

Levin Oberstar
 Lewis (GA) Obey
 Lipinski Olson
 LoBiondo Oliver
 Loebsack Ortiz
 Lofgren, Zoe Pallone
 Lowey Pascarell
 Lucas Pastor (AZ)
 Luetkemeyer Paulsen
 Luján Payne
 Lungren, Daniel Pence
 E. Perlmutter
 Lynch Perriello
 Maffei Peters
 Maloney Peterson
 Manzullo Petri
 Markey (CO) Pingree (ME)
 Markey (MA) Platts
 Marshall Poe (TX)
 Massa Polis (CO)
 Matheson Pomeroy
 Matsui Posey
 McCollum Price (NC)
 McCotter Putnam
 McDermott Quigley
 McGovern Rahall
 McHenry Rangel
 McHugh Rehberg
 McIntyre Reichert
 McKeon Reyes
 McMahan Richardson
 McMorris Rodriguez
 Rodgers Roe (TN)
 McNerney Rogers (AL)
 Meek (FL) Rogers (KY)
 Meeks (NY) Rogers (MI)
 Melancon Rooney
 Mica Ros-Lehtinen
 Michaud Roskam
 Miller (FL) Ross
 Miller (MI) Rothman (NJ)
 Miller (NC) Roybal-Allard
 Miller, Gary Ruppersberger
 Miller, George Rush
 Minnick Ryan (OH)
 Mitchell Ryan (WI)
 Mollohan Salazar
 Moore (KS) Sánchez, Linda
 Moore (WI) T.
 Moran (KS) Sanchez, Loretta
 Moran (VA) Sarbanes
 Murphy (CT) Schakowsky
 Murphy (NY) Schauer
 Murphy, Patrick Schiff
 Murphy, Tim Schmidt
 Murtha Schock
 Nadler (NY) Schrader
 Napolitano Schwartz
 Neal (MA) Scott (GA)
 Nye Scott (VA)

NAYS—68

Akin Franks (AZ)
 Bachus Garrett (NJ)
 Barrett (SC) Gingrey (GA)
 Bartlett Gohmert
 Barton (TX) Goodlatte
 Billrakis Granger
 Blackburn Hensarling
 Boehner Herger
 Brady (TX) Inglis
 Broun (GA) Issa
 Burgess Johnson, Sam
 Campbell Jordan (OH)
 Cantor Kingston
 Carter Lamborn
 Chaffetz Lance
 Coffman (CO) Latta
 Conaway Lewis (CA)
 Culberson Linder
 Deal (GA) Lummis
 Dreier Mack
 Duncan Marchant
 Flake McCarthy (CA)
 Foxx McCaul

NOT VOTING—2

Bishop (UT) McCarthy (NY)

□ 1649

Messrs. BACHUS and COFFMAN of Colorado changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. YOUNG of Alaska, SPRATT, BURTON of Indiana, CRENSHAW, HOEKSTRA, and JONES changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

RECOGNIZING THE 20TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FALL OF THE BERLIN WALL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 496, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from American Samoa (Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 496, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 432, nays 0, not voting 1, as follows:

[Roll No. 660]
 YEAS—432

Abercrombie Calvert
 Ackerman Camp
 Aderholt Campbell
 Adler (NJ) Cantor
 Akin Cao
 Alexander Capito
 Altmire Capps
 Andrews Capuano
 Arcuri Cardoza
 Austria Carnahan
 Baca Carney
 Bachmann Carson (IN)
 Bachus Carter
 Baird Cassidy
 Baldwin Castle
 Barrett (SC) Castor (FL)
 Barrow Chaffetz
 Bartlett Chandler
 Barton (TX) Childers
 Bean Chu
 Becerra Clarke
 Berkeley Clay
 Berman Cleaver
 Berry Clyburn
 Biggert Coble
 Bilbray Coffman (CO)
 Bilirakis Cohen
 Bishop (GA) Cole
 Bishop (NY) Conaway
 Bishop (UT) Connolly (VA)
 Blackburn Conyers
 Blumenauer Cooper
 Blunt Costa
 Boccieri Costello
 Boehner Courtney
 Bonner Crenshaw
 Bono Mack Crowley
 Boozman Cuellar
 Boren Culberson
 Boswell Cummings
 Boucher Dahlkemper
 Boustany Davis (AL)
 Boyd Davis (CA)
 Brady (PA) Davis (IL)
 Brady (TX) Davis (KY)
 Braley (IA) Davis (TN)
 Bright Deal (GA)
 Broun (GA) DeFazio
 Brown (SC) DeGette
 Brown, Corrine Delahunt
 Brown-Waite, DeLauro
 Ginny Dent
 Buchanan Diaz-Balart, L.
 Burgess Diaz-Balart, M.
 Burton (IN) Dicks
 Butterfield Dingell
 Buyer Doggett

