

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas 239
Nays 182

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[Roll No. 144]

YEAS—239

Allard	Fox	Moorhead
Archer	Franks (CT)	Morella
Armey	Franks (NJ)	Murtha
Bachus	Frelinghuysen	Myrick
Baker (CA)	Funderburk	Nethercutt
Baker (LA)	Gallegly	Neumann
Ballenger	Ganske	Ney
Barr	Gekas	Norwood
Barrett (NE)	Geran	Nussle
Bartlett	Gilchrest	Orton
Barton	Gillmor	Oxley
Bass	Goodlatte	Packard
Bateman	Goodling	Parker
Bereuter	Greene (UT)	Paxon
Bevill	Greenwood	Petri
Bilbray	Gunderson	Pombo
Bilirakis	Gutknecht	Porter
Bliley	Hall (TX)	Portman
Blute	Hancock	Pryce
Boehkert	Hansen	Quillen
Boehner	Hastert	Radanovich
Bono	Hastings (WA)	Ramstad
Boucher	Hayes	Regula
Brewster	Hayworth	Riggs
Browder	Hefley	Roberts
Brownback	Heineman	Rohrabacher
Bryant (TN)	Herger	Ros-Lehtinen
Bunn	Hilleary	Roth
Bunning	Hobson	Roukema
Burr	Hoekstra	Royce
Burton	Hoke	Salmon
Buyer	Horn	Sanford
Callahan	Hostettler	Saxton
Calvert	Houghton	Scarborough
Camp	Hunter	Schaefer
Campbell	Hutchinson	Seastrand
Canady	Hyde	Sensenbrenner
Castle	Inglis	Shadegg
Chabot	Istook	Shaw
Chambliss	Johnson (CT)	Shays
Christensen	Johnson, Sam	Shuster
Chrysler	Jones	Skeen
Clement	Kasich	Smith (MI)
Clinger	Kelly	Smith (NJ)
Coble	Kim	Smith (TX)
Coburn	King	Solomon
Collins (GA)	Klug	Souder
Combest	Knollenberg	Spence
Condit	Kolbe	Stearns
Cooley	LaHood	Stenholm
Cox	Largent	Stockman
Cramer	Latham	Stump
Crane	LaTourette	Talent
Crapo	Laughlin	Tanner
Creameans	Lazio	Tate
Cubin	Leach	Tauzin
Cunningham	Lewis (CA)	Taylor (MS)
Davis	Lewis (KY)	Taylor (NC)
de la Garza	Lightfoot	Thomas
Deal	Lincoln	Thornberry
DeLay	Linder	Tiahrt
Diaz-Balart	Livingston	Torkildsen
Dickey	LoBiondo	Upton
Dooley	Longley	Vucanovich
Doolittle	Lucas	Walker
Dornan	Manzullo	Walsh
Dreier	Martinez	Wamp
Duncan	Martini	Watts (OK)
Dunn	McCollum	Weldon (FL)
Ehlers	McCrery	Weldon (PA)
Ehrlich	McDade	Weller
Emerson	McHugh	White
Ensign	McInnis	Whitfield
Everett	McIntosh	Wicker
Ewing	McKeon	Wolf
Fawell	Meyers	Young (AK)
Fields (TX)	Mica	Young (FL)
Flanagan	Miller (FL)	Zeliff
Foley	Minge	Zimmer
Fowler	Montgomery	

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Abercrombie	Borski	Costello
Ackerman	Brown (CA)	Coyne
Andrews	Brown (FL)	Cummings
Baessler	Brown (OH)	Danner
Baldacci	Cardin	DeFazio
Barcia	Chapman	DeLauro
Barrett (WI)	Clayton	Dellums
Becerra	Clyburn	Deutsch
Beilenson	Coleman	Dicks
Bentsen	Collins (IL)	Dingell
Bishop	Collins (MI)	Dixon
Bonior	Conyers	Doggett

