

and about children growing up in a society of confusing mixed messages. States have the right to pass consent or notification laws for minors, yet these laws become meaningless when a young girl is assisted taking a trip to another State to avoid the difficult task of counseling with her parents about an unplanned pregnancy.

I urge all of my colleagues to think about the natural role of a parent, the importance of States' rights and, most importantly, the well-being of the children—at risk in these situations. I think these justify a closed rule and I urge support for the rule and H.R. 3682.

Mrs. MYRICK. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time, and I move the previous question on the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

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

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently, a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

Pursuant to clause 5, rule XV, the Chair will reduce to a minimum of 5 minutes the period of time within which a vote by electronic device, if ordered, will be taken on the question of agreeing to the resolution.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 252, nays 174, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 277]

YEAS—252

Aderholt	Cook	Graham
Archer	Cooksey	Granger
Armey	Costello	Gutknecht
Bachus	Cox	Hall (OH)
Baker	Crane	Hall (TX)
Ballenger	Crapo	Hamilton
Barcia	Cubin	Hansen
Barr	Cunningham	Hastert
Barrett (NE)	Davis (VA)	Hastings (WA)
Bartlett	Deal	Hayworth
Barton	DeLay	Hefley
Bass	Diaz-Balart	Herger
Bateman	Dickey	Hill
Bereuter	Doolittle	Hilleary
Berry	Doyle	Hobson
Bilbray	Dreier	Hoekstra
Bilirakis	Duncan	Holden
Bliley	Dunn	Horn
Blunt	Ehlers	Hostettler
Boehner	Ehrlich	Houghton
Bonilla	Emerson	Hulshof
Bono	English	Hunter
Brady (TX)	Ensign	Hutchinson
Bryant	Everett	Hyde
Bunning	Ewing	Inglis
Burr	Fawell	Istook
Burton	Foley	Jenkins
Buyer	Forbes	Johnson (WI)
Callahan	Fossella	Johnson, Sam
Calvert	Fowler	Jones
Camp	Fox	Kanjorski
Campbell	Franks (NJ)	Kasich
Canady	Frelinghuysen	Kildee
Cannon	Gallely	Kim
Chabot	Ganske	King (NY)
Chambliss	Gekas	Kingston
Chenoweth	Gibbons	Klecza
Christensen	Gilchrist	Klink
Coble	Gillmor	Klug
Coburn	Goodlatte	Knollenberg
Collins	Goodling	Kolbe
Combest	Goss	Kucinich

LaFalce	Packard	Skeen	Vento	Waxman	Woolsey
LaHood	Pappas	Skelton	Visclosky	Wexler	Wynn
Largent	Parker	Smith (MI)	Waters	Weygand	Yates
Latham	Paul	Smith (NJ)	Watt (NC)	Wise	
LaTourrette	Paxon	Smith (OR)			
Lazio	Pease	Smith (TX)			
Leach	Peterson (MN)	Smith, Linda			
Lewis (CA)	Peterson (PA)	Snowbarger	Clyburn	Goode	Payne
Lewis (KY)	Petri	Snyder	Dingell	McNulty	Rogan
Linder	Pickering	Solomon	Gonzalez	Moakley	
Lipinski	Pitts	Souder			
Livingston	Pombo	Spence			
LoBiondo	Portman	Stearns			
Lucas	Poshard	Stenholm			
Manton	Pryce (OH)	Stump			
Manzullo	Quinn	Stupak			
Mascara	Radanovich	Sununu			
McCarthy (NY)	Rahall	Talent			
McCollum	Ramstad	Tauzin			
McCrery	Redmond	Taylor (MS)			
McDade	Regula	Taylor (NC)			
McHugh	Riggs	Thomas			
McInnis	Riley	Thornberry			
McIntosh	Roemer	Thune			
McIntyre	Rogers	Tiahrt			
McKeon	Rohrabacher	Trafficant			
Metcalf	Ros-Lehtinen	Turner			
Mica	Roukema	Upton			
Miller (FL)	Royce	Walsh			
Mollohan	Ryun	Wamp			
Moran (KS)	Salmon	Watkins			
Murtha	Sanford	Watts (OK)			
Myrick	Saxton	Weldon (FL)			
Nethercutt	Scarborough	Weldon (PA)			
Neumann	Schaefer, Dan	Weller			
Ney	Schaffer, Bob	White			
Northup	Sensenbrenner	Whitfield			
Norwood	Sessions	Wicker			
Nussle	Shadegg	Wilson			
Oberstar	Shaw	Wolf			
Ortiz	Shimkus	Young (AK)			
Oxley	Shuster	Young (FL)			

