

Hall (NY)	Matsui	Sarbanes	Rehberg	Sensenbrenner	Tiberi	Deal (GA)	Kennedy	Pitts
Hare	McCarthy (NY)	Schakowsky	Reichert	Sessions	Turner	DeFazio	Kildee	Platts
Harman	McCollum (MN)	Schwartz	Reich	Shadegg	Upton	DeGette	Kilpatrick	Poe
Hastings (FL)	McDermott	Scott (GA)	Reynolds	Shays	Walberg	Delahunt	Kind	Pomeroy
Herseht Sandlin	McGovern	Scott (VA)	Roskam	Shimkus	Walden (OR)	DeLauro	King (IA)	Porter
Higgins	McIntyre	Serrano	Rogers (KY)	Shuster	Walsh (NY)	Dent	King (NY)	Price (GA)
Hill	McNerney	Sestak	Royce	Simpson	Wamp	Diaz-Balart, L.	Kingston	Price (NC)
Hinchev	McNulty	Shea-Porter	Rohrabacher	Smith (NE)	Weldon (FL)	Diaz-Balart, M.	Kirk	Putnam
Hinojosa	Meek (FL)	Sherman	Ros-Lehtinen	Smith (NJ)	Weller	Dicks	Klein (FL)	Radanovich
Hirono	Meeks (NY)	Shuler	Roskam	Smith (TX)	Westmoreland	Dingell	Kline (MN)	Rahall
Hodes	Melancon	Skelton	Roybal-Allard	Souder	Whitfield (KY)	Doggett	Knollenberg	Regula
Holden	Michaud	Slaughter	Royce	Stearns	Wilson (NM)	Donnelly	Kuhl (NY)	Rehberg
Holt	Miller (NC)	Smith (WA)	Ryan (WI)	Sullivan	Wilson (SC)	Doolittle	LaHood	Reichert
Honda	Miller, George	Snyder	Sali	Tancredo	Wittman (VA)	Doyle	Lamborn	Renzi
Hooley	Mitchell	Solix	Saxton	Terry	Wolf	Drake	Lampson	Reyes
Hoyer	Mollohan	Space	Schiff	Thornberry	Young (AK)	Dreier	Langevin	Reynolds
Inslie	Moore (KS)	Speier	Schmidt	Tiahrt	Young (FL)	Duncan	Larsen (WA)	Richardson
Israel	Moore (WI)	Spratt				Edwards	Latham	Rodriguez
Jackson (IL)	Moran (VA)	Stark				Ehlers	LaTourette	Rogers (AL)
Jackson-Lee	Murphy (CT)	Stupak	Andrews	Cubin	Larson (CT)	Ellison	Latta	Rogers (KY)
(TX)	Murphy, Patrick	Sutton	Bachus	Davis, Tom	Ramstad	Ellsworth	Lee	Rogers (MI)
Jefferson	Murtha	Tanner	Bishop (NY)	Ferguson	Rush	Emanuel	Levin	Rohrabacher
Johnson (GA)	Nadler	Tauscher	Bishop (UT)	Granger	Sires	Emerson	Lewis (CA)	Ros-Lehtinen
Johnson, E. B.	Napolitano	Taylor	Buyer	Jones (OH)	Weiner	Engel	Lewis (GA)	Roskam
Kagen	Neal (MA)	Thompson (CA)				English (PA)	Lewis (KY)	Ross
Kanjorski	Oberstar	Thompson (MS)				Eshoo	Linder	Rothman
Kaptur	Oliver	Tierney				Etheridge	Lipinski	Roybal-Allard
Kennedy	Ortiz	Towns				Everett	LoBiondo	Royce
Kildee	Pallone	Tsongas				Farr	Loeb sack	Ruppersberger
Kilpatrick	Pascrell	Udall (CO)				Fattah	Lofgren, Zoe	Ryan (OH)
Kind	Pastor	Udall (NM)				Feeney	Lowey	Ryan (WI)
Klein (FL)	Payne	Van Hollen				Filner	Lucas	Salazar
Kucinich	Perlmutter	Velázquez				Flake	Lungren, Daniel	Sali
Lampson	Peterson (MN)	Visclosky				Fortenberry	E.	Sánchez, Linda
Langevin	Pomeroy	Walz (MN)				Fossella	Lynch	T.