Doyle	Kingston	Rahall
Durbin	Kleccka	Rangel
Edwards	Klink	Reed
Engel	LaFalce	Richardson
English	Lantos	Rivers
Eshoo	Levin	Roemer
Evans	Lewis (GA)	Rose
Farr	Lipinski	Roybal-Allard
Fattah	Lofgren	Rush
Fazio	Lowey	Sabo
Fields (LA)	Luther	Sanders
Filner	Maloney	Sawyer
Flake	Manton	Schiff
Foglietta	Markey	Schroeder
Forbes	Mascara	Schumer
Ford	Matsui	Scott
Frank (MA)	McCarthy	Serrano
Frisa	McDermott	Sisisky
Frost	McHale	Skaggs
Furse	McKinney	Skelton
Gejdenson	McNulty	Slaughter
Gephardt	Meehan	Smith (WA)
Gibbons	Meek	Spratt
Gilman	Menendez	Stark
Gonzalez	Metcalfe	Stokes
Gordon	Millender-	Studds
Green (TX)	McDonald	Stupak
Gutierrez	Miller (CA)	Tejeda
Hall (OH)	Mink	Thompson
Hamilton	Moakley	Thornton
Harman	Mollohan	Thurman
Hastings (FL)	Moran	Torres
Hefner	Nadler	Towns
Hilliard	Neal	Trafigant
Hinchey	Oberstar	Velazquez
Holden	Obey	Vento
Hoyer	Olver	Visclosky
Jackson (IL)	Ortiz	Volkmer
Jackson-Lee	Owens	Ward
(TX)	Pallone	Waters
Jacobs	Pastor	Watt (NC)
Jefferson	Payne (NJ)	Waxman
Johnson (SD)	Payne (VA)	Williams
Johnson, E. B.	Pelosi	Wilson
Johnson	Peterson (FL)	Wise
Kanjorski	Peterson (MN)	Woolsey
Kennedy (MA)	Pickett	Wynn
Kennedy (RI)	Pomeroy	Yates
Kennelly	Poshard	
Kildee	Quinn	

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Berman	Clay	Molinari
Bonilla	Goss	Myers
Bryant (TX)	Graham	Rogers
Chenoweth	Kaptur	Torricelli

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby 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.

50.17 ORDER OF BUSINESS—
CONSIDERATION OF CONFERENCE
REPORT TO ACCOMPANY S. 641

On motion of Mr. BILIRAKIS, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That it shall now be in order to consider immediately the conference report to accompany the bill of the Senate (S. 641) to reauthorize the Ryan White CARE Act of 1990, and for other purposes; that all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration be waived; and that the conference report be considered as read.

50.18 RYAN WHITE CARE
REAUTHORIZATION

Mr. BILIRAKIS, pursuant to the foregoing order, called up the following conference report (Rept. No. 104-545):

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 641), to reauthorize the Ryan White CARE Act of 1990, and for other purposes, having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows:

That the Senate recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the House to the text of the bill and agree to the same with an amendment as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed to be inserted by the House amendment, insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Ryan White CARE Act Amendments of 1996".

SEC. 2. REFERENCES.

Whenever in this Act an amendment is expressed in terms of an amendment to a section or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to a section or other provision of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 201 et seq.).

SEC. 3. GENERAL AMENDMENTS.

(a) PROGRAM OF GRANTS.—

(1) NUMBER OF CASES.—Section 2601(a) (42 U.S.C. 300ff-11) is amended—

(A) by striking "subject to subsection (b)" and inserting "subject to subsections (b) through (d)"; and

(B) by striking "metropolitan area" and all that follows and inserting the following: "metropolitan area for which there has been reported to the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention a cumulative total of more than 2,000 cases of acquired immune deficiency syndrome for the most recent period of 5 calendar years for which such data are available.".

(2) OTHER PROVISIONS REGARDING ELIGIBILITY.—Section 2601 (42 U.S.C. 300ff-11) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subsections:

"(c) REQUIREMENTS REGARDING POPULATION.—

"(1) NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subparagraph (B), the Secretary may not make a grant under this section for a metropolitan area unless the area has a population of 500,000 or more individuals.

"(B) LIMITATION.—Subparagraph (A) does not apply to any metropolitan area that was an eligible area under this part for fiscal year 1995 or any prior fiscal year.

"(2) GEOGRAPHIC BOUNDARIES.—For purposes of eligibility under this part, the boundaries of each metropolitan area are the boundaries that were in effect for the area for fiscal year 1994.

"(d) CONTINUED STATUS AS ELIGIBLE AREA.—Notwithstanding any other provision of this section, a metropolitan area that was an eligible area under this part for fiscal year 1996 is an eligible area for fiscal year 1997 and each subsequent fiscal year.".

(3) CONFORMING AMENDMENT REGARDING DEFINITION OF ELIGIBLE AREA.—Section 2607(1) (42 U.S.C. 300ff-17(1)) is amended by striking "The term" and all that follows and inserting the following: "The term 'eligible area' means a metropolitan area meeting the requirements of section 2601 that are applicable to the area.".

(b) EMERGENCY RELIEF FOR AREAS WITH SUBSTANTIAL NEED FOR SERVICES.—

(1) HIV HEALTH SERVICES PLANNING COUNCIL.—Subsection (b) of section 2602 (42 U.S.C. 300ff-12(b)) is amended—

(A) in paragraph (1)—
(i) by striking "include" and all that follows through the end thereof, and inserting "reflect in its composition the demographics of the epidemic in the eligible area involved, with particular consideration given to disproportionately affected and historically underserved groups and subpopulations."; and

(ii) by adding at the end thereof the following new sentences: "Nominations for membership on the council shall be identified through an open process and candidates shall be selected based on locally delineated and publicized criteria. Such criteria shall include a conflict-of-interest standard that is in accordance with paragraph (5).";