

It was decided in the affirmative .....

Yeas ..... 269  
 Nays ..... 81  
 Answered present 64

¶43.22 [Roll No. 84]  
 YEAS—269

Abercrombie Hall (OH) Pastor  
 Ackerman Hall (TX) Patterson  
 Alexander Hamilton Payne (NJ)  
 Anderson Harris Payne (VA)  
 Andrews (ME) Hatcher Pease  
 Andrews (NJ) Hayes (IL) Pelosi  
 Andrews (TX) Hayes (LA) Penny  
 Annunzio Hefner Peterson (FL)  
 Anthony Hoagland Peterson (MN)  
 Aspin Hochbruckner Petri  
 Atkins Horn Pickett  
 AuCoin Hoyer Pickle  
 Bacchus Hubbard Poshard  
 Beilenson Huckaby Price  
 Bennett Hutto Quillen  
 Berman Jacobs Rahall  
 Bevill Jefferson Ramstadt  
 Bilbray Jenkins Rangel  
 Blackwell Johnson (SD) Ray  
 Bonior Johnston Reed  
 Borski Jones (GA) Regula  
 Boucher Jones (NC) Richardson  
 Boxer Jontz Rinaldo  
 Brewster Kanjorski Ritter  
 Brooks Kaptur Roe  
 Browder Kennedy Roemer  
 Bruce Kennelly Rogers  
 Bryant Kildee Rose  
 Bustamante Kleczka Rostenkowski  
 Byron Kolter Rowland  
 Campbell (CO) Kopetski Roybal  
 Cardin Kostmayer Sabo  
 Carper LaFalce Sanders  
 Carr Lancaster Sangmeister  
 Chapman Sarpaluis Sawyer  
 Clay Lantoro Scheuer  
 Clement Lehman (CA) Schroeder  
 Coleman (TX) Lehman (FL) Schumer  
 Collins (IL) Levin (MI) Serrano  
 Collins (MI) Lewis (GA) Sharp  
 Condit Lipinski Shays  
 Conyers Lloyd Sikorski  
 Cooper Long Sisisky  
 Cox (IL) Lowey (NY) Skaggs  
 Coyne Luken Skelton  
 Cramer Machtley Skelton  
 Darden Manton Slattery  
 de la Garza Markey Slaughter  
 DeFazio Martinez Smith (FL)  
 DeLauro Matsui Solarz  
 Dellums Mavroules Spratt  
 Derrick Mazzoli Staggers  
 Dicks McCloskey Stallings  
 Dixon McCurdy Stark  
 Donnelly McDermott Stenholm  
 Dooley McGrath Stokes  
 Dorgan (ND) McHugh Studts  
 Downey McMillen (MD) Sundquist  
 Duncan McNulty Swett  
 Durbin Mfume Swift  
 Early Miller (CA) Synar  
 Eckart Miller (WA) Tallon  
 Edwards (CA) Mineta Tanner  
 Edwards (TX) Mink Tauzin  
 Emerson Moakley Taylor (MS)  
 Engel Mollohan Thomas (GA)  
 English Montgomery Thornton  
 Erdreich Moody Torres  
 Espy Moran Torricelli  
 Evans Morella Towns  
 Fascell Mrazek Traficant  
 Fazio Murphy Traxler  
 Feighan Murtha Unsoeld  
 Flake Nagle Valentine  
 Foglietta Natcher Vento  
 Foley Neal (MA) Visclosky  
 Ford (MI) Neal (NC) Volkmer  
 Ford (TN) Nowak Washington  
 Frank (MA) Oakar Waters  
 Frost Oberstar Waxman  
 Gaydos Obey Weiss  
 Gejdenson Olin Wheat  
 Gephardt Olver Williams  
 Geren Ortiz Wilson  
 Gibbons Orton Wise  
 Gilman Owens (NY) Wolpe  
 Glickman Owens (UT) Wyden  
 Gonzalez Pallone Yatron  
 Gordon Panetta  
 Guarini Parker

NAYS—81

Allard Gradison Packard  
 Applegate Grandy Paxon  
 Archer Hammerschmidt Perkins  
 Arney Hancock Porter  
 Baker Hastert Ravenel  
 Bentley Hefley Rhodes  
 Boehlert Henger Ridge  
 Brown Hobson Roberts  
 Bunning Hopkins Roth  
 Callahan Horton Roukema  
 Camp Houghton Saxton  
 Clinger Hyde Schaefer  
 Coleman (MO) Inhofe Schiff  
 Combest Ireland Sensenbrenner  
 Crane James Shuster  
 Cunningham Kasich Skeen  
 Davis Lagomarsino Smith (NJ)  
 Dickinson Lent Smith (OR)  
 Dreier McCandless Snowe  
 Edwards (OK) McEwen Stearns  
 Ewing Meyers Stump  
 Franks (CT) Miller (OH) Thomas (WY)  
 Gallegly Molinari Vucanovich  
 Gallo Moorhead Walsh  
 Gekas Myers Weldon  
 Gilchrist Nichols Young (FL)  
 Goss Oxley Zimmer

