

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER
PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the follow order:

- Passage of H.R. 115; and
- Suspending the rules and passing H.R. 1892.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. The remaining electronic vote will be conducted as a 5-minute vote.

THIN BLUE LINE ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on passage of the bill (H.R. 115) to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide additional aggravating factors for the imposition of the death penalty based on the status of the victim, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

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

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 271, nays 143, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 265]
YEAS—271

Abraham	Cramer	Herrera Beutler
Aderholt	Crist	Hice, Jody B.
Aguilar	Cuellar	Higgins (LA)
Allen	Culberson	Higgins (NY)
Amodei	Davidson	Hill
Arrington	Davis, Rodney	Holding
Babin	Demings	Hollingsworth
Bacon	Denham	Hudson
Banks (IN)	Dent	Huizenga
Barletta	DeSantis	Hultgren
Barr	DesJarlais	Hunter
Barton	Deutch	Hurd
Bera	Diaz-Balart	Issa
Bergman	Donovan	Jenkins (KS)
Biggs	Duffy	Jenkins (WV)
Bilirakis	Duncan (SC)	Johnson (LA)
Bishop (GA)	Duncan (TN)	Johnson (OH)
Bishop (MI)	Dunn	Jones
Bishop (UT)	Emmer	Jordan
Black	Estes (KS)	Joyce (OH)
Blackburn	Farenthold	Katko
Blum	Faso	Kelly (MS)
Bost	Ferguson	Kelly (PA)
Brady (TX)	Fitzpatrick	Kilmer
Brat	Fleischmann	Kind
Bridenstine	Flores	King (IA)
Brooks (AL)	Fortenberry	King (NY)
Brooks (IN)	Foxx	Kinzinger
Buchanan	Franks (AZ)	Knight
Buck	Frelinghuysen	Krishnamoorthi
Bucshon	Gaetz	Kustoff (TN)
Budd	Gallagher	Labrador
Burgess	Garamendi	LaHood
Bustos	Garrett	LaMalfa
Byrne	Gibbs	Lamborn
Calvert	Gonzalez (TX)	Lance
Carbajal	Goodlatte	Latta
Carter (GA)	Gosar	Lawson (FL)
Carter (TX)	Gottheimer	Lewis (MN)
Cartwright	Gowdy	Lipinski
Castor (FL)	Granger	LoBiondo
Chabot	Graves (GA)	Long
Cheney	Graves (LA)	Loudermilk
Coffman	Graves (MO)	Love
Collins (GA)	Green, Gene	Lucas
Collins (NY)	Griffith	Luetkemeyer
Comer	Grothman	Lynch
Comstock	Guthrie	MacArthur
Conaway	Harper	Maloney, Sean
Cook	Harris	Marchant
Correa	Hartzler	Marino
Costa	Heck	Marshall
Costello (PA)	Hensarling	Mast

McCarthy	Ratcliffe	Stefanik
McCaul	Reed	Stewart
McClintock	Reichert	Stivers
McHenry	Renacci	Taylor
McKinley	Rice (SC)	Tenney
McMorris	Roby	Thompson (CA)
Rodgers	Roe (TN)	Thompson (MS)
McSally	Rogers (AL)	Thompson (PA)
Meadows	Rogers (KY)	Thornberry
Meehan	Rohrabacher	Tiberi
Meng	Rokita	Tipton
Messer	Rooney, Francis	Torres
Moolenaar	Ros-Lehtinen	Trott
Mooney (WV)	Rosen	Turner
Mullin	Roskam	Upton
Murphy (FL)	Ross	Valadao
Murphy (PA)	Rothfus	Vela
Noem	Rouzer	Wagner
Norcross	Royce (CA)	Walberg
Nunes	Ruiz	Walden
O'Halleran	Ruppersberger	Walker
O'Rourke	Rutherford	Walorski
Olson	Sanford	Walters, Mimi
Palazzo	Scalise	Weber (TX)
Palmer	Schiff	Webster (FL)
Panetta	Schrader	Wenstrup
Pascarell	Schweikert	Westerman
Paulsen	Scott, Austin	Williams
Pearce	Sensenbrenner	Wilson (SC)
Perlmutter	Shimkus	Wittman
Perry	Shuster	Womack
Peters	Simpson	Woodall
Peterson	Sinema	Yoder
Pittenger	Smith (MO)	Yoho
Poe (TX)	Smith (NE)	Young (AK)
Poliquin	Smith (TX)	Young (IA)
Posey	Smucker	Zeldin
Quigley	Soto	

