.R. 3224: Mr. LATOURETTE.
H.R. 3233: Mr. TAYLOR, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
H.R. 3249: Mr. GRIJALVA and Mr. NADLER.
H.R. 3269: Mr. GILCHREST.
H.R. 3275: Mr. BLUMENAUER.
H.R. 3276: Mrs. MILLER of Michigan.
H.R. 3298: Mr. MURTHA, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. BACA, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. HARE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. KAPTUR, MR. THOMPSON of California, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. CARNEY.
H.J. Res. 40: Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. SARBANES.
H. Con. Res. 37: Mr. MANZULLO.
H. Con. Res. 90: Mr. COHEN.
H. Con. Res. 125: Mr. JONES of North Carolina and Mrs. DAVIS of California.
H. Con. Res. 129: Mr. GRIJALVA and Ms. SOLIS.
H. Con. Res. 181: Mr. AKIN.
H. Con. Res. 183: Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. TERRY, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. RAMSTAD.
H. Con. Res. 193: Mr. SESTAK, Mr. HODES, Mr. WALZ of Minnesota, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. SIRES, Mr. BACA, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.
H. Res. 37: Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.
H. Res. 106: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. HALL of New York.
H. Res. 111: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.
H. Res. 335: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
H. Res. 499: Mr. MICA, Mr. ISSA, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mrs. BONO, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. DREIER, Mr. SPACE, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. MANZULLO.
H. Res. 508: Ms. BERKLEY.
H. Res. 549: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
H. Res. 572: Mr. GERLACH and Mr. MARSHALL.
H. Res. 575: Mr. COHEN.
H. Res. 587: Mr. TAYLOR.
H. Res. 589: Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BISHOP of New York, and Mr. PASTOR.
H. Res. 590: Mr. ALTMIRE and Mr. HINCHEY.

## PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

141. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Legislature of Monroe County, New York, relative to Resolution No. 07-0158 memorializing the Congress of the United States to pass the Breast Cancer and Environmental Research Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

142. Also, a petition of the Legislature of Duchess County, New York, relative to Resolution No. 207145 supporting an Independent Safety Assessment of the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

143. Also, a petition of the United Methodist Church, California, relative to a resolution supporting H.J.Res. 14, Concerning the Use of Military Force by the United States Against Iran; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

144. Also, a petition of the Beachside Bungalow Presevation Association, Far Rockaway, New York, relative to requesting an investigation of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and networked agencies with regards to the management program in Rockaway Queens, New York; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

145. Also, a petition of the Maine Democratic Party, relative to a resolution calling for an investigation of President Bush and Vice-President Cheney leading, if warranted, to their impeachment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

146. Also, a petition of the Town of New Salem, Massachusetts, relative to a Resolution calling for the impeachment of President George W. Bush and Vice President Richard B. Cheney; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

147. Also, a petition of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida, relative to Resolution No. 2007-069 requesting the Congress of the United States appropriate the necessary

funds to bring the Herbert Hoover Dike into compliance with current Levee Protection Safety Standards; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

## AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 3222

OFFERED BY: MR. ROGERS OF MICHIGAN

AMENDMENT NO. 19: Page 19, line 8, after the dollar amount, insert ''(increased by $45,000,000)''.

Page 35, line 21, after both dollar amounts, insert ''(reduced by $45,000,000)''.

H.R. 3222

OFFERED BY: MRS. CAPITO

AMENDMENT NO. 20: In title VI, in the item relating to ''Defense Health Program'', after the first dollar amount, insert ''(increased by $25,000,000) (reduced by $25,000,000)''.

H.R. 3222

OFFERED BY: MR. FORBES

AMENDMENT NO. 21: Page 4, line 2, after the dollar amount, insert the following: ''(reduced by $10,000,000)''.

Page 32, line 21, after the dollar amount, insert the following: ''(increased by $10,000,000)''.

H.R. 3222

OFFERED BY: MR. HASTINGS OF FLORIDA

AMENDMENT NO. 22: At the end of the bill (before the short title) insert the following:

SEC. ____. None of the funds made available in this Act may be used by the Department of Defense to continue the operation of the detention facility at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, after March 31, 2008.

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## HIGHLIGHTS

**Senate passed H.R. 976, the State Children's Insurance Program Amendment Act (SCHIP Act).**

**Senate agreed to the conference report to accompany H.R. 2272, 21st Century Competitiveness Act.**

**Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 1, Legislative Transparency and Accountability Act.**

**The House passed H.R. 3161, the Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008.**

# Senate

## *Chamber Action*

***Routine Proceedings, pages S10685–S10848***

**Measures Introduced:** Fifty one bills and seven resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1934–1984, and S. Res. 292–298. **Pages S10787–88**

**Measures Reported:**

H.R. 50, to reauthorize the African Elephant Conservation Act and the Rhinoceros and Tiger Conservation Act of 1994.