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—64

Allen Gingrich McDade  
 Ballenger Goodling McMillan (NC)  
 Barrett Green Nussle  
 Barton Gunderson Pursell  
 Bateman Hansen Riggs  
 Bereuter Henry Rohrabacher  
 Bilirakis Holloway Ros-Lehtinen  
 Bilely Hunter Santorum  
 Boehner Johnson (CT) Schulze  
 Broomfield Johnson (TX) Shaw  
 Burton Klug Smith (TX)  
 Campbell (CA) Kolbe Solomon  
 Chandler Kyl Spence  
 Coble Leach Taylor (NC)  
 Coughlin Lewis (CA) Thomas (CA)  
 Cox (CA) Lewis (FL) Upton  
 DeLay Lightfoot Vander Jagt  
 Doolittle Livingston Walker  
 Fawell Lowery (VA) Wolf  
 Fields Marlenee Wylie  
 Fish McCollum  
 Gillmor McCrery

NOT VOTING—21

Barnard Hertel Russo  
 Costello Hughes Smith (IA)  
 Danmeyer Laughlin Weber  
 Dingell Levine (CA) Whitten  
 Dornan (CA) Martin Yates  
 Dwyer Michel Young (AK)  
 Dymally Morrison Zeliff

So the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶43.23 MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Sundry messages in writing from the President of the United States were communicated to the House by Mr. McCathran, one of his secretaries.

¶43.24 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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¶43.25 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4364

Mr. MOAKLEY, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 102-497) the resolution (H. Res. 432) providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4364) to authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, research and program man-

agement, and Inspector General, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶43.26 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. WALKER rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 434):

Whereas, the Department of Justice is conducting a criminal investigation into the activities of the Office of the House Postmaster; and

Whereas, the investigation of criminal conduct includes allegations of the sale of narcotics, the embezzlement of public funds, and obstruction of justice by employees and officers of the House; and

Whereas, allegations have been made publicly that officers of the House or employees may have engaged in obstructing justice by delaying or impeding an investigation by the Capitol police into alleged improprieties in the Office of the Postmaster; and

Whereas, public allegations have been made concerning conduct of the counsel to the Clerk of the House and the investigation by the Capitol police; and

Whereas, the Code of Conduct requires \*\*\* employee \*\*\* shall conduct himself at all times in a matter which shall reflect creditably on the House of Representatives"; and

Whereas, the allegations of illegal activities and of obstruction of justice impugn the integrity of the House; and

Whereas, the counsel to the Clerk of the House or any employee or officer of the House should refrain from potential conflicts of interest; and

Whereas, the Clerk of the House is authorized to receive judicial writs, warrants and subpoenas and thereby be involved with the specifics of any legal proceedings including the investigation by the Department of Justice: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives directs the Clerk of the House to recuse his counsel from receiving, reviewing or drafting of any, and all, writs, warrants, subpoenas, and documents requested from or issued by the Department of Justice surrounding the legal proceedings on the criminal investigations of the Office of the Postmaster. The Clerk of House is further directed to instruct his counsel to refrain from participating in discussions with other employees or officers of the House with any matters with respect to the Department of Justice criminal investigation into the Office of the Postmaster.

Mr. GEPHARDT moved to lay the resolution on the table.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House lay the resolution on the table?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. WALKER demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....

¶43.27 [Roll No. 85]  
 YEAS—239

Abercrombie Alexander Andrews (ME)  
 Ackerman Anderson Andrews (NJ)