NAYS—143

Adams	Evans	Moore
Amash	Poster	Moulton
Barragán	Frankel (FL)	Nadler
Bass	Fudge	Neal
Beatty	Gabbard	Nolan
Beyer	Gallego	Pallone
Blumenauer	Green, Al	Payne
Blunt Rochester	Grijalva	Pelosi
Bonamici	Hanabusa	Pingree
Boyle, Brendan	Hastings	Pocan
F.	Himes	Polis
Brady (PA)	Hoyer	Price (NC)
Brown (MD)	Huffman	Raskin
Brownley (CA)	Jackson Lee	Rice (NY)
Butterfield	Jayapal	Richmond
Capuano	Jeffries	Roybal-Allard
Cárdenas	Johnson (GA)	Rush
Carson (IN)	Johnson, E. B.	Ryan (OH)
Castro (TX)	Kaptur	Sánchez
Chu, Judy	Keating	Sarbanes
Ciulline	Kelly (IL)	Schakowsky
Clark (MA)	Kennedy	Schneider
Clarke (NY)	Khanna	Scott (VA)
Clay	Kihuen	Scott, David
Cleaver	Kildee	Serrano
Clyburn	Kuster (NH)	Sewell (AL)
Cohen	Langevin	Shea-Porter
Connolly	Larsen (WA)	Sherman
Conyers	Larson (CT)	Sires
Cooper	Lawrence	Slaughter
Courtney	Lee	Smith (NJ)
Crowley	Levin	Smith (WA)
Cummings	Lewis (GA)	Speier
Davis (CA)	Lieu, Ted	Takano
Davis, Danny	Loeb sack	Titus
DeFazio	Lofgren	Tonko
DeGette	Lowenthal	Tsongas
Delaney	Lowe	Vargas
DelLauro	Lujan Grisham,	Veasey
DelBene	M.	Velázquez
DeSaulnier	Luján, Ben Ray	Visclosky
Dingell	Maloney,	Walz
Doggett	Carolyn B.	Wasserman
Doyle, Michael	Massie	Schultz
F.	Matsui	Waters, Maxine
Ellison	McCollum	Watson Coleman
Engel	McGovern	Welch
Eshoo	McNerney	Yarmuth
Espallat	Meeke	
Esty (CT)	Mitchell	

NOT VOTING—16

Chaffetz	Johnson, Sam
Cole	McEachin
Crawford	Napolitano
Curbelo (FL)	Newhouse
Gohmert	Rooney, Thomas
Gutiérrez	J.

□ 1620

Ms. PINGREE and Mr. AL GREEN of Texas changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. HIGGINS of New York, TIP-TON, and CARBAJAL changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Ms. WILSON of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on rollcall No. 265.

Stated against:

Mr. SUOZZI. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “nay” on rollcall No. 265.

HONORING HOMETOWN HEROES
ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HULTGREN). The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1892) to amend title 4, United States Code, to provide for the flying of the flag at half-staff in the event of the death of a first responder in the line of duty, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Virginia (Mr. GOODLATTE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 411, nays 1, not voting 18, as follows:

[Roll No. 266]

YEAS—411

Abraham	Brown (MD)	Costa
Adams	Brownley (GA)	Costello (PA)
Aderholt	Buchanan	Courtney
Aguilar	Bucshon	Cramer
Allen	Budd	Crist
Amash	Burgess	Crowley
Amodei	Bustos	Cuellar
Arrington	Butterfield	Culberson
Babin	Byrne	Cummings
Bacon	Calvert	Davidson
Banks (IN)	Capuano	Davis (CA)
Barletta	Carbajal	Davis, Danny
Barr	Cárdenas	Davis, Rodney
Barragán	Carson (IN)	DeFazio
Barton	Carter (GA)	DeGette
Bass	Carter (TX)	Delaney
Beatty	Cartwright	DeLauro
Bera	Castor (FL)	DelBene
Bergman	Castro (TX)	Demings
Beyer	Chabot	Denham
Biggs	Cheney	Dent
Bilirakis	Chu, Judy	DeSantis
Bishop (GA)	Ciulline	DeSaulnier
Bishop (MI)	Clark (MA)	DesJarlais
Bishop (UT)	Clarke (NY)	Deutch
Black	Diaz-Balart	Duffy
Blackburn	Cleaver	Duncan (SC)
Blum	Clyburn	Duncan (TN)
Blumenauer	Coffman	Dunn
Blunt Rochester	Cohen	Emmer
Bonamici	Collins (GA)	Engel
Bost	Collins (NY)	Eshoo
Boyle, Brendan	Comer	Espallat
F.	Comstock	
Brady (PA)	Conaway	
Brady (TX)	Connolly	
Brat	Conyers	
Bridenstine	Cook	
Brooks (AL)	Cooper	
Brooks (IN)	Correa	