NAYS—174

Abercrombie	Filner	Menendez
Ackerman	Ford	Millender-
Allen	Frank (MA)	McDonald
Andrews	Frost	Miller (CA)
Baessler	Furse	Minge
Baldacci	Gejdenson	Mink
Barrett (WI)	Gephardt	Moran (VA)
Becerra	Gilman	Morella
Bentsen	Gordon	Nadler
Berman	Green	Neal
Bishop	Greenwood	Obey
Blagojevich	Gutierrez	Olver
Blumenauer	Harman	Owens
Boehlert	Hastings (FL)	Pallone
Bonior	Hefner	Pascarell
Borski	Hilliard	Pastor
Boswell	Hinche	Pelosi
Boucher	Hinojosa	Pickett
Boyd	Hooley	Pomeroy
Brady (PA)	Hoyer	Porter
Brown (CA)	Jackson (IL)	Price (NC)
Brown (FL)	Jackson-Lee	Rangel
Brown (OH)	(TX)	Reyes
Capps	Jefferson	Rivers
Cardin	John	Rodriguez
Carson	Johnson (CT)	Rothman
Castle	Johnson, E. B.	Roybal-Allard
Clay	Kaptur	Rush
Clayton	Kelly	Sabo
Clement	Kennedy (MA)	Sanchez
Condit	Kennedy (RI)	Sanders
Conyers	Kennelly	Sandlin
Coyne	Kilpatrick	Sawyer
Cramer	Kind (WI)	Schumer
Cummings	Lampson	Scott
Danner	Lantos	Serrano
Davis (FL)	Lee	Shays
Davis (IL)	Levin	Sherman
DeFazio	Lewis (GA)	Sisisky
DeGette	Lofgren	Skaggs
Delahunt	Lowe	Slaughter
DeLauro	Luther	Smith, Adam
Deutsch	Maloney (CT)	Spratt
Dicks	Maloney (NY)	Stabenow
Dixon	Markey	Stark
Doggett	Martinez	Stokes
Dooley	Matsui	Strickland
Edwards	McCarthy (MO)	Tanner
Engel	McDermott	Tauscher
Eshoo	McGovern	Thompson
Etheridge	McHale	Thurman
Evans	McKinney	Tierney
Farr	Meehan	Torres
Fattah	Meek (FL)	Towns
Fazio	Meeks (NY)	Velazquez

Waxman	Woolsey
Wexler	Wynn
Weygand	Yates
Wise	

NOT VOTING—8

Clyburn	Goode	Payne
Dingell	McNulty	Rogan
Gonzalez	Moakley	

□ 1330

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

Messrs. RAHALL, HALL OF TEXAS, GILCHREST, KLINK, MURTHA, DOYLE, KANJORSKI, MASCARA, GOODLING, HOUGHTON, LAFALCE, RADANOVICH, SKELTON, OBERSTAR, and DAVIS of Virginia changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ROGAN. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 277, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. EWING). The question is on the resolution.

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

RECORDED VOTE

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule XV, this will be a five-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 247, noes 173, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 278]

AYES—247

Archer	Cook	Goodling
Armey	Cooksey	Goss
Bachus	Costello	Graham
Baker	Cox	Granger
Ballenger	Crane	Gutknecht
Barcia	Crapo	Hall (OH)
Barr	Cubin	Hall (TX)
Barrett (NE)	Cunningham	Hamilton
Bartlett	Danner	Hansen
Barton	Davis (VA)	Hastert
Bateman	Deal	Hastings (WA)
Bereuter	DeLay	Hayworth
Berry	Diaz-Balart	Hefley
Bilbray	Doolittle	Herger
Bilirakis	Doyle	Hill
Bliley	Dreier	Hilleary
Blunt	Duncan	Hobson
Boehner	Dunn	Hoekstra
Bonilla	Ehlers	Holden
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Bunning	Ensign	Hutchinson
Burr	Everett	Hyde
Burton	Ewing	Inglis
Buyer	Fawell	Istook
Callahan	Foley	Jenkins
Calvert	Forbes	John
Camp	Fossella	Johnson (WI)
Campbell	Fowler	Johnson, Sam
Canady	Fox	Jones
Cannon	Franks (NJ)	Kanjorski
Chabot	Frelinghuysen	Kasich
Chambliss	Gallely	Kildee
Chenoweth	Ganske	Kim
Christensen	Gekas	King (NY)
Coble	Gibbons	Kingston
Coburn	Gilchrist	Klecza
Collins	Gillmor	Klink
Combest	Goodlatte	Klug