Andrews (TX) Hatcher  
 Anthony Haynes (IL) Patterson  
 Applegate Hefner Payne (NJ)  
 Aspin Hertel Payne (VA)  
 Atkins Hoagland Pease  
 AuCoin Hochbrueckner Pelosi  
 Bacchus Penny  
 Beilenson Hoyer Perkins  
 Berman Hughes Peterson (FL)  
 Bevil Hutto Peterson (MN)  
 Bilbray Jefferson Pickett  
 Blackwell Jenkins Pickle  
 Bonior Johnson (SD) Poshard  
 Borski Johnston Price  
 Boucher Jones (GA) Rahall  
 Boxer Jones (NC) Rangel  
 Brewster Jontz Ray  
 Brooks Kanjorski Reed  
 Browder Kaptur Richardson  
 Brown Kennedy Roe  
 Bruce Kennelly Roemer  
 Bryant Kildee Rose  
 Bustamante Kleczka Rostenkowski  
 Byron Kolter Rowland  
 Campbell (CO) Kopetski Roybal  
 Cardin Kostmayer Sabo  
 Carper LaFalce Sanders  
 Carr Lancaster Sangmeister  
 Chapman Lantos Sarpalius  
 Clay LaRocco Savage  
 Clement Lehman (CA) Sawyer  
 Coleman (TX) Levin (MI) Scheuer  
 Collins (IL) Lewis (GA) Schroeder  
 Collins (MI) Lipinski Schumer  
 Conyers Lloyd Serrano  
 Cooper Long Sharp  
 Cox (IL) Lowey (NY) Sikorski  
 Coyne Luken Sisisky  
 Cramer Markey Skaggs  
 Darden Martinez Skelton  
 de la Garza Matsui Slattery  
 DeFazio Mavroules Slaughter  
 DeLauro Mazzoli Smith (FL)  
 Dellums McCloskey Solarz  
 Derrick McCurdy Spratt  
 Dicks McDermott Staggers  
 Dixon McHugh Stallings  
 Donnelly McMillen (MD) Stark  
 Dooley McNulty Stenholm  
 Dorgan (ND) Mfume Stokes  
 Downey Miller (CA) Studds  
 Durbin Mineta Sweet  
 Eckart Mink Synar  
 Edwards (CA) Moakley Tallon  
 Edwards (TX) Mollohan Tanner  
 Engel Montgomery Thomas (GA)  
 English Moody Thornton  
 Espy Moran Torres  
 Evans Mrazek Torricelli  
 Fascell Murphy Towns  
 Fazio Murtha Trafficant  
 Feighan Nagle Traxler  
 Flake Natcher Unsoeld  
 Ford (MI) Neal (MA) Valentine  
 Ford (TN) Neal (NC) Vento  
 Frank (MA) Nowak Visclosky  
 Frost Oakar Volkmer  
 Gaydos Oberstar Washington  
 Gejdenson Obey Waters  
 Gephart Olin Weiss  
 Gibbons Olver Wheat  
 Glickman Ortiz Williams  
 Gonzalez Orton Wilson  
 Gordon Owens (NY) Wise  
 Guarini Owens (UT) Wolpe  
 Hall (OH) Pallone Wyden  
 Hamilton Panetta Yatron  
 Harris Parker

NAYS—170

Allard Camp Erdreich  
 Allen Campbell (CA) Ewing  
 Archer Chandler Fawell  
 Arney Clinger Fields  
 Baker Coble Fish  
 Ballenger Coleman (MO) Franks (CT)  
 Barrett Combust Gallegly  
 Barton Condit Gallo  
 Bateman Coughlin Gekas  
 Bennett Cox (CA) Geren  
 Bentley Crane Gilchrest  
 Bereuter Cunningham Gillmor  
 Bilirakis Davis Gilman  
 Bliley DeLay Gingrich  
 Boehlert Dickinson Goodling  
 Boehner Doolittle Goss  
 Broomfield Dreier Gradison  
 Bunning Duncan Grandy  
 Burton Edwards (OK) Green  
 Callahan Emerson Gunderson

Hall (TX) Marlenee Roth  
 Hammerschmidt McCandless Roukema  
 Hancock McCollum Santorum  
 Hansen McCreery Saxton  
 Hastert McDade Schaefer  
 Hayes (LA) McEwen Schiff  
 Hefley McGrath Schulze  
 Henry McMillan (NC) Sensenbrenner  
 Herger Meyers Shaw  
 Hobson Michel Shays  
 Holloway Miller (OH) Shuster  
 Hopkins Miller (WA) Skeen  
 Horton Molinari Smith (NJ)  
 Houghton Moorhead Smith (OR)  
 Hubbard Morella Smith (TX)  
 Hucksaby Myers Snowe  
 Hunter Nichols Solomon  
 Hyde Nussle Spence  
 Inhofe Oxley Stearns  
 Ireland Packard Stump  
 Jacobs Paxon Sundquist  
 James Petri Tauzin  
 Johnson (CT) Porter Taylor (MS)  
 Johnson (TX) Pursell Taylor (NC)  
 Kasich Quillen Thomas (CA)  
 Klug Ramstad Thomas (WY)  
 Kolbe Ravenel Upton  
 Kyl Regula Vander Jagt  
 Lagomarsino Rhodes Vucanovich  
 Leach Ridge Walker  
 Lent Riggs Walsh  
 Lewis (CA) Rinaldo Weldon  
 Lewis (FL) Ritter Wolf  
 Lightfoot Roberts Wylie  
 Livingston Rogers Young (FL)  
 Lowery (CA) Rohrabacher Zimmer  
 Machtley Ros-Lehtinen