Estes (KS)	Lawrence	Rokita
Esty (CT)	Lawson (FL)	Rooney, Francis
Evans	Lee	Ros-Lehtinen
Farenthold	Levin	Rosen
Faso	Lewis (GA)	Roskam
Ferguson	Lewis (MN)	Ross
Fitzpatrick	Lieu, Ted	Rothfus
Fleischmann	Lipinski	Rouzer
Flores	LoBiondo	Roybal-Allard
Fortenberry	Loebsock	Royce (CA)
Foster	Lofgren	Ruiz
Fox	Long	Ruppersberger
Frankel (FL)	Loudermilk	Rush
Franks (AZ)	Love	Rutherford
Frelinghuysen	Lowenthal	Ryan (OH)
Fudge	Lowe	Sánchez
Gabbard	Lucas	Sanford
Gaetz	Luetkemeyer	Sarbanes
Gallagher	Lujan Grisham,	Scalise
Galleo	M.	Schakowsky
Garamendi	Luján, Ben Ray	Schiff
Garrett	Garrett	Schneider
Gibbs	MacArthur	Schrader
Gonzalez (TX)	Maloney,	Schweikert
Goodlatte	Carolyn B.	Scott (VA)
Gosar	Maloney, Sean	Scott, Austin
Gottheimer	Marchant	Scott, David
Gowdy	Marino	Sensenbrenner
Granger	Marshall	Serrano
Graves (GA)	Massie	Sewell (AL)
Graves (LA)	Mast	Shea-Porter
Graves (MO)	Matsui	Sherman
Green, Al	McCarthy	Shimkus
Green, Gene	McCaul	Shuster
Griffith	McClintock	Simpson
Grothman	McCollum	Sinema
Guthrie	McGovern	Sires
Hanabusa	McHenry	Slaughter
Harper	McKinley	Smith (MO)
Harris	McMorris	Smith (NE)
Hartzler	Rodgers	Smith (NJ)
Heck	McNerney	Smith (TX)
Hensarling	McSally	Smith (WA)
Herrera Beutler	Meadows	Smucker
Hice, Jody B.	Meehan	Soto
Higgins (LA)	Meeks	Speier
Higgins (NY)	Meng	Stefanik
Hill	Messer	Stewart
Himes	Mitchell	Stivers
Holding	Moolenaar	Suozi
Hollingsworth	Mooney (WV)	Takano
Hoyer	Moore	Taylor
Hudson	Moulton	Tenney
Huffman	Mullin	Thompson (CA)
Huizenga	Murphy (FL)	Thompson (MS)
Hultgren	Murphy (PA)	Thompson (PA)
Hunter	Nadler	Thornberry
Hurd	Neal	Tiberi
Issa	Nolan	Tipton
Jackson Lee	Norcross	Titus
Jayapal	Nunes	Tonko
Jeffries	O'Halleran	Torres
Jenkins (KS)	O'Rourke	Trott
Jenkins (WV)	Olson	Tsongas
Johnson (GA)	Palazzo	Turner
Johnson (LA)	Pallone	Upton
Johnson (OH)	Palmer	Valadao
Johnson, E. B.	Panetta	Vargas
Jones	Pascrell	Veasey
Jordan	Paulsen	Vela
Joyce (OH)	Payne	Velázquez
Kaptur	Pearce	Visclosky
Katko	Pelosi	Wagner
Keating	Perlmutter	Walberg
Kelly (IL)	Perry	Walden
Kelly (MS)	Peters	Walorski
Kelly (PA)	Peterson	Walters, Mimi
Kennedy	Pingree	Walz
Khanna	Pittenger	Wasserman
Kihuen	Pocan	Schultz
Kildee	Poe (TX)	Waters, Maxine
Kilmer	Poliquin	Watson Coleman
Kind	Polis	Weber (TX)
King (IA)	Posey	Webster (FL)
King (NY)	Price (NC)	Welch
Kinzinger	Quigley	Wenstrup
Knight	Raskin	Westerman
Krishnamoorthi	Ratcliffe	Williams
Kuster (NH)	Reed	Wilson (FL)
Kustoff (TN)	Reichert	Wilson (SC)
Labrador	Renacci	Wittman
LaHood	Rice (NY)	Womack
LaMalfa	Rice (SC)	Woodall
Lamborn	Richmond	Yarmuth
Lance	Roby	Yoho
Langevin	Roe (TN)	Young (AK)
Larsen (WA)	Rogers (AL)	Young (IA)
Larson (CT)	Rogers (KY)	Zeldin
Latta	Rohrabacher	

