

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, April 4, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
*Speaker of the House, The Capitol, Washington,
DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: this is to formally notify you, pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House of Representatives, that four members of my Albuquerque District Office have been served with subpoenas issued by the Second Judicial District Court (Bernalillo County, New Mexico) in the case of *New Mexico v. Martin*.

After consultation with the Office of General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the precedents and privileges of the House.

Sincerely,

STEVEN SCHIFF.

¶40.10 TAXPAYER BILL OF RIGHTS

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2337) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for increased protections; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut and Mr. MATSUI, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶40.11 EXTEND U.S.-ISRAEL FREE TRADE TO WEST BANK AND GAZA

Mr. SHAW moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3074) to amend the United States-Israel Free Trade Area Implementation Act of 1985 to provide the President with additional proclamation authority with respect to articles of the West Bank or Gaza Strip or a qualifying industrial zone.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SHAW and Mr. RANGEL, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.12 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE— RETURN OF BILL TO SENATE

Mr. SHAW rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 402):

Resolved, That the bill of the Senate (S. 1463) to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to clarify the definitions of domestic industry and like articles in certain investigations involving perishable agricultural products, and for other purposes, in the opinion of this House, contravenes the first clause of the seventh section of the first article of the Constitution of the United States and is an infringement of the privileges of this House and that such bill be respectfully returned to the Senate with a message communicating this resolution.

When said resolution was considered, After debate,

On motion of Mr. SHAW, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection, and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

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

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶40.13 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT IN KENTUCKY

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2501) to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in Kentucky, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.14 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT IN ILLINOIS

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2630) to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.15 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS IN PENNSYLVANIA

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2695) to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of certain hydroelectric projects in the State of Pennsylvania; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.16 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECTS IN NORTH CAROLINA

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2773) to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of 2 hydroelectric projects in North Carolina, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.17 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT IN OHIO

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2816) to reinstate the license for, and extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of, a hydroelectric project in Ohio, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.18 HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT IN KENTUCKY

Mr. SCHAEFER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2869) to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Kentucky; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. SCHAEFER and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.19 HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL MUSEUM

Mr. HANSEN moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following resolution (H. Res. 316):

Whereas the Holocaust is a basic fact of history, the denial of which is no less absurd than the denial of the occurrence of the Second World War;

Whereas the Holocaust—the systematic, state-sponsored mass murders by Nazi Germany of 6,000,000 Jews, alongside millions of others, in the name of a perverse racial theory—stands as one of the most ferociously heinous state acts the world has ever known; and

Whereas those who promote the denial of the Holocaust do so out of profound ignorance or for the purpose of furthering anti-Semitism and racism: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives—

(1) deplores the persistent, ongoing and malicious efforts by some persons in this country and abroad to deny the historical reality of the Holocaust; and

(2) commends the vital, ongoing work of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum, which memorializes the victims of the Holocaust and teaches all who are willing to learn profoundly compelling and universally resonant moral lessons.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. ENSIGN and Mr. LANTOS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. LANTOS 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 SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

¶40.20 INDIAN SELF-DETERMINATION AND EDUCATION ASSISTANCE

On motion of Mr. ENSIGN, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Resources was discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3034) to amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to extend for two months the authority for promulgating regulations under the Act.

When said bill was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

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

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.21 NAVAL VESSELS TRANSFER

Mr. GILMAN moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3121) to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and the Arms Export Control Act to make improvements to certain defense and security assistance provisions under those Acts, to authorize the transfer of naval vessels to certain foreign countries, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, recognized Mr. GILMAN and Mr. LANTOS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶40.22 H.R. 2337—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2337) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for increased protections; as amended.

The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. CAMP, announced that two-thirds of those present had voted in the affirmative.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut 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 425
Nays 0

¶40.23 [Roll No. 119]
YEAS—425

Abercrombie	Campbell	Dreier
Ackerman	Canady	Duncan
Allard	Cardin	Dunn
Andrews	Castle	Durbin
Archer	Chabot	Edwards
Armey	Chambliss	Ehlers
Bachus	Chapman	Ehrlich
Baesler	Chenoweth	Emerson
Baker (CA)	Christensen	Engel
Baker (LA)	Chrysler	English
Baldacci	Clay	Ensign
Ballenger	Clayton	Eshoo
Barcia	Clement	Evans
Barr	Clinger	Everett
Barrett (NE)	Clyburn	Ewing
Barrett (WI)	Coble	Farr
Bartlett	Coburn	Fattah
Barton	Coleman	Fawell
Bass	Collins (GA)	Fazio
Bateman	Collins (IL)	Fields (LA)
Beilenson	Collins (MI)	Fields (TX)
Bentsen	Combest	Filner
Bereuter	Condit	Flake
Berman	Conyers	Flanagan
Bevill	Cooley	Foglietta
Bilbray	Costello	Foley
Bilirakis	Cox	Forbes
Bishop	Coyne	Ford
Bliley	Cramer	Fowler
Blute	Crane	Fox
Boehlert	Crapo	Frank (MA)
Boehner	Creameans	Franks (CT)
Bonilla	Cubin	Franks (NJ)
Bonior	Cunningham	Frelinghuysen
Bono	Danner	Frisa
Borski	Davis	Frost
Boucher	de la Garza	Funderburk
Brewster	Deal	Furse
Browder	DeFazio	Gallegly
Brown (CA)	DeLauro	Ganske
Brown (FL)	DeLay	Gejdenson
Brown (OH)	Dellums	Gekas
Brownback	Deutsch	Gephardt
Bryant (TN)	Diaz-Balart	Geren
Bryant (TX)	Dickey	Gibbons
Bunn	Dicks	Gilchrest
Bunning	Dingell	Gillmor
Burr	Dixon	Gilman
Burton	Doggett	Gonzalez
Buyer	Dooley	Goodlatte
Callahan	Doolittle	Goodling
Calvert	Dornan	Gordon
Camp	Doyle	Goss