NOT VOTING—25

Annunzio Foglietta Swift  
 Barnard Laughlin Waxman  
 Costello Lehman (FL) Weber  
 Danmeyer Levine (CA) Whitten  
 Dingell Manton Yates  
 Dornan (CA) Martin Young (AK)  
 Dwyer Morrison Zeliff  
 Dymally Russo  
 Early Smith (IA)

So the motion to lay the resolution on the table was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said motion was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

43.28 PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF A MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES

Mr. GORDON, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 425):

*Resolved*, That it shall be in order for the Speaker on Thursday, April 9, 1992, to entertain a motion to suspend the rules to dispose of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2967) to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 through 1995; to authorize a 1993 National Conference on Aging; to amend the Native American Programs Act of 1974 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 through 1995; and for other purposes.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

By unanimous consent, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KLECZKA, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. GORDON demanded a recorded vote on agreeing to said resolution, which demand was not supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was refused.

Mr. HASTERT objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas ..... 269  
 Nays ..... 139

43.29

[Roll No. 86]

YEAS—269

Ackerman Hall (TX) Payne (NJ)  
 Alexander Hansen Perkins  
 Allard Hastert Peterson (MN)  
 Anderson Hatcher Petri  
 Andrews (NJ) Hayes (LA) Pickle  
 Anthony Hefley Poshard  
 Applegate Hefner Quillen  
 Atkins Henry Rahall  
 AuCoin Herger Ramstad  
 Baker Hertel Rangel  
 Ballenger Hobson Ravenel  
 Bentley Hochbrueckner Reed  
 Berman Holloway Regula  
 Bevil Horton Rhodes  
 Bilbray Houghton Richardson  
 Bilirakis Hubbard Ridge  
 Blackwell Hucksaby Riggs  
 Boehlert Hunter Rinaldo  
 Boehner Inhofe Ritter  
 Bonior James Roemer  
 Borski Jefferson Rogers  
 Boucher Jenkins Ros-Lehtinen  
 Boxer Jones (GA) Rose  
 Brooks Jontz Rostenkowski  
 Broomfield Kanjorski Roth  
 Bruce Kaptur Roukema  
 Bunning Kennelly Rowland  
 Callahan Kildee Roybal  
 Camp Kleczka Sangmeister  
 Campbell (CA) Klug Santorum  
 Cardin Kolter Savage  
 Carr Kopetski Sawyer  
 Chapman LaFalce Saxton  
 Clement Lagomarsino Schaefer  
 Coble Lancaster Scheuer  
 Coleman (MO) Lantos Schiff  
 Coleman (TX) Leach Schumer  
 Collins (MI) Lehman (CA) Sensenbrenner  
 Combust Levin (MI) Serrano  
 Coughlin Lewis (CA) Shays  
 Cox (CA) Lewis (GA) Shuster  
 Coyne Lightfoot Sikorski  
 Cunningham Lipinski Sisisky  
 Darden Lloyd Skeen  
 Davis Lowery (CA) Skelton  
 de la Garza Lowey (NY) Slaughter  
 DeFazio Machtley Smith (FL)  
 DeLauro Markey Smith (NJ)  
 Dellums Marlenee Smith (OR)  
 Derrick Martinez Snowe  
 Dicks Mavroules Solarz  
 Dixon McCandless Solomon  
 Doolittle McCloskey Spence  
 Dorgan (ND) McCreery Spratt  
 Downey McDade Staggers  
 Eckart McGrath Stalling  
 Edwards (OK) McNulty Stark  
 Emerson Meyers Stearns  
 Engel Mfume Stokes  
 English Michel Studds  
 Erdreich Miller (OH) Sundquist  
 Espy Miller (WA) Tallon  
 Evans Mineta Tanner  
 Fascell Mink Tauzin  
 Feighan Moakley Taylor (MS)  
 Fish Molinari Taylor (NC)  
 Flake Mollohan Thomas (GA)  
 Ford (MI) Moorhead Thomas (WY)  
 Ford (TN) Moran Thornton  
 Frank (MA) Morella Thornton  
 Gallegly Mrazek Torres  
 Gallo Murphy Torricelli  
 Gaydos Murtha Towns  
 Gejdenson Nagle Trafficant  
 Gekas Natcher Traxler  
 Gephart Neal (MA) Upton  
 Gibbons Neal (NC) Vander Jagt  
 Gilchrest Nowak Volkmer  
 Gillmor Oakar Vucanovich  
 Gilman Obey Walsh  
 Gingrich Olver Washington  
 Gonzalez Ortiz Waters  
 Goodling Owens (NY) Waxman  
 Gordon Owens (UT) Weiss  
 Goss Packard Weldon  
 Guarini Pallone Wheat  
 Gunderson Pastor Williams  
 Hall (OH) Paxon Wilson