NAYS—1

Hastings
NOT VOTING—18

Buck	Gutiérrez	Rooney, Thomas
Chaffetz	Johnson, Sam	J.
Cole	McEachin	Russell
Crawford	Napolitano	Sessions
Curbelo (FL)	Newhouse	Swalwell (CA)
Gohmert	Noem	Walker
Grijalva		

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1627

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall Vote No. 263, I would have voted "nay" on ordering the previous question on H. Res. 324, providing for consideration of H.R. 1039. On rollcall Vote No. 264, I would have voted "no" on agreeing to H. Res. 324, providing for consideration of H.R. 1039. On rollcall Vote No. 265, I would have voted "nay" on passage of H.R. 115, Thin Blue Line Act. On rollcall Vote No. 266, I would have voted "yea" on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 1892, Honoring Hometown Heroes Act.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. THOMAS J. ROONEY of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I missed rollcall vote Nos. 265 and 266. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 265, and "yea" on rollcall No. 266.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. COLE. Mr. Speaker, circumstances have arisen which caused me to return home to Oklahoma early. However, had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 263, "yea" on rollcall No. 264, "yea" on rollcall No. 265, and "yea" on rollcall No. 266.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. CURBELO of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I missed votes on account of family obligations in the district. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 265, and "yea" on rollcall No. 266.

□ 1630

ANNOUNCEMENT BY COMMITTEE ON RULES REGARDING AMENDMENT PROCESS FOR H.R. 953, REDUCING REGULATORY BURDENS ACT OF 2017; H.R. 1761, PROTECTING AGAINST CHILD EXPLOITATION ACT OF 2017; AND H.R. 1973, PROTECTING YOUNG VICTIMS FROM SEXUAL ABUSE ACT OF 2017

Mr. WOODALL. Mr. Speaker, the Committee on Rules has issued announcements outlining the amendment process for three measures that will likely be before the Committee on Rules next week. The amendment deadline has been set for Monday, May 22 at 10 a.m. for H.R. 953, the Reducing Regulatory Burdens Act of 2017; for Monday,

May 22 at 3 p.m. for H.R. 1761, the Protecting Against Child Exploitation Act of 2017; and Tuesday, May 23 at 10 a.m. for H.R. 1973, the Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse Act of 2017.

The text of these measures, Mr. Speaker, is available on the Committee on Rules website at this time, and Members can feel free to contact the Committee on Rules with any questions regarding the amendment process.

CITIZENSHIP FOR SURVIVORS OF FALLEN FIRST RESPONDERS

(Mr. BACON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BACON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to ask my colleagues to join me in support of H.R. 1970, the Kerrie Orozco Act. This coming Saturday is the 2-year anniversary of the death of the Omaha Police Officer Kerrie Orozco, who was killed while serving a warrant to a convicted felon and known gang member. May 20, 2015, will forever be a somber day in the Omaha metro area.

Every day all across the country, first responders put their lives on the line to protect citizens. When Officer Orozco was killed, her husband, Hector, was going through the process to gain U.S. citizenship, and her death put a halt to it. He has an enormous responsibility as a single parent, and we owe it to Kerrie to ensure that her family is provided the same protections they would have had if this unfortunate situation had not occurred.

H.R. 1970 would give many of our first responders peace of mind to know that, even in death, their surviving loved ones can continue the immigration process. This legislation would amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to allow for the surviving family members of a fallen U.S. citizen first responder to be naturalized upon compliance with all requirements.

Current law allows for surviving family members of the U.S. military killed in service of our Nation to continue with their citizenship application. H.R. 1970 will simply extend that privilege to first responders. We owe it to Officer Orozco and other fallen first responders to honor their memory by passing H.R. 1970.

I look forward to working with both Democrats and Republicans in Congress to give our first responders the peace of mind they deserve as they head out the door each day to serve our communities.

STROKE AWARENESS MONTH

(Mrs. BEATTY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mrs. BEATTY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in recognition of May as Stroke Awareness Month. As a stroke survivor, I understand the magnitude of this disease and the hundreds of thousands of lives it touches in American families each year.