H.R. 465, to reauthorize the Asian Elephant Conservation Act of 1997.

S. 742, to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act to reduce the health risks posed by asbestos-containing products, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 775, to establish a National Commission on the Infrastructure of the United States, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S. 1785, to amend the Clean Air Act to establish deadlines by which the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency shall issue a decision on whether to grant certain waivers of preemption under that Act, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. **Page S10786**

**Measures Passed:**

***State Children's Health Insurance Program Amendment Act:*** By 68 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 307), Senate agreed to H.R. 976, to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to reauthorize the State Children's Health Insurance Program, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S10719–61**

Adopted:

Nelson (FL) Amendment No. 2619 (to Amendment No. 2530), to reduce the cap on the tax on large cigars to $3.00. **Page S10741**

Dodd Amendment No. 2631 (to Amendment No. 2530), to expand family and medical leave in support of servicemembers with combat-related injuries. **Pages S10728, S10741**

Obama Amendment No. 2588 (to Amendment No. 2530), to provide certain employment protections for family members who are caring for members of the Armed Forces recovering from illnesses and injuries incurred on active duty. **Pages S10739, S10741**

Lincoln Amendment No. 2621 (to Amendment No. 2530), to express the sense of the Senate that Congress should enact legislation that improves access to affordable and meaningful health insurance coverage, especially for Americans in the small group and individual health insurance markets. **Pages S10739, S10740, S10743–46**

Wyden Modified Amendment No. 2570 (to Amendment No. 2530), to fund voluntary incentive programs with the aim of reducing the incidence of type 2 diabetes. **Page S10746**

Kerry/Snowe Amendment No. 2529 (to Amendment No. 2530), to establish a multiagency nationwide campaign to educate small business concerns about health insurance options available to children. **Pages S10750–51**

Cardin Modified Amendment No. 2567 (to Amendment No. 2530), to improve the provisions relating to dental health. **Pages S10751–52**

Baucus Amendment No. 2645 (to Amendment No. 2530), of a perfecting nature. **Pages S10752–53**

Baucus Amendment No. 2530, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S10719**

Baucus Amendment No. 2646, to amend the title. **Page S10761**

Rejected:

By 43 yeas to 55 nays (Vote No. 297), Grassley (for Ensign) Amendment No. 2540 (to Amendment No. 2530), to prohibit a State from using SCHIP funds to provide coverage for nonpregnant adults until the State first demonstrates that it has adequately covered targeted low-income children who reside in the State. **Pages S10719, S10733–36, S10737**

By 42 yeas to 57 nays (Vote No. 298), Thune Amendment No. 2579 (to Amendment No. 2530), to exclude individuals with alternative minimum tax liability from eligibility from SCHIP coverage. **Pages S10719, S10737–38**

By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 299), Grassley (for Kyl), Amendment No. 2537 (to Amendment No. 2530), to minimize the erosion of private health coverage. **Pages S10719, S10738–39**

By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 300), Specter (for Coburn/DeMint) Amendment No. 2627 (to Amendment No. 2530), to ensure that children and pregnant women whose family income exceeds 200 percent of the poverty line and who have access to employer-sponsored coverage receive premium assistance. **Pages S10720, S10746–47**

By 35 yeas to 64 nays (Vote No. 301), Vitter/DeMint Modified Amendment No. 2596, to require individuals who are eligible for SCHIP and employer-sponsored coverage to use the employer-sponsored coverage instead of SCHIP. **Pages S10724–26, S10747–48**

By 49 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 302), Allard Modified Amendment No. 2535 (to Amendment No. 2530), to codify the unborn child rule. **Pages S10726–28, S10748**

By 21 yeas to 78 nays (Vote No. 303), Hutchison Amendment No. 2620 (to Amendment No. 2530), to increase access to health insurance for low-income children based on actual need, as adjusted for cost-of-living. **Pages S10731–32, S10748–49**

By 37 yeas to 62 nays (Vote No. 305), DeMint Amendment No. 2577 (to Amendment No. 2530), to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for cooperative governing of individual health insurance coverage offered in interstate commerce. **Pages S10740–41, S10752**

**Withdrawn:**

Dorgan Amendment No. 2534 (to Amendment No. 2530), to revise and extend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act. **Pages S10719, S10724**

Webb Modified Amendment No. 2618 (to Amendment No. 2530), to eliminate the deferral of taxation on certain income of United States shareholders attributable to controlled foreign corporations. **Pages S10724, S10746**

Sanders Amendment No. 2600 (to Amendment No. 2530), to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to limit the use of funds for States that receive the enhanced portion of the CHIP matching rate for Medicaid coverage of certain children. **Pages S10720, S10749**

