

of certain Presidio properties at minimal cost to the Federal taxpayer; together with the amendment of the Senate thereto, was taken from the Speaker's table.

When on motion of Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, it was,

*Resolved*, That the House disagree to the amendment of the Senate and ask a conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Thereupon, the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, by unanimous consent, appointed Messrs. YOUNG of Alaska, HANSEN, ALLARD, HAYWORTH, Mrs. CUBIN, Messrs. MILLER of California, RICHARDSON, and VENTO, as managers on the part of the House at said conference.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶55.17 ORDER OF BUSINESS—  
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3286

On motion of Mr. HYDE, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That during consideration of the bill (H.R. 3286) to help families defray adoption costs, and to promote the adoption of minority children, pursuant to House Resolution 428, notwithstanding the order of the previous question, it may be in order immediately after initial debate on the bill, as amended, for the Chair to postpone further consideration of the bill until the following legislative day, on which consideration may resume at a time designation by the Speaker.

¶55.18 UNFINISHED BUSINESS—VETO OF  
H.R. 956

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BOEHNER, announced the unfinished business to be the further consideration of the veto message from the President on the bill (H.R. 956) to establish legal standards and procedures for product liability litigation, and for other purposes.

The question being on the passage of the bill, the objections of the President to the contrary notwithstanding.

After debate,

Pursuant to the order of the House of May 6, 1996, the previous question was ordered on the bill.

The question being put,

Will the House, upon reconsideration, agree to pass the bill, the objections of the President to the contrary notwithstanding?

It was decided in the { Yeas ..... 258  
negative ..... } Nays ..... 163

¶55.19 [Roll No. 162]  
YEAS—258

Allard	Bateman	Brownback
Archer	Bereuter	Bryant (TN)
Armey	Bilbray	Bunn
Bachus	Bilirakis	Bunning
Baker (CA)	Bliley	Burr
Baker (LA)	Blute	Burton
Ballenger	Boehlert	Buyer
Barcia	Boehner	Callahan
Barr	Bonilla	Calvert
Barrett (NE)	Bono	Camp
Bartlett	Boucher	Campbell
Barton	Brewster	Canady
Bass	Browder	Castle

Chabot	Hayes	Parker
Chambliss	Hayworth	Payne (VA)
Chenoweth	Hefley	Petri
Christensen	Hefner	Pombo
Chrysler	Heineman	Porter
Clement	Herger	Portman
Clinger	Hilleary	Pryce
Coburn	Hobson	Quillen
Collins (GA)	Hoekstra	Quinn
Combest	Hoke	Radanovich
Condit	Holden	Ramstad
Cooley	Horn	Reed
Cox	Hostettler	Regula
Cramer	Houghton	Riggs
Crane	Hunter	Roemer
Crapo	Hutchinson	Rogers
Creameans	Hyde	Rohrabacher
Cubin	Inglis	Ros-Lehtinen
Cunningham	Istook	Roth
Davis	Johnson (CT)	Roukema
Deal	Johnson, Sam	Royce
DeLay	Jones	Salmon
Dingell	Kaptur	Sanford
Dooley	Kasich	Saxton
Doolittle	Kelly	Saxton
Dornan	Kennelly	Scarborough
Dreier	Kim	Schaefer
Duncan	Kingston	Schiff
Dunn	Klug	Seastrand
Edwards	Knollenberg	Sensenbrenner
Ehlers	Kolbe	Shadegg
Ehrlich	LaHood	Shaw
Emerson	Largent	Shays
English	Latham	Shuster
Ensign	LaTourrette	Sisisky
Everett	Lazio	Skeen
Ewing	Leach	Slaughter
Fawell	Lewis (CA)	Smith (MI)
Fields (TX)	Lewis (KY)	Smith (NJ)
Flanagan	Lightfoot	Smith (TX)
Foley	Lincoln	Smith (WA)
Forbes	Linder	Solomon
Fowler	Livingston	Souder
Fox	LoBiondo	Spence
Franks (CT)	Longley	Spratt
Franks (NJ)	Lucas	Stearns
Frelinghuysen	Manzullo	Stenholm
Frisa	McCollum	Stockman
Funderburk	McCrery	Stump
Galleghy	McDade	Talent
Ganske	McHugh	Tate
Gekas	McInnis	Tauzin
Geren	McIntosh	Taylor (MS)
Gilchrest	McKeon	Taylor (NC)
Gillmor	McNulty	Thomas
Gingrich	Metcalfe	Thornberry
Goodlatte	Meyers	Tiahrt
Goodling	Mica	Torkildsen
Gordon	Miller (FL)	Upton
Goss	Minge	Vucanovich
Graham	Montgomery	Walker
Greene (UT)	Moorhead	Walsh
Greenwood	Moran	Wamp
Gunderson	Morella	Watts (OK)
Gutknecht	Myers	Weldon (FL)
Hall (OH)	Myrick	Weller
Hall (TX)	Nethercutt	White
Hamilton	Neumann	Whitfield
Hancock	Ney	Wicker
Hansen	Norwood	Wolf
Harman	Nussle	Young (AK)
Hastert	Oxley	Young (FL)
Hastings (WA)	Packard	Zeliff
		Zimmer