Larsen (WA)	Price (NC)	Wasserman				Foster	Mack	Sanchez, Loretta
Lee	Rahall	Schultz				Fox	Mahoney (FL)	Sarbanes
Levin	Rangel	Waters				Frank (MA)	Maloney (NY)	Saxton
Lewis (GA)	Reyes	Watson				Franks (AZ)	Manzullo	Schakowsky
Lipinski	Richardson	Watt				Frelinghuysen	Marchant	Schiff
Loeb sack	Rodriguez	Waxman				Gallegly	Markey	Schmidt
Lofgren, Zoe	Ross	Welch (VT)				Garrett (NJ)	Marshall	Scott (GA)
Lowey	Rothman	Wexler				Gerlach	Matheson	Scott (VA)
Lynch	Ruppersberger	Wilson (OH)				Giffords	Matsui	Sensenbrenner
Mahoney (FL)	Ryan (OH)	Woolsey				Gilchrest	McCarthy (CA)	Serrano
Maloney (NY)	Salazar	Wu				Gillibrand	McCarthy (NY)	Sessions
Markey	Sánchez, Linda	Wynn				Gingrey	McCaul (TX)	Sestak
Marshall	T.	Yarmuth				Gohmert	McCollum (MN)	Shadegg
Matheson	Sanchez, Loretta					Gonzalez	McCotter	Shays
						Goode	McCrery	Shea-Porter
						Goodlatte	McDermott	Sherman
						Gordon	McGovern	Shimkus
						Graves	McHenry	Shuler
						Green, Al	McHugh	Shuster
						Green, Gene	McIntyre	Simpson
						Grijalva	McKeon	Skelton
						Hall (NY)	McMorris	Slaughter
						Hall (TX)	Rodgers	Smith (NE)
						Hare	McNerney	Smith (NJ)
						Harman	McNulty	Smith (TX)
						Hastings (FL)	Meek (FL)	Smith (WA)
						Hastings (WA)	Melancon	Snyder
						Hayes	Mica	Solis
						Heller	Michaud	Souder
						Hensarling	Miller (FL)	Space
						Herger	Miller (MI)	Speier
						Herseth Sandlin	Miller (NC)	Spratt
						Higgins	Miller, Gary	Stark
						Hill	Miller, George	Stearns
						Hinchev	Mitchell	Stupak
						Hinojosa	Mollohan	Sullivan
						Hirono	Moore (KS)	Sutton
						Hobson	Moore (WI)	Tancredo
						Hodes	Moran (VA)	Tanner
						Hoekstra	Moran (KS)	Tauscher
						Holden	Murphy (CT)	Taylor
						Holt	Murphy, Patrick	Terry
						Honda	Murphy, Tim	Thompson (CA)
						Hooley	Murtha	Thompson (MS)
						Hoyer	Musgrave	Thornberry
						Hulshof	Myrick	Tiahrt
						Inglis (SC)	Napolitano	Tiberi
						Inslie	Neal (MA)	Tierney
						Israel	Neugebauer	Towns
						Issa	Nunes	Tsongas
						Jackson (IL)	Oberstar	Turner
						Jackson-Lee	Obey	Udall (CO)
						(TX)	Oliver	Udall (NM)
						Jefferson	Ortiz	Upton
						Johnson (GA)	Pallone	Van Hollen
						Johnson (IL)	Pascrell	Velázquez
						Johnson, E. B.	Pastor	Visclosky
						Johnson, Sam	Payne	Walberg
						Jones (NC)	Pearce	Walden (OR)
						Jordan	Pence	Walsh (NY)
						Kagen	Perlmutter	Walz (MN)
						Kanjorski	Peterson (MN)	Wamp
						Kaptur	Peterson (PA)	Wasserman
						Keller	Pickering	Schultz