McConnell/Specter Amendment No. 2599 (to Amendment No. 2530), to express the sense of the Senate that Judge Leslie Southwick should receive a vote by the full Senate. **Page S10719**

Grassley (for Ensign) Amendment No. 2541 (to Amendment No. 2530), to prohibit a State from providing child health assistance or health benefits coverage to individuals whose family income exceeds 200 percent of the Federal Poverty Level unless the State demonstrates that it has enrolled 95 percent of the targeted low-income children who reside in the State. **Page S10719**

Sanders Amendment No. 2571 (to Amendment No. 2530), to establish an incentive program for State health access innovations. **Pages S10720–23**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 47 yeas to 52 nays (Vote No. 295), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive section 201 of S. Con. Res. 21, FY08 Congressional Budget Resolution, with respect to Baucus (for Specter) Amendment No. 2557 (to Amendment No. 2530), to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reset the rate of tax under the alternative minimum tax at 24 percent. Subsequently, the pay-as-you-go point of order that the amendment would cause or increase an on-budget deficit for either of the applicable time periods set out in S. Con. Res. 21, was sustained, and the amendment thus fell. **Pages S10719, S10736**

By 39 yeas to 60 nays (Vote No. 296), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive section 201 of S. Con. Res. 21, FY08 Congressional Budget Resolution, with respect to Grassley (for Graham) Modified Amendment No. 2558 (to Amendment No. 2530), to sunset the increase in the tax on tobacco products on September 30, 2012. Subsequently, the pay-as-you-go point of order that

the amendment would cause or increase an on-budget deficit for either of the applicable time periods set out in S. Con. Res. 21, was sustained, and the amendment thus fell. **Pages S10731, S10736–37**

By 49 yeas to 50 nays (Vote No. 304), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive section 201 of S. Con. Res. 21, FY08 Congressional Budget Resolution, with respect to Grassley (for Kyl) Amendment No. 2562 (to Amendment No. 2530), to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend and modify the 15-year straight-line cost recovery for qualified leasehold improvements and qualified restaurant improvements and to provide a 15-year straight-line cost recovery for certain improvements to retail space. Subsequently, the pay-as-you-go point of order that the amendment would cause or increase an on-budget deficit for either of the applicable time periods set out in S. Con. Res. 21, was sustained, and the amendment thus fell. **Pages S10719, S10749–50**

By 67 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 306), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to waive section 203 of S. Con. Res. 21, FY08 Congressional Budget Resolution, with respect to Baucus Amendment No. 2530, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S10753**

***National Bourbon Heritage Month:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 294, designating September 2007 as ''National Bourbon Heritage Month''. **Pages S10840–41**

***National Attention Deficit Disorder Awareness Day:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 295, designating September 19, 2007, as ''National Attention Deficit Disorder Awareness Day''. **Pages S10840–41**

***National Youth Court Month:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 296, designating September 2007 as ''National Youth Court Month''. **Pages S10840–41**

***Utah League of Cities and Towns 100th Anniversary:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 297, recognizing the 100th anniversary of the Utah League of Cities and Towns. **Pages S10840–41**

***Marquis de Lafayette 250th Anniversary:*** Senate agreed to S. Res. 298, commending the City of Fayetteville, North Carolina for holding a 3-day celebration of the 250th anniversary of the birth of the Marquis de Lafayette, and recognizing that the City of Fayetteville is where North Carolina celebrates the birthday of the Marquis de Lafayette. **Pages S10840–41**

***Lung Cancer:*** Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 87, expressing the sense of the Senate that the President should declare lung cancer a public health priority and should implement a comprehensive interagency program to reduce the lung cancer mortality rate by at least 50 percent by 2015, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S10842**

***Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act:*** Senate passed S. 1983, to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act to renew and amend the provisions for the enhanced review of covered pesticide products, to authorize fees for certain pesticide products, and to expend and improve the collection of maintenance fees. **Pages S10842–44**

***Saginaw Chippewa Tribe of Indians:*** Senate passed H.R. 2952, to authorize the Saginaw Chippewa Tribe of Indians of the State of Michigan to convey land and interests in land owned by the Tribe, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10844**

***Coquille Indian Tribe of the State of Oregon:*** Senate passed H.R. 2863, to authorize the Coquille Indian Tribe of the State of Oregon to convey land and interests in land owned by the Tribe, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S10844**

***National Infrastructure Improvement Act:*** Senate passed S. 775, to establish a National Commission on the Infrastructure of the United States, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S10844–46**

Pryor (for Boxer) Amendment No. 2648, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S10846**

**Conference Reports:**

**21st Century Competitiveness Act:** Senate agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2272, to invest in innovation through research and development, and to improve the competitiveness of the United States, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S10761–62**

**House Messages:**

**Legislative Transparency and Accountability Act**: By 83 yeas to 14 nays (Vote No. 294), Senate agreed to the motion to concur in the amendment of the House to S. 1, to provide greater transparency in the legislative process, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S10687–S10719, S10723–24**

Withdrawn:

Senator Reid motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the bill. **Page S10716**

Senator Reid motion to concur in the amendment of the House with Amendment No. 2589, to change the enactment date. **Page S10716**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 80 yeas to 17 nays (Vote No. 293), two-thirds of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the Reid motion to concur in the amendment of the House to the bill.