NAYS—163

Abercrombie	Conyers	Frank (MA)
Ackerman	Costello	Frost
Andrews	Coyne	Furse
Baessler	Cummings	Gejdenson
Baldacci	Danner	Gephardt
Barrett (WI)	de la Garza	Gibbons
Beilenson	DeFazio	Gilman
Bentsen	DeLauro	Gonzalez
Berman	Dellums	Green (TX)
Bishop	Deutsch	Gutierrez
Bonior	Diaz-Balart	Hastings (FL)
Borski	Dicks	Hilliard
Brown (CA)	Dixon	Hinchee
Brown (FL)	Doggett	Hoyer
Brown (OH)	Doyle	Jackson (IL)
Bryant (TX)	Durbin	Jackson-Lee
Cardin	Eshoo	(TX)
Chapman	Evans	Jacobs
Clay	Farr	Jefferson
Clayton	Fattah	Johnson (SD)
Clyburn	Fazio	Johnson, E. B.
Coble	Fields (LA)	Johnson
Coleman	Filner	Kanjorski
Collins (IL)	Flake	Kennedy (MA)
Collins (MI)	Foglietta	

Kennedy (RI)	Moakley	Schumer
Kildee	Mollohan	Scott
King	Murtha	Serrano
Klecicka	Nadler	Skaggs
LaFalce	Neal	Skelton
Lantos	Oberstar	Stark
Levin	Obey	Stokes
Lewis (GA)	Olver	Studds
Lipinski	Ortiz	Stupak
Lofgren	Orton	Tejeda
Lowey	Owens	Thompson
Luther	Pallone	Thornton
Maloney	Pastor	Thurman
Manton	Payne (NJ)	Torres
Markey	Pelosi	Towns
Martinez	Peterson (FL)	Trafficant
Martini	Peterson (MN)	Velazquez
Mascara	Pickett	Vento
Matsui	Pomeroy	Visclosky
McCarthy	Poshard	Volkmer
McDermott	Rahall	Ward
McHale	Rangel	Waters
McKinney	Richardson	Watt (NC)
Meehan	Rivers	Waxman
Meek	Rose	Williams
Menendez	Roybal-Allard	Wilson
Millender	Rush	Wise
McDonald	Sabo	Woolsey
Miller (CA)	Sanders	Wynn
Mink	Sawyer	Yates

NOT VOTING—13

Becerra	Laughlin	Tanner
Bevill	Molinari	Torricelli
Dickey	Paxon	Weldon (PA)
Engel	Roberts	
Klink	Schroeder	

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BOEHNER, announced that 258 Members had voted in the affirmative and 163 Members had voted in the negative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present not having voted in favor thereof, the bill was not passed, the objections of the President to the contrary notwithstanding.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BOEHNER, announced that the veto message and accompanying bill were referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶55.20 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2137. An Act to amend the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 to require the release of relevant information to protect the public from sexually violent offenders.

¶55.21 PROVIDING FOR THE  
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3022

Ms. GREENE, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 427):

*Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3322) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for civilian science activities of the Federal Government, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 2(1)(2) of rule XI are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Science. After general debate the bill shall be considered for