Knollenberg	Packard	Shuster
Kucinich	Pappas	Skeen
LaFalce	Parker	Skelton
LaHood	Pascrell	Smith (MI)
Largent	Paul	Smith (NJ)
Latham	Paxon	Smith (OR)
LaTourette	Pease	Smith (TX)
Lazio	Peterson (MN)	Smith, Linda
Leach	Peterson (PA)	Snowbarger
Lewis (CA)	Petri	Snyder
Lewis (KY)	Pickering	Solomon
Linder	Pitts	Spence
Lipinski	Pombo	Stearns
Livingston	Portman	Stump
LoBiondo	Poshard	Stupak
Lucas	Pryce (OH)	Quinn
Manton	Quinn	Talent
Manzullo	Radanovich	Tauzin
Mascara	Rahall	Taylor (MS)
McCarthy (NY)	Ramstad	Taylor (NC)
McCollum	Redmond	Thomas
McCreery	Regula	Thornberry
McHugh	Riggs	Thune
McInnis	Riley	Tiahrt
McIntosh	Roemer	Trafficant
McIntyre	Rogers	Turner
McKeon	Rohrabacher	Walsh
Metcalf	Ros-Lehtinen	Wamp
Mica	Roukema	Watkins
Miller (FL)	Royce	Watts (OK)
Mollohan	Ryun	Weldon (FL)
Moran (KS)	Salmon	Weldon (PA)
Murtha	Sandlin	Weller
Myrick	Sanford	White
Nethercutt	Saxton	Whitfield
Neumann	Scarborough	Wicker
Ney	Schaefer, Dan	Wilson
Northup	Schaffer, Bob	Wolf
Norwood	Sensenbrenner	Young (AK)
Nussle	Sessions	Young (FL)
Oberstar	Shadegg	
Ortiz	Shaw	
Oxley	Shimkus	

Upton	Watt (NC)	Woolsey
Velazquez	Waxman	Wynn
Vento	Wexler	Yates
Visclosky	Weygand	
Waters	Wise	

NOT VOTING—14

Aderholt	Gonzalez	Meek (FL)
Capps	Goode	Moakley
Clyburn	Hefner	Payne
Dickey	McDade	Rogan
Dingell	McNulty	

including a life endangering physical condition caused by or arising from the pregnancy itself.

“(c) CIVIL ACTION.—Any parent or guardian who suffers legal harm from a violation of subsection (a) may obtain appropriate relief in a civil action.

“(d) DEFINITIONS.—For the purposes of this section—

“(1) a law requiring parental involvement in a minor’s abortion decision is a law—

“(A) requiring, before an abortion is performed on a minor, either—

“(i) the notification to, or consent of, a parent or guardian of that minor; or

“(ii) proceedings in a State court; and

“(B) that does not provide as an alternative to the requirements described in subparagraph (A) notification to or consent of any person or entity who is not described in that subparagraph;

“(2) the term ‘minor’ means an individual who is not older than the maximum age requiring parental notification or consent, or proceedings in a State court, under the law requiring parental involvement in a minor’s abortion decision; and

“(3) the term ‘State’ includes the District of Columbia and any commonwealth, possession, or other territory of the United States.”.

□ 1339

Mr. SNYDER changed his vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. CAPPS. Mr. Speaker, during rollcall vote No. 278 on H. Res. 499, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ROGAN. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 278, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. CANADY of Florida. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 499, I call up the bill (H.R. 3682) to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines to avoid laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The bill is considered as having been read for amendment.

The text of H.R. 3682 is as follows:

H.R. 3682

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Child Custody Protection Act”.

SEC. 2. TRANSPORTATION OF MINORS TO AVOID CERTAIN LAWS RELATING TO ABORTION.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting after chapter 117 the following:

“CHAPTER 117A—TRANSPORTATION OF MINORS TO AVOID CERTAIN LAWS RELATING TO ABORTION

“Sec.