**Page S10716**

Reid Amendment No. 2590 (to Amendment No. 2589), of a perfecting nature, fell when Amendment No. 2589 (listed above) was withdrawn.

**Appointments (from Wednesday, August 1, 2007):**

**Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marines**: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to Title 46 App., Section 1295 b(h), of the U.S. Code, appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Senator Inouye, ex officio as Chairman of the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Senator Lautenberg, from the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation; Senator Stevens, from the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, and Senator Graham, At Large.

**Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy**: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy: Senator Bennett, from the Committee on Appropriations; Senator Nelson (NE), from the Committee on Appropriations; and Senator Allard, At Large.

**Appointments (from Thursday, August 2, 2007):**

**Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy:** The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 14 U.S.C. 194, as amended by Public Law 101–595, and upon the recommendation of the Chairman of the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, appointed the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Coast Guard Academy: Senator Stevens, from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, and Senator Collins, At Large. **Pages S10840**

**Message from the President:** Senate received the following message from the President of the United States on Wednesday, August 1, 2007:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, the declaration of a national emergency relative to the threat in Lebanon posed by the actions of certain persons to undermine Lebanon's legitimate democratic institutions; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–23)

**Degiusti Nomination—Agreement**: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that at approximately 9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 3, 2007, Senate begin consideration of the nomination of Timothy D. DeGiusti, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma; that there be two minutes for debate equally divided between the Chairman and Ranking Member of the Committee on the Judiciary; provided further, that Senate vote on confirmation of the nomination.

**Pages S10742, S10761**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Dennis W. Carlton, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Carl B. Kress, of California, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner for the term expiring June 30, 2011.

A. Paul Anderson, of Florida, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner for the term expiring June 30, 2012.

John A. Gastright, of South Carolina, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Coordinator for Afghanistan, Department of State.

Margaret Spellings, of Texas, to be designated a Representative of the United States of America to the Thirty-fourth Session of the General Conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization.

Mark D. Gearan, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring December 1, 2010.

Julie Fisher Cummings, of Michigan, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring September 14, 2011.

Donna N. Williams, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2009.

Tom Osborne, of Nebraska, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2012.

Alan D. Solomont, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2009.

Jeffrey William Runge, of North Carolina, to be Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs and Chief Medical Officer, Department of Homeland Security.

Cynthia Dyer, of Texas, to be Director of the Violence Against Women Office, Department of Justice.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Navy. **Pages S10846–48**

**Messages from the House:** **Page S10785**

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**Amendments Submitted:** **Pages S10824–39**

**Authorities for Committees to Meet:** **Pages S10839–40**

**Privileges of the Floor:** **Page S10840**

**Record Votes:** Fifteen record votes were taken today. (Total—307) **Pages S10716, S10723–24, S10736, S10737, S10738, S10747, S10748, S10749, S10749–50, S10752, S10753, and S10761.**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 11:33 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 3, 2007. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10846.)

# *Committee Meetings*

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

## UNITED STATES FORCES IN IRAQ

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee received a closed briefing on drawdown planning for the United States forces in Iraq from Eric S. Edelman, Under Secretary for Policy, and Lieutenant General John F. Sattler, USMC, Director, Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate (J–5), The Joint Chiefs of Staff, both of the Department of Defense.

## NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Admiral Michael G. Mullen, USN, for reappointment to the grade of admiral and to be Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and General James E. Cartwright, USMC, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and 808 nominations in the Army, Navy, and Air Force.

## NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Randall S. Kroszner, of New Jersey, Larry Allan Klane, of the District of Columbia, and Elizabeth A. Duke, of Virginia, all to be Members of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

## INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Security and International Trade and Finance concluded a hearing to examine reforming key international financial institutions for the 21st century, after receiving testimony from Daniel K. Tarullo, Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, D.C.; Adam Lerrick, Carnegie Mellon University Gaillot Center for Public Policy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; and Karin Lissakers, Revenue Watch Institute, and Diane Willkens, Development Finance International, Inc., both of Washington, D.C.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on the Budget:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Jim Nussle, of Iowa, to be Director of the Office of Management and Budget.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following:

S. 781, to extend the authority of the Federal Trade Commission to collect Do-Not-Call Registry fees to fiscal years after fiscal year 2007, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 602, to develop the next generation of parental control technology, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

S. 1892, to reauthorize the Coast Guard for fiscal year 2008, with amendments; and

The nominations of William G. Sutton, Jr., of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, Ronald Spoehel, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Thomas J. Barrett, of Alaska, to be Deputy Secretary, and Paul R. Brubaker, of Virginia, to be Administrator of the Research and Innovative Technology Administration, both of the Department of Transportation, and the following named individual for appointment as a permanent commissioned regular officer in the United States Coast Guard in the grade indicated under title 14, U.S.C., section 211: Kristine B. Neeley, to be Lieutenant.

## NATIONAL PARK CENTENNIAL CHALLENGE

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks, concluded a hearing

to examine S. 1253, to establish a fund for the National Park Centennial Challenge, after receiving testimony from Mary A. Bomar, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Vin Cipolla, National Park Foundation, and Thomas C. Kiernan, National Parks Conservation Association, both of Washington, D.C.; and Curt Buchholtz, National Park Friends Alliance, Estes Park, Colorado.

**POSTAL SERVICE**

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security concluded a hearing to examine the Postal Accountability and Enhancement Act (Public Law 109–435), focusing on the services that are provided to customers, after receiving testimony from John E. Potter, Postmaster General, United States Postal Service; Dan G. Blair, Chairman, Postal Regulatory Commission; Jody Berenblatt, Bank of America, New York, New York; Anthony Conway, Alliance of Nonprofit Mailers, and Robert E. McLean, Mailers Council, both of Washington, D.C.; and James West, Williams-Sonoma, Inc. Postal and Government Affairs, San Francisco, California.

**PRESERVING PROSECUTORIAL INDEPENDENCE**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee continued hearings to examine the Department of Justice politicizing the hiring and firing of United States Attorneys, focusing on preserving prosecutorial independence, receiving testimony from J. Scott Jennings, Special Assistant to the President, Deputy White House Political Director.

Hearings recesses subject to the call.

**BUSINESS MEETING**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following:

A bill entitled, "School Safety and Law Enforcement Act";

S. 1060, to reauthorize the grant program for reentry of offenders into the community in the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968, to improve reentry planning and implementation, with amendments; and

The nominations of Rosa Emilia Rodriguez-Velez, to be United States Attorney for the District of Puerto Rico, and Leslie Southwick, of Mississippi, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit.

**INTELLIGENCE**

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.

# House of Representatives

## *Chamber Action*

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 42 public bills, H.R. 3311–3352; 2 private bills, H.R. 3353–3354; and 6 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 199–201; and H. Res. 606–608 were introduced.

**Pages H9653–55**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Page H9656**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 1400, to enhance United States diplomatic efforts with respect to Iran by imposing additional economic sanctions against Iran, with an amendment (H. Rept. 110–294, Pt. 1); **Page H9653**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Holden to act as Speaker Pro Tempore for today. **Page H9547**

**Journal:** The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal by a recorded vote of 232 ayes to 186 noes, with 2 voting "present", Roll No. 797.

**Pages H9547, H9579**

**Ensuring Military Readiness Through Stability and Predictability Deployment Policy Act of 2007:** The House passed H.R. 3159, to mandate minimum periods of rest and recuperation for units and members of the regular and reserve components of the Armed Forces between deployments for Operation Iraqi Freedom or Operation Enduring Freedom, by a recorded vote of 229 ayes to 194 noes with 3 voting "present", Roll No. 796. **Pages H9565–79**

Rejected the Hunter motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith

with amendments, by a yea-and-nay vote of 207 yeas to 217 nays with 1 voting ''present'', Roll No. 795. **Pages H9576–78**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Armed Services now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. **Page H9565**

H. Res. 601, the rule providing for consideration of the bill, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 224 yeas to 200 nays, Roll No. 794, after agreeing to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 225 yeas to 201 nays, Roll No. 793.

