

REPUBLICAN B.E.S.T. AGENDA

(Mr. KINGSTON asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KINGSTON. Mr. Speaker, the Republican Party continues to work on the B.E.S.T. agenda for the American people. B stands for building up the military and looking after our veterans and military retirees and active duty personnel. E stands for excellence in education, local control, where the dollars go to the teacher in the classroom, not Washington bureaucrats. The S is for preserving and strengthening Social Security. A major accomplishment of Republicans in Congress was to say to the President, don't just preserve 62 percent of the surplus, preserve 100 percent. And let's quit spending that money on roads and bridges. Also, let us protect Medicare and pay down the debt. Our budget pays down the public debt by the year 2013. As a father, I think that is one of the best things that I can go home and talk about. Then the T in the word "best" stands for tax relief. After we fulfill our obligations in Social Security, Medicare and debt reduction, let us return the overpayment in government to the American people. They work 50 and 60 hours a week. Money does not grow on trees. It does not come from Washington. It comes from hardworking taxpayers. Let us return the money to them.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. EWING). Pursuant to House Resolution 506 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 4392.

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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 further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4392) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes, with Mr. HUTCHINSON (Chairman pro tempore) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. When the Committee of the Whole rose on Monday, May 22, 2000, a request for a recorded vote on amendment No. 4 printed in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. TRAFICANT) had been postponed and the bill was open for amendment at any point.

Are there further eligible amendments to the bill?

SEQUENTIAL VOTES POSTPONED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 506, proceedings will now resume on those amendments on which further proceedings were postponed in the following order: amendment No. 1 by the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. ROEMER); amendment No. 3 by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. TRAFICANT); amendment No. 4 by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. TRAFICANT).

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first vote in this series.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 OFFERED BY MR. ROEMER

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

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 1 offered by Mr. ROEMER:

At the end of title III add the following new section (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

SEC. 306. ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF INTELLIGENCE EXPENDITURES FOR THE PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR.

Section 114 of the National Security Act of 1947 (50 U.S.C. 404i) is amended—

(1) by redesignating subsection (c) as subsection (d); and

(2) by inserting after subsection (b) the following new subsection:

“(c) ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF INTELLIGENCE EXPENDITURES FOR THE PRECEDING FISCAL YEAR.—Not later than February 1 of each year, the Director of Central Intelligence shall submit to Congress a report containing an unclassified statement of the aggregate appropriations for the fiscal year immediately preceding the current year for National Foreign Intelligence Program (NFIP), Tactical and Intelligence and Related Activities (TIARA), and Joint Military Intelligence Program (JMIP) activities, including activities carried out under the budget of the Department of Defense to collect, analyze, produce, disseminate, or support the collection of intelligence.”.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 175, noes 225, not voting 34, as follows:

[Roll No. 214]

AYES—175

Abercrombie	Boyd	Danner
Allen	Brady (PA)	Davis (FL)
Baird	Brown (FL)	Davis (IL)
Baldacci	Campbell	DeFazio
Baldwin	Capps	DeGette
Barcia	Carson	Delahunt
Barrett (WI)	Chabot	DeLauro
Becerra	Clay	Deutsch
Berkley	Clayton	Dicks
Berman	Clyburn	Dingell
Berry	Condit	Dixon
Blagojevich	Conyers	Doggett
Blumenauer	Costello	Dooley
Bonior	Coyne	Duncan
Borski	Crowley	Engel
Boucher	Cummings	Eshoo

Etheridge	Lewis (GA)	Porter
Evans	Lipinski	Price (NC)
Farr	Lofgren	Rangel
Fattah	Lowey	Rivers
Filner	Luther	Roemer
Ford	Maloney (CT)	Rohrabacher
Frank (MA)	Maloney (NY)	Rothman
Frost	Manzullo	Roybal-Allard
Ganske	Markey	Rush
Gephardt	Mascara	Sabo
Gonzalez	Matsui	Sanchez
Goode	McCarthy (MO)	Sanders
Goodlatte	McDermott	Sandlin
Green (TX)	McGovern	Sawyer
Gutierrez	McKinney	Schaffer
Hastings (FL)	Meek (FL)	Schakowsky
Hill (IN)	Meeks (NY)	Serrano
Hilliard	Menendez	Sherman
Hinchee	Metcalfe	Slaughter
Hoeffel	Millender-	Smith (WA)
Holden	McDonald	Snyder
Holt	Miller, George	Spratt
Hooley	Mink	Stabenow
Inslie	Moore	Stark
Istook	Moran (VA)	Strickland
Jackson (IL)	Morella	Tanner
Jackson-Lee	Myrick	Tauscher
(TX)	Nadler	Thompson (MS)
Jefferson	Napolitano	Thurman
Johnson, E. B.	Neal	Tierney
Kanjorski	Obey	Towns
Kaptur	Olver	Udall (CO)
Kennedy	Owens	Udall (NM)
Kildee	Pallone	Upton
Kilpatrick	Pascrell	Velazquez
Kind (WI)	Pastor	Vento
Kucinich	Paul	Visclosky
LaFalce	Payne	Waters
Lampson	Pelosi	Watt (NC)
Lantos	Peterson (MN)	Wexler
Leach	Petri	Weygand
Lee	Phelps	Woolsey
Levin	Pomeroy	Wynn

NOES—225

Aderholt	Dunn	Jones (NC)
Andrews	Edwards	Kasich
Archer	Ehlers	Kelly
Baca	Ehrlich	King (NY)
Bachus	Emerson	Kingston
Baker	English	Klecзка
Ballenger	Everett	Klink
Barr	Ewing	Knollenberg
Barrett (NE)	Fletcher	Kolbe
Bartlett	Foley	Kuykendall
Bass	Fowler	LaHood
Bateman	Franks (NJ)	Largent
Bentsen	Frelinghuysen	Latham
Bereuter	Galleghy	LaTourette
Biggert	Gejdenson	Lewis (CA)
Bilbray	Gekas	Lewis (KY)
Billirakis	Gibbons	Linder
Bishop	Gilchrist	LoBiondo
Bliley	Gillmor	Lucas (KY)
Boehlert	Gilman	Lucas (OK)
Boehner	Goodling	McCollum
Bonilla	Gordon	McCreary
Bono	Goss	McHugh
Boswell	Graham	McInnis
Brady (TX)	Granger	McIntyre
Burr	Green (WI)	McKeon
Burton	Greenwood	McNulty
Buyer	Gutknecht	Mica
Callahan	Hall (OH)	Miller (FL)
Calvert	Hall (TX)	Miller, Gary
Camp	Hansen	Mollohan
Canady	Hastings (WA)	Moran (KS)
Cannon	Hayes	Murtha
Cardin	Hayworth	Nethercutt
Castle	Hefley	Ney
Chambliss	Herger	Northup
Clement	Hill (MT)	Norwood
Coble	Hilleary	Nussle
Coburn	Hinojosa	Ortiz
Collins	Hobson	Ose
Combest	Hoekstra	Oxley
Cook	Horn	Packard
Cox	Hostettler	Pease
Cramer	Houghton	Peterson (PA)
Crane	Hoyer	Pickering
Cubin	Hulshof	Pickett
Cunningham	Hunter	Pitts
Davis (VA)	Hutchinson	Portman
Deal	Hyde	Pryce (OH)
DeMint	Isakson	Quinn
Diaz-Balart	Jenkins	Radanovich
Doolittle	John	Rahall
Doyle	Johnson (CT)	Ramstad
Dreier	Johnson, Sam	Reyes