“2401. Transportation of minors to avoid certain laws relating to abortion.

“§ 2401. Transportation of minors to avoid certain laws relating to abortion

“(a) OFFENSE.—Except as provided in subsection (b), whoever knowingly transports an individual who has not attained the age of 18 years across a State line, with the intent such individual obtain an abortion, if in fact the requirements of a law, requiring parental involvement in a minor’s abortion decision, in the State where the individual resides, are not met before the individual obtains the abortion, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than one year, or both.

“(b) EXCEPTION.—The prohibition of subsection (a) does not apply if the abortion was necessary to save the life of the minor because her life was endangered by a physical disorder, physical injury, or physical illness,

“(1) a law requiring parental involvement in a minor’s abortion decision is a law—

“(A) requiring, before an abortion is performed on a minor, either—

“(i) the notification to, or consent of, a parent or guardian of that minor; or

“(ii) proceedings in a State court; and

“(B) that does not provide as an alternative to the requirements described in subparagraph (A) notification to or consent of any person or entity who is not described in that subparagraph;

“(2) the term ‘minor’ means an individual who is not older than the maximum age requiring parental notification or consent, or proceedings in a State court, under the law requiring parental involvement in a minor’s abortion decision; and

“(3) the term ‘State’ includes the District of Columbia and any commonwealth, possession, or other territory of the United States.”.

(b) CLERICAL AMENDMENT.—The table of chapters for part 1 of title 18, United States Code, is amended by inserting after the item relating to chapter 117 the following new item:

“117A. Transportation of minors to avoid certain laws relating to abortion 2401.”.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 499, the amendment printed in the bill is adopted.

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“(2) DEFINITION.—For the purposes of this subsection, an abridgement of the right of a parent occurs if an abortion is performed on the individual, in a State other than the State where the individual resides, without the parental consent or notification, or the judicial authorization, that would have been required by that law had the abortion been performed in the State where the individual resides.

NOES—173

Abercrombie	Filner	Meeks (NY)
Ackerman	Ford	Menendez
Allen	Frank (MA)	Millender-Frost
Andrews	Frost	McDonald
Baesler	Furse	Miller (CA)
Baldacci	Gejdenson	Minge
Barrett (WI)	Gephardt	Mink
Bass	Gilman	Moran (VA)
Becerra	Gordon	Morella
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Bishop	Gutierrez	Obey
Blagojevich	Harman	Olver
Blumenauer	Hastings (FL)	Owens
Boehler	Hilliard	Pallone
Bonior	Hinche	Pastor
Borski	Hinojosa	Pelosi
Boswell	Hoolley	Pickett
Boucher	Horn	Pomeroy
Boyd	Houghton	Porter
Brady (PA)	Hoyer	Price (NC)
Brown (CA)	Jackson (IL)	Rangel
Brown (FL)	Jackson-Lee	Reyes
Brown (OH)	(TX)	Rivers
Cardin	Jefferson	Rodriguez
Carson	Johnson (CT)	Rothman
Castle	Johnson, E.B.	Royal-Allard
Clay	Kaptur	Rush
Clayton	Kelly	Sabo
Clement	Kennedy (MA)	Sanchez
Condit	Kennedy (RI)	Sanders
Conyers	Kennelly	Sawyer
Coyne	Kilpatrick	Schumer
Cramer	Kind (WI)	Scott
Cummings	Kolbe	Serrano
Davis (FL)	Lampson	Shays
Davis (IL)	Lantos	Sherman
DeFazio	Lee	Sisisky
DeGette	Levin	Skaggs
Delahunt	Lewis (GA)	Slaughter
DeLauro	Lofgren	Smith, Adam
Deutsch	Lowey	Spratt
Dicks	Luther	Stabenow
Dixon	Maloney (CT)	Stark
Doggett	Maloney (NY)	Stenholm
Dooley	Markey	Stokes
Edwards	Martinez	Strickland
Engel	Matsui	Tanner
Eshoo	McCarthy (MO)	Tauscher
Etheridge	McDermott	Thompson
Evans	McGovern	Thurman
Farr	McHale	Tierney
Fattah	McKinney	Torres
Fazio	Meehan	Towns