**Pages H9549–57, H9564–65**

**Motion to Adjourn:** Rejected the Dreier motion to adjourn by a yea-and-nay vote of 165 yeas to 254 nays, Roll No. 798. **Pages H9588–89**

**America COMPETES Act:** The House agreed to the conference report to accompany H.R. 2272, to invest in innovation through research and development, and to improve the competitiveness of the United States, by a recorded vote of 367 ayes to 57 noes, Roll No. 802. **Pages H9592–H9606**

Rejected the Shimkus motion to recommit the conference report with instructions to the managers on the part of the House, by a yea-and-nay vote of 199 yeas to 227 nays, Roll No. 801. **Page H9604–05**

H. Res. 602, the rule providing for consideration of the conference report, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 229 yeas to 194 nays, Roll No. 792, after agreeing to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 225 yeas to 198 nays, Roll No. 791. **Pages H9557–63**

**Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2008:** The House passed H.R. 3161, amended, making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, by a yea-and-nay vote of 237 yeas to 18 nays with 13 voting ''present'', Roll No. 816. Consideration of the measure began on Tuesday, July 31st. **Pages H9606–39, H9641–52**

Rejected the Lewis (CA) motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back to the House promptly with an amendment, by a yea-and-nay vote of 212 yeas to 216 nays, Roll No. 814, prior to agreeing to the Hoyer motion to reconsider the vote on the motion to recommit by a yea-and-nay vote of 238 yeas to 12 nays, with 55 voting ''present'', Roll No. 815. **Pages H9649–51**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendments printed in part A of H. Rept. 110–290 shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole and no further amendment shall be in order except those printed in part B of H. Rept. 110–290. **Page H9606**

Agreed to:

McHenry amendment (that was debated on July 31st) to the Gingrey amendment (No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2007) that reduces funding for the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture by $100,100 and **Page H9615**

Gingrey amendment (No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record of July 30, 2007 and debated on July 31st), as amended, that reduces funding for the Office of the Secretary of Agriculture by $50,050; **Page H9615**

Rejected:

Sessions amendment (No. 1 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to strike language from the bill prohibiting the use of funds by the USDA Chief Financial Officer for ''competitive sourcing'' activities until the Secretary of Agriculture submits a report on the Department's contracting out policies and budget (by a recorded vote of 168 ayes to 254 noes, Roll No. 803); **Pages H9621–22, H9639, H9641–42**

Hensarling amendment (No. 3 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to reduce funding provided in the bill for rural community facilities programs by $6,287,000 (by a recorded vote of 90 ayes to 337 noes, Roll No. 804); **Pages H9622–24, H9639, H9642**

Hensarling amendment (No. 4 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to reduce funding provided in the bill for grants to finance broadband transmission in rural areas by $8,910,000 (by a recorded vote of 66 ayes to 360 noes, Roll No. 805); **Pages H9624–25, H9639, H9642–43**

Kingston amendment (No. 5 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to strike section 726 from the bill relating to importation of prescription drugs (by a recorded vote of 146 ayes to 283 noes, Roll No. 806); **Pages H9625–28, H9639, H9643–44**

Kingston amendment (No. 6 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit the use of funds in the bill to apply labor standards under the Davis-Bacon Act to contracts for construction of renewable energy systems (by a recorded vote of 152 ayes to 278 noes, Roll No. 807); **Pages H9628–29, H9639, H9644**

Jordan amendment (No. 7 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to reduce discretionary appropriations in the bill by 5.5 percent (by a recorded vote of 146 ayes to 284 noes, Roll No. 808); **Pages H9629–31, H9639, H9644–45**

Flake amendment (No. 8 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit

funds from being used for the Catfish Pathogen Genomic Project in Auburn, Alabama (by a recorded vote of 74 ayes to 357 noes, Roll No. 809);

**Pages H9631–33, H9639, H9645–46**

Flake amendment (No. 9 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit funds from being used for grape genetics research in Geneva, New York (by a recorded vote of 76 ayes to 353 noes, Roll No. 810);

**Pages H9633–34, H9639, H9646**

Flake amendment (No. 10 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit funds from being used for the Alternative Uses of Tobacco (MD) grant (by a recorded vote of 94 ayes to 337 noes, Roll No. 811);

**Pages H9634–35, H9639, H9646–47**

Flake amendment (No. 11 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit funds from being used for the Ruminant Nutrition Consortium of MT, ND, SD, and WY (by a recorded vote of 74 ayes to 355 noes, Roll No. 812); and **Pages H9635–37, H9639, H9647–48**

Flake amendment (No. 12 printed in Part B of House Report 110–290) that sought to prohibit funds from being used for the Wood Utilization (OR, MS, NC, MN, ME, MI, ID, TN, AK, WV) grant (by a recorded vote of 68 ayes to 363 noes, Roll No. 813). **Pages H9637–39, H9648–49**

H. Res. 599, the rule providing for consideration of the bill, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 224 yeas to 194 nays, Roll No. 800, after agreeing to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 225 yeas to 197 nays, Roll No. 799).

**Pages H9579–88, H9589–91**

**Moment of Silence:** The Committee of the Whole observed a moment of silence in honor of the victims of the bridge collapse in Minneapolis, Minnesota on August 1st. **Page H9647**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 11:18 p.m. and reconvened at 8:44 a.m. on Friday, August 3rd.