Herger
 Herseth Sandlin
 Higgins
 Hill
 Himes
 Hinchey
 Hinojosa
 Hirono
 Hodes
 Hoekstra
 Holden
 Holt
 Honda
 Hoyer
 Hunter
 Inglis
 Inslee
 Israel
 Issa
 Jackson (IL)
 Jackson-Lee (TX)
 Jenkins
 Johnson (GA)
 Johnson (IL)
 Johnson, E. B.
 Johnson, Sam
 Jones
 Jordan (OH)
 Kagen
 Kanjorski
 Kaptur
 Kennedy
 Kildee
 Kilpatrick (MI)
 Kilroy
 Kind
 King (IA)
 King (NY)
 Kingston
 Kirk
 Kirkpatrick (AZ)
 Kissell
 Klein (FL)
 Kline (MN)
 Kosmas
 Kratovil
 Kucinich
 Lamborn
 Lance
 Langevin
 Larsen (WA)
 Larson (CT)
 Latham
 LaTourette
 Latta
 Lee (CA)
 Lee (NY)
 Levin
 Lewis (CA)
 Lewis (GA)
 Linder
 Lipinski
 LoBiondo
 Loebsack
 Lofgren, Zoe
 Lowey
 Lucas
 Luetkemeyer
 Luján
 Lummis
 Lungren, Daniel
 E.
 Lynch
 Mack
 Maffei
 Maloney
 Manzullo
 Marchant
 Markey (CO)
 Markey (MA)
 Marshall
 Massa
 Matheson
 Matsui
 McCarthy (CA)
 McCaul
 McClintock
 McCollum

NOT VOTING—1
 McCarthy (NY)

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1656

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COACH JODIE BAILEY POST OFFICE BUILDING

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 3072.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. CLAY) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3072.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

SUPPORTING VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS DAY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 483.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. CLAY) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 483.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

□ 1700

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. MURTHA. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks and include tabular and extraneous material on H.R. 3326.

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

There was no objection.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2010

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 685 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3326) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes.

□ 1704

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3326) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes, with Ms. BALDWIN in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIR. Pursuant to the rule, the bill is considered read the first time. The gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. MURTHA) and the gentleman from Florida (Mr. YOUNG) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Pennsylvania.

Mr. MURTHA. Madam Chairman, yesterday I was out at Bethesda, and I saw a young fellow that was wounded 2 years ago. And when he was wounded, his internal organs were outside the body for almost 10 days. And he's been putting up with that ever since, until he came back to Bethesda and had an operation just recently, where they were able to take the bag away that he had and restore his internal organs. That's what this bill's all about.

This Defense bill is all about taking care of the troops, making sure they have what they need. BILL YOUNG and I work together, going to the hospital, seeing the wounded. We listen to what they say and what they need. We listen to them at the bases. We had 37 hearings this year, 51 trips that the staff made all over the country to visit the various installations to find out what the problems were.

I was out at Fort Carson where the commanding officer—and this is not something that I'm divulging, this is something that's already known—his one boy was killed in Iraq, and his other son committed suicide before he

was sworn in. So he's been emphasizing how do you reduce suicides in the military. The units that came back, we've just found, have had some terrible problems with people, robberies and actually homicide, some of the actual units, at least allegedly. That's what we've seen in the newspaper.

These troops are under a tremendous strain. They're deployed too often. When I talked to the 12 troops there at Fort Carson and Fort Benning, they all told me the biggest single problem is the long deployments and the lack of time at home. And JERRY LEWIS, who was chairman of the subcommittee—and BILL will tell you the same thing—when we talk to the troops, they talk about how they need more time at home. They need to spend some time at home. And even when they're home, they're training. They don't have an opportunity to visit with their families as long as they would like.

We've had hundreds of meetings with Members of Congress, hundreds of input from Members of Congress on the floor and in the committee room, trying to make sure we put a bill together that was bipartisan. We've been partners in this thing the whole way through. And we've tried to make sure—and the thrust of this bill has been for the Department to start hiring more people and getting rid of the contractors, in other words, get rid of contractors and hire people because contractors cost \$44,000 more.

Well, we just find every time we turn around we find somebody at the lower level is making all kinds of changes in that policy, and we worry about it. In this bill, we have a number of things that we've done that help, not only military families, but do research for long term. We put the first money in, for instance, military pay. We raised them five tenths of a percent above the request.

First-class medical care is one of the things that we stress. Peer-reviewed research programs. \$150 million for breast cancer research, \$80 million for prostate cancer research, \$30 million for orthopedic research. An amazing thing, the military didn't have any money in for these kinds of things until we stepped in in the subcommittee in the forefront of making sure that that gets done. \$472.4 million for family advocacy programs. I could go on and on. I don't want to go too long on this debate.