NOT VOTING—15

□ 1150

Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.” 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.

RECOGNIZING THE FIFTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ROSS). The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 1038, 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 Pennsylvania (Mr. CARNEY) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 1038.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 406, nays 3, not voting 22, as follows:

[Roll No. 180]

YEAS—406

Aderholt	Ehlers	Latham	Abercrombie	Bono Mack	Carson
Akin	Emerson	LaTourette	Ackerman	Boozman	Carter
Alexander	English (PA)	Latta	Aderholt	Boren	Castle
Bachmann	Everett	Lewis (CA)	Akin	Boswell	Castor
Barrett (SC)	Fallin	Lewis (KY)	Alexander	Boucher	Chabot
Bartlett (MD)	Feeney	Linder	Allen	Boustany	Chandler
Barton (TX)	Flake	LoBiondo	Altmire	Boyd (FL)	Clarke
Biggart	Forbes	Lucas	Arcuri	Boyda (KS)	Clay
Bilirakis	Fortenberry	Lungren, Daniel	Baca	Brady (PA)	Cleaver
Blackburn	Fossella	E.	Bachmann	Brady (TX)	Clyburn
Blunt	Fox	Mack	Bachus	Braley (IA)	Coble
Boehner	Franks (AZ)	Manzullo	Baird	Brown (GA)	Cohen
Bonner	Frelinghuysen	Marchant	Baldwin	Brown (SC)	Cole (OK)
Bono Mack	Gallegly	McCarthy (CA)	Barrett (SC)	Brown, Corrine	Conaway
Boozman	Garrett (NJ)	McCaul (TX)	Barrow	Brown-Waite,	Conyers
Boustany	Gerlach	McCotter	Bartlett (MD)	Ginny	Cooper
Brady (TX)	Gilchrest	McCrery	Barton (TX)	Buchanan	Costa
Broun (GA)	Gingrey	McHenry	Bean	Burgess	Costello
Brown (SC)	Gohmert	McHugh	Becerra	Burton (IN)	Courtney
Brown-Waite,	Goode	McKeon	Berkley	Butterfield	Cramer
Ginny	Goodlatte	McMorris	Berman	Calvert	Crenshaw
Buchanan	Graves	Rodgers	Berry	Camp (MI)	Crowley
Burgess	Hall (TX)	Mica	Biggart	Campbell (CA)	Cuellar
Burton (IN)	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)	Bilbray	Cannon	Cummins
Calvert	Hayes	Miller (MI)	Bilirakis	Cantor	Davis (AL)
Camp (MI)	Heller	Miller, Gary	Bishop (GA)	Capito	Davis (CA)
Campbell (CA)	Hensarling	Moran (KS)	Blackburn	Capps	Davis (IL)
Cannon	Herger	Murphy, Tim	Blumenauer	Capuano	Davis (KY)
Cantor	Hobson	Musgrave	Blunt	Cardoza	Davis (LA)
Capito	Hoekstra	Myrick	Boehner	Carnahan	Davis, David
Carter	Hulshof	Neugebauer	Bonner	Carney	Davis, Lincoln
Castle	Hunter	Nunes			
Chabot	Inglis (SC)	Obey			
Coble	Issa	Paul			
Cole (OK)	Johnson (IL)	Pearce			
Conaway	Johnson, Sam	Pence			
Crenshaw	Jones (NC)	Peterson (PA)			
Culberson	Jordan	Petri			
Davis (KY)	Keller	Pickering			
Davis, David	King (IA)	Pitts			
Deal (GA)	King (NY)	Platts			
Dent	Kingston	Poe			
Diaz-Balart, L.	Kirk	Porter			
Diaz-Balart, M.	Kline (MN)	Price (GA)			
Doolittle	Knollenberg	Pryce (OH)			
Drake	Kuhl (NY)	Putnam			
Dreier	LaHood	Radanovich			
Duncan	Lamborn	Regula			

Waters	Westmoreland	Woolsey
Watson	Wexler	Wu
Watt	Whitfield (KY)	Wynn
Waxman	Wilson (NM)	Yarmuth
Weiner	Wilson (OH)	Young (AK)
Welch (VT)	Wilson (SC)	Young (FL)
Weldon (FL)	Wittman (VA)	
Weller	Wolf	

NAYS—3

Kucinich	Nadler	Paul
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NOT VOTING—22

Andrews	Forbes	Pryce (OH)
Bishop (NY)	Granger	Ramstad
Bishop (UT)	Gutierrez	Rangel
Buyer	Hunter	Rush
Cubin	Jones (OH)	Schwartz
Davis, Tom	Larson (CT)	Sires
Fallin	Meeks (NY)	
Ferguson	Petri	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members have 2 minutes to vote.

□ 1157

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Ms. SCHWARTZ. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 180, had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

□ 1200

RELATING TO THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 5724, UNITED STATES-COLOMBIA TRADE PROMOTION AGREEMENT IMPLEMENTATION ACT

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 1092 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 1092

Resolved, That section 151(e)(1) and section 151(f)(1) of the Trade Act of 1974 shall not apply in the case of the bill (H.R. 5724) to implement the United States-Colombia Trade Promotion Agreement.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman from New York is recognized for 1 hour.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. For the purpose of debate only, I yield the customary 30 minutes to the gentleman from California (Mr. DREIER). All time yielded during consideration of the rule is for debate only.