**Page H9652**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H9565 and H9618.

**Senate Referrals:** S. 845 was referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce. **Page H9652**

**Amendments:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H9658.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Eleven yea-and-nay votes and fifteen recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H9562–63, H9563, H9564, H9564–65, H9577–78, H9578–79, H9579, H9588–89, H9590–91, H9591, H9604–05, H9605–06, H9641, H9642, H9642–43, H9643–44, H9644, H9644–45, H9645–46, H9646, H9646–47, H9647–48, H9648–49, H9650, H9651, and H9651–52. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 9:00 a.m. and at 8:46 a.m. on Friday, August 3rd.

# *Committee Meetings*

## MARINE CORPS NEXT OF KIN NOTIFICATION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing to follow up on the notification of family members of next of kin of deceased and wounded process for the Marine Corps. Testimony was heard from GEN Robert Magnus, USMC, Assistant Commandant, U.S. Marine Corps, Department of Defense.

## HURRICANES KATRINA AND RITA BUDGET EFFECTS

*Committee on the Budget:* Held a hearing on Hurricanes Katrina and Rita: What will be the long-term effect on the federal budget? Testimony was heard from Stanley Czerwinski, Director, Intergovernmental Affairs and Strategic Issues, GAO; Donald E. Powell, Federal Coordinator of Gulf Coast Rebuilding, Department of Homeland Security; and Reverend Donald Boutte, Pastor, St. John Baptist Church, New Orleans, Louisiana.

## MERCURY EXPORT BAN ACT

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Environment and Hazardous Materials approved for full Committee action, as amended, H.R. 1534, Mercury Export Ban Act of 2007.

## U.S. AFRICA COMMAND

*Committee on Foreign Affairs:* Subcommittee on Africa and Global Health held a hearing on Africa Command: Opportunity for Enhanced Engagement or the Militarization of U.S.-Africa Relations.'' Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of State: Michael E. Hess, Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Democracy, Conflict and Humanitarian Assistance, U.S. Agency for International Development; and Stephen D. Mull, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Political-Military Affairs; Theresa M. Whelan, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Africa, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

## OVERSIGHT—ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION

*Committee on House Administration:* Subcommittee on Elections held an oversight hearing on the Election Assistance Commission. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Election Assistance

Commission: Donetta Davidson, Chair; and Rosemary Rodriguez, Vice Chair; and public witnesses.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Ordered reported the following bills: H. R 2740, amended, MEJA Expansion and Enforcement Act of 2007; H.R. 1119, amended, Purple Heart Family Equity Act of 2007; and H.R. 1071, September 11 Family Humanitarian Relief and Patriotism Act.

## ENDANGERED SALMON PREDATION PREVENTION ACT

*Committee on Natural Resources,* Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans, held a hearing on H.R. 1769, Endangered Salmon Predation Prevention Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Baird and Hastings of Washington; Bob Lohn, Regional Administrator, National Marine Fisheries Service, Northwest Region, NOAA, Department of Commerce; John E. Reynolds, III, Chairman, Marine Mammal Commission; Guy Norman, Regional Director, Department of Fish and Wildlife, State of Washington; Robin Brown, Marine Mammal Research Program Leader, Department of Fish and Wildlife, State of Oregon; and public witnesses

## NATIONAL PARK CENTENNIAL MEASURES

*Committee on Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3094, National Park Centennial Fund Act; and H.R. 2959, National Park Centennial Challenge Fund Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Souder, Tiahrt and Baird; Mary A. Bomar, Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform:* Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 312, amended, Civilian Service Recognition Act of 2007; H.R. 928, amended, Improving Government Accountability Act; H. Res. 554, Supporting the Goals and Ideals of National Passport Month; H.R. 3106, To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 805 Main Street in Ferdinand, Indiana, as the "Staff Sergeant David L. Nord Post Office;" H.R. 2778, To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3 Quaker Ridge Road in New Rochelle, New York, as the "Robert Merrill Postal Station;" H.R. 1054, amended, District of Columbia Legislative Autonomy Act of 2007; and H. Res. 544, Expressing the sympathy and pledging the support of the House of Representatives and the people of the United States for the victims of the devastating thunderstorms that caused severe flooding in 20 counties in eastern Kansas beginning on June 26, 2007.

## FEDERAL COMPENSATION—BENEFITS

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Federal Workforce, Postal Services, and the District of Columbia continued hearings on Federal Compensation, Part 2, Benefits. Testimony was heard from Representatives Tom Davis of Virginia; and Moran of Virginia; from the following officials of the OPM: Linda M. Springer; and Patrick McFarland, Inspector General; Gregory Long, Executive Director, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board; the following Specialists in Social Legislation, Domestic Social Policy Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress: Hinda Chaikind and Patrick Purcell; and public witnesses.

## DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

*Committee on Small Business:* Held a hearing entitled "Disaster Planning and Recovery: Are We Ready for Another Katrina?" Testimony was heard from Paul Schneider, Under Secretary, Management, Department of Homeland Security; Lurita Doan, Administrator, GSA; the following officials of the Department of Defense: James I. Finley, Deputy Under Secretary, Acquisition and Technology; and LTG Robert Van Antwerp, USA, Chief of Engineers, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Robert Henke, Assistant Secretary, Management, Department of Veterans Affairs; and Steven Preston, Administrator, SBA.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 3246, amended, Regional Economic and Infrastructure Development Act of 2007; H.R. 3224, amended, Dam Rehabilitation and Repair Act of 2007; H.R. 3247, amended, Hurricanes Katrina and Rita Recovery Facilitation Act of 2007; H.R. 409, To amend title 23, United States Code, to inspect highway tunnels; H.R. 2671, To designate the United States courthouse located at 301 North Miami Avenue, Miami, Florida, as the "C. Clyde Atkins United States Courthouse;" H.R. 2728, To designate the station of the United States Border Patrol located at 25762 Madison Avenue in Murrieta, California, as the "Theodore L. Newton, Jr., and George F. Azrak Border Patrol Station;" H. Res. 444, Supporting the goals and ideals of National Aviation Maintenance Technician Day, honoring the invaluable contributions of Charles Edward Taylor, regarded as the father of aviation maintenance, and recognizing the essential role of aviation maintenance technicians in ensuring the safety and security of civil and military aircraft; H. Res. 549, Recognizing the importance of America's Waterway Watch program; H. Res. 592,

Supporting first responders in the United States in their efforts to prepare for and respond to natural disasters, acts of terrorism, and other manmade disasters, and affirming the goals and ideals of National First Responder Appreciation Day; and H.R. 3311, To authorize funds for emergency repairs and reconstruction of the Interstate I–35 bridge located in Minneapolis, Minnesota, that collapsed on August 1, 2007, to waive the $100,000,000 limitation on emergency relief funds for those emergency repairs and reconstruction.

### COAST GUARD MARINE SAFETY PROGRAM

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation held a hearing on Challenges Facing the Coast Guard's Marine Safety Program. Testimony was heard from ADM Thad Allen, USCG, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security; and public witnesses.

### CHINA TRADE SAFETY

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing on Legislation Related to Trade with China. Testimony was heard from Senator Stabenow; Representatives Davis of Alabama; Hunter, Regula, Knollenberg, Visclosky, Stupak, Ryan of Ohio, Arcuri, and Braley of Iowa; David M. Spooner, Assistant Secretary, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce; Mark Sobel, Deputy Assistant Secretary, International Monetary and Financial Policy, Department of the Treasury; Daniel Brinza, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Monitory and Enforcement; Daniel Baldwin, Assistant Commissioner, Office of International Trade, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security; and public witnesses.

### BRIEFING—INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY UPDATE ON IRAQ

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Met in executive session to receive a briefing on Intelligence Community Update on Iraq. The Committee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

### BRIEFING—CIA NEW COUNTER TERRORISM ACTIVITY

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Subcommittee on Terrorism, Human Intelligence, Analysis and Counterintelligence met in executive session to receive a briefing on CIA new Counter Terrorism Activity. The Subcommittee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

## *Joint Meetings*

### MEDIA FREEDOM: OSCE

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe:* Commission concluded a hearing to examine freedom of the media in the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) region, after receiving testimony from Nina Ognianova, Committee to Protect Journalists, New York, New York; Paula Schriefer, Freedom House, Washington, DC; and Fatima Tlisova, Karachay-Cherkess Republic.

## NEW PUBLIC LAWS

*(For last listing of Public Laws, see* DAILY DIGEST, *p. D1115)*

H.J. Res. 44, approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003. Signed on August 1, 2007. (Public Law 110–52)

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 2007

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Armed Services:* to receive a closed briefing regarding the treatment of detainees, 8 a.m., SR–222.

### House

*Committee on House Administration,* Election Task Force, to receive a GAO briefing on the status of the Investigation into the FL–13 Congressional District Contested Election, 10 a.m., 1310 Longworth.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* Subcommittee on Immigration, Citizenship, Refugees, Border Security, and International Law, meeting to request Department of Homeland Security Departmental Reports on the Beneficiaries of certain private bills, 1 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Next Meeting of the* SENATE

9:30 a.m., Friday, August 3

Senate Chamber

**Program for Friday:** Senate will begin consideration of the nomination of Timothy D. DeGiusti, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Oklahoma, and after a period of debate, vote on confirmation thereon.

*Next Meeting of the* HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Friday, August 3

House Chamber

**Program for Friday:** To be announced.

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