

NAYS—1

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NOT VOTING—15

Barrett (SC)	Graves	Kilpatrick (MI)
Blunt	Griffith	Manzullo
Boucher	Hinojosa	Ryan (WI)
Conyers	Hoekstra	Wamp
Davis (AL)	Jackson Lee	
Fallin	(TX)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain in this vote.

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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.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, May 24, 2010.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,  
*The Speaker, House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of a letter received from Mr. Scott T. Nago, Chief Election Officer, Office of Elections, State of Hawaii, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held May 22, 2010, the Honorable Charles Djou was elected Representative to Congress for the First Congressional District, State of Hawaii.

With best wishes, I am  
Sincerely,

LORRAINE C. MILLER,  
*Clerk.*

By Robert F. Reeves, Deputy Clerk.  
Enclosure.

STATE OF HAWAII,  
OFFICE OF ELECTIONS,  
Pearl City, HI, May 23, 2010.

Hon. LORRAINE C. MILLER,  
*Clerk, House of Representatives,*  
*The Capitol, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MS. MILLER: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Saturday, May 22, 2010 for Representative in Congress from the First Congressional District of Hawaii shows that Charles Djou (R) received the most votes of the total number cast for that office.

It would appear from the unofficial results that Charles Djou (R) was elected Representative from the First Congressional District of Hawaii. We are unaware of any election contests at this time.

As soon as the official results are certified, an official Certificate of Election will be transmitted as required by law.

Sincerely,

SCOTT T. NAGO,  
*Chief Election Officer.*

U.S. REP DISTRICT SPECIAL VACANCY ELECTION—State of Hawaii—Statewide  
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Congressional District I		98 of 98
(R) Djou, Charles	.....	(67,610, 39.4%)

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Congressional District I		98 of 98
(D) Hanabusa, Colleen	.....	(52,802, 30.8%)
(D) Case, Ed	.....	(47,391, 27.6%)
(D) Del Castillo, Rafael (Del)	.....	(664, 0.4%)
(N) Strode, Kalaeloa	.....	(491, 0.3%)
(N) Brewer, Jim	.....	(273, 0.2%)
(D) Lee, Philmund (Phil)	.....	(254, 0.1%)
(R) Collins, Charles (Googie)	.....	(194, 0.1%)
(R) Amsterdam, C. Kauai Jochanan	.....	(170, 0.1%)
(D) Browne, Vinny	.....	(150, 0.1%)
(N) Tataii, Steve	.....	(125, 0.1%)
(R) Crum, Douglas	.....	(107, 0.1%)
(R) Giuffre, John (Raghu)	.....	(82, 0.0%)
(N) Moseley, Karl F.	.....	(80, 0.0%)
Blank Votes:	.....	(135, 1.1%)
Over Votes:	.....	(889, 1.5%)
REGISTRATION AND TURNOUT SPECIAL		
TOTAL REGISTRATION	.....	(317, 337)
TOTAL TURNOUT	.....	(171,417, 54.0%)
PRECINCT TURNOUT	.....	(169,104, 53.3%)
ABSENTEE TURNOUT	.....	(2,313, 0.7%)
OVERSEAS BALLOTS CAST		
OVERSEAS TURNOUT	.....	(296, 0.0%)
1ST CONGRESSIONAL	.....	(296)
2ND CONGRESSIONAL	.....	(0)

SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE CHARLES DJOU, OF HAWAII, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE

Ms. HIRONO. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from Hawaii, the Honorable CHARLES DJOU, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

His certificate of election has not arrived, but there is no contest and no question has been raised with regard to his election.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from Hawaii?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. Will the Representative-elect and the Hawaiian delegation present themselves in the well.

Mr. DJOU appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office, as follows:

Do you solemnly swear or affirm that you will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that you will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that you take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that you will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which you are about to enter, so help you God.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations, you are now a Member of the 111th Congress.

WELCOMING THE HONORABLE CHARLES DJOU TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the gentlewoman from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) is recognized for 1 minute.

There was no objection.

Ms. HIRONO. Madam Speaker, I would like to introduce to you and our colleagues today Congressman CHARLES DJOU, the newest member of Hawaii's large delegation.

Born in Los Angeles, Congressman DJOU's family moved to Hawaii when he was three. He is a graduate of Punahou School in Honolulu, the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Southern California Law School. By the way, he attended the same school as our President.

Congressman DJOU most recently served as one of nine members of the Honolulu City Council, where he represented District 4, the area extending from Waikiki to Hawaii Kai. He served as the chairman of the Executive Matters and Legal Affairs Committee, vice chair of the Planning Committee, and as a member of the Transportation and Public Safety and Services Committee. He was first elected to his seat in 2002 and reelected in 2006. He previously served one term in the Hawaii House of Representatives, from 2000 to 2002, and was the minority floor leader.

Hawaii is one of the most ethnically and culturally diverse States in our country, and that diverse heritage is exemplified in Congress DJOU's unique French variation on a Chinese surname, which goes back to his grandfather in Shanghai. I will let Congressman DJOU tell you that story himself.

Now I extend a warm, warm aloha to Congressman DJOU, his wife, Stacey Kawasaki Djou, and their three children. I know that they and all the members of your family are very proud today, CHARLES, as you become a Member of the people's House.

I look forward to working with you, CHARLES, to ensure that the needs of the people of Hawaii are met and that their voices are represented in the people's House.

Congratulations.

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Mr. BOEHNER. Will the gentlewoman yield?

Ms. HIRONO. I yield to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BOEHNER).

Mr. BOEHNER. On behalf of the House Republican Conference, let me welcome Congressman CHARLES DJOU, his wife, Stacey, and their children, family and guests to our Nation's Capitol.

CHARLES understands what it means to pursue the American Dream because he's lived it. CHARLES' mother was from Bangkok, Thailand, his father, from China, raised in Hong Kong. And during the Communist Revolution of China in 1948, his grandfather fled from Shanghai to Hong Kong which, at the time, was under British control.

So CHARLES is the son of immigrants and a devoted young husband and father with three beautiful children. He serves as an officer in the U.S. Army Reserve, which gives him a deep appreciation for the sacrifices made by the many men and women of our military he will now represent in this body.

He served his community, as you've heard, as a former member of the city council in Honolulu, and a former minority leader in the Hawaii State