GENERAL LEAVE

Ms. SLAUGHTER. I ask unanimous consent that all Members have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and insert extraneous materials into the RECORD.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from New York?

There was no objection.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, H. Res. 1092 relates to the consideration of H.R. 5724, the

United States-Colombia Trade Promotion Agreement. The rule suspends the timelines for House consideration that are in the fast track law with respect to consideration of this specific trade agreement.

Mr. Speaker, we in Congress have a fiduciary obligation to ensure that the legislation passed through this Chamber represents the best interests of those that sent us here, the American people. To outsource that very basic legislative responsibility is to advocate the duties constitutionally prescribed to our branch and raises questions as to why we are here in the first place. The situation we find ourselves in today deals directly with that issue.

The President has attempted to dictate the legislative schedule of the Congress according to his political calendar. Over the objections of congressional leadership, he sent Congress the Colombia Free Trade Agreement in an attempt to force consideration of the measure within 60 days by using a provision known as Trade Promotion Authority, or fast track.

Mr. Speaker, I think it is important to dispel a few myths about the action that we take today. The rule we are taking up today does not in any way affect the Colombia Free Trade Agreement. It simply removes the timeline for considering it. It gives the House of Representatives the right to schedule when the agreement is undertaken.

There are some who have called into question whether Congress has the right to suspend fast track procedures for trade agreements. One need look no further than the Trade Act of 1974, the legislation that establishes fast track, to see that the very statute itself allows that, like any rule of the House, fast track procedures can be suspended.

We have also heard some raise questions about what consequences our action here today will have on the Senate's consideration of the Colombia Free Trade Agreement. The answer is, it will have no effect.

The rule today was necessitated by the partisan and irresponsible actions of the President. Instead of working with Congress to reach agreements on this accord, he instead took the unprecedented step of sending the Colombia trade deal to Congress over the objection of congressional leaders.

Mr. Speaker, the American people have been promised a lot when it comes to trade. However, in a country whose economy has been devastated by ill-conceived trade deals, it can only be expected that the American people will remain wary. The promise of good-paying work on the horizon has consistently been dashed by the reality of job loss.

Last Friday's unemployment rate was 5.1 percent, and more jobs, over 80,000, were lost last month alone. It is yet another indicator of the worsening economic situation facing millions of America's families. Each day it becomes clearer that our country is teetering on the edge of economic dis-

aster, and, for millions, financial ruin is just around the corner. It is simply not the right time to move forward with this trade agreement.

The American people deserve an agreement that actually responds to the needs of the American worker, not makes promises that will not be met. By passing the rule today, we will no longer be bound by arbitrary deadlines and the House can bring up the agreement at the appropriate time and under the appropriate conditions.

Mr. Speaker, there is yet another reason why this free trade agreement is untimely and requires additional consideration moving toward passage. We have been promised time after time in trade legislation that there would be side agreements protecting the life and work of labor, that there would be environmental safeguards, that there would no longer be child labor. None of that has come true.

And it certainly makes one suspicious on this trade bill also because of the number of trade unionists who have been murdered. This makes the Colombia Free Trade Agreement hard to justify, given the continued violence against the union leaders, subsistence farmers, indigenous people and Afro-Colombians.

While President Uribe has made some progress, systematic killings are still far too prevalent to warrant the passage of this bill. Persecution of trade unionists is well-known because since the beginning of this year, 12 have already been murdered. Rewarding the Colombia Government with this bill under those conditions eliminates any leverage the U.S. Government has to improve the respect for human rights and the rule of law in the future.

To push forward at a time of economic insecurity is simply irresponsible for working families at home. To push forward in the midst of gross violations of human rights in Colombia is simply wrong.

It is the prerogative of Congress to suspend fast track if the timing necessitates it and only when it is in the best interests of the American people. By passing the rule today, we are reestablishing the House of Representatives as coequal to the President, and, in doing so, we are standing up for America's working families.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

I want to begin by expressing my appreciation to my very good friend, the distinguished Chair of the Committee on Rules, for yielding me the customary 30 minutes.

Mr. Speaker, I have seen many, many unexpected political alliances that have been formed over the past years that I have been privileged to serve here, but I never expected to be taking up a rule that aligns with the goals of Hugo Chavez and South American narcoterrorists.

The U.S.-Colombia Free Trade Agreement would deliver a significant blow