¶27.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATORETTE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, March 20, 1997.

Mr. HASTERT, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, announced that the yeas had it.

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 328
- Nays 49
- Answered present 1

¶27.3 [Roll No. 68]

YEAS—328

Ackerman, Aderholt, Allen, Archer, Armey, Bachus, Baesler, Baker, Baldacci, Ballenger, Barcia, Barr, Barrett (NE), Barrett (WI), Bartlett, Barton, Bass, Bateman, Bentsen, Bereuter, Berry, Bilirakis, Bishop, Blagojevich, Bliley, Blunt, Boehlert, Boehner, Bonilla, Bonior, Bono, Boswell, Boyd, Brady, Bryant, Bunning, Burr, Burton, Callahan, Calvert, Camp, Campbell, Canady, Cannon, Capps, Cardin, Carson, Castle, Chabot, Chambliss, Chenoweth, Christensen, Clayton, Clement, Coble, Coburn, Combest, Condit, Cook, Cooksey, Costello, Coyne, Cramer, Crapo, Cubin, Cunningham, Danner, Davis (FL), Davis (IL), Davis (VA), Deal, DeGette, Delahunt, DeLauro, DeLay, Dellums, Deutsch, Diaz-Balart, Dicks, Dingell, Doggett, Dooley, Doolittle, Doyle, Dreier, Duncan, Dunn, Edwards, Ehlers, Ehrlich, Emerson, Eshoo, Etheridge, Evans, Everett, Ewing, Farr, Fattah, Foglietta, Fowler, Fox, Frelinghuysen, Frost, Gallegly, Ganske, Gejdenson, Gekas, Gephardt, Gibbons, Gilchrest, Gillmor, Gilman, Goode, Goodlatte, Goodling, Goss, Graham, Granger, Greenwood, Hall (OH), Hall (TX), Hamilton, Hansen, Harman, Hastert, Hastings (WA), Hayworth, Hefner, Hill, Hilleary, Hinojosa, Hobson, Hoekstra, Holden, Horn, Hostettler, Houghton, Hoyer, Hulshof, Hunter, Hutchinson, Hyde, Inglis, Istook, Jackson (IL), Jefferson, Jenkins, John, Johnson (CT), Johnson (WI), Johnson, Sam, Kanjorski, Kelly, Kennedy (MA), Kennedy (RI), Kennelly, Kildee, Kilpatrick, Kim, Kind (WI), Kingston, Klink, Knollenberg, Kolbe, LaHood, Lampson, Lantos, Largent, Latham, LaTourette, Lazio, Leach, Levin, Lewis (CA), Lewis (GA), Lewis (KY), Linder, Livingston, Lofgren, Lowey, Lucas, Luther, Maloney (CT), Manton, Manzullo, Markey, Martinez, Mascara, Matsui, McCarthy (MO), McCarthy (NY), McCollum, McCrery, McDade, McGovern, McHale, McHugh, McIntyre, McKeon, McKinney, McNulty, Meek, Metcalf, Mica, Millender-McDonald, Miller (FL), Minge, Mink, Moakley, Molinari, Mollohan, Moran (KS), Moran (VA), Morella, Murtha, Myrick, Nethercutt, Neumann, Ney, Northup, Norwood, Nussle, Obey, Olver, Ortiz, Packard, Pallone, Pappas, Parker, Pastor, Paul, Paxon, Payne, Pease, Peterson (MN), Peterson (PA), Petri, Pickering, Pitts, Pombo, Pomeroy, Porter, Portman, Poshard, Price (NC), Pryce (OH), Quinn, Radanovich, Rahall, Rangel, Regula, Reyes, Riley, Rivers, Roemer, Rogan, Rogers, Rohrabacher, Ros-Lehtinen, Roukema, Roybal-Allard, Royce, Ryun, Salmon, Sanchez, Sanders, Sandlin, Sanford, Sawyer, Saxton, Scarborough, Schaefer, Dan, Schaffer, Bob, Schiff, Schumer, Serrano, Sessions, Shadegg, Shaw, Shays, Sherman, Shimkus, Shuster, Sisisky, Skeen, Skelton, Smith (MI), Smith (OR), Smith, Adam, Snowbarger, Snyder, Solomon, Souder, Spence, Spratt, Stabenow, Stenholm, Stokes, Stump, Stupak, Sununu, Talent, Tanner, Tauscher, Tauzin, Taylor (NC), Thomas, Thurman, Tiahrt, Tierney, Traficant, Turner, Upton, Walsh, Waters, Watkins, Waxman, Weldon (FL), Weldon (PA), Weygand, White, Whitfield, Wise, Wolf, Woolsey, Wynn, Young (AK), Young (FL)

NAYS—49

Abercrombie, Borski, Brown (CA), Brown (OH), Clay, DeFazio, Dickey, English, Ensign, Fawell, Fazio, Filner, Furse, Gutknecht, Hefley, Hilliard, Hinchey, Hooley, Jackson-Lee (TX), Johnson, E. B., Jones, King (NY), Kucinich, LaFalce, LoBiondo, Maloney (NY), McDermott, Menendez, Miller (CA), Neal, Oberstar, Pickett, Ramstad, Rush, Sabo, Skaggs, Slaughter, Strickland, Taylor (MS), Thompson, Thune, Vento, Visclosky, Wamp, Watt (NC), Watts (OK), Weller, Wicker, Yates

ANSWERED ''PRESENT''—1

Bilbray

NOT VOTING—54

Andrews, Becerra, Berman, Blumenauer, Boucher, Brown (FL), Buyer, Clyburn, Collins, Conyers, Cox, Crane, Cummings, Dixon, Engel, Flake, Foley, Forbes, Ford, Frank (MA), Franks (NJ), Gonzalez, Gordon, Green, Gutierrez, Hastings (FL), Herger, Kaptur, Kasich, Kleczka, Klug, Lipinski, McInnis, McIntosh, Meehan, Nadler, Owens, Oxley, Pascrell, Pelosi, Riggs, Rothman, Scott, Sensenbrenner, Smith (NJ), Smith (TX), Smith, Linda, Stark, Stearns, Thornberry, Torres, Towns, Velazquez, Wexler

So the Journal was approved.

¶27.4 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

2466. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Popcorn Promotion, Research, and Consumer Information Order; Referendum Procedures [FV–96–709FR] received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2467. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Viruses, Serums, Toxins, and Analogous Products; Biologics Establishment Licenses and Biological Product Licenses and Permits [Docket No. 96–055–2] received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2468. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Health Services Research, Evaluation, Demonstration, and Dissemination Projects; Peer Review of Grants and Contracts (RIN: 0919–AA00) received March 18, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2469. A letter from the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on Superfund financial activities at the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences for fiscal year 1995; pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 7501 note; to the Committee on Commerce.

2470. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Correction of Designation of Nonclassified Ozone Nonattainment Areas; States of Maine and New Hampshire [ME048–1–6997a; FRL–5802–3] received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2471. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Agreement Between the United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Discontinuance of Certain Commission Regulatory Authority and Responsibility Within the Commonwealth Pursuant to Section 274 of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as Amended—received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2472. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Policy and Procedure for Enforcement Actions; Policy Statement [NUREG–1600] received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2473. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calender year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2474. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Financial Assistance Letter (Guidance on Implementing Section 18 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995) [Letter No. 97–02] received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2475. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Unfunded Mandates Reform Act; Intergovernmental Consultation—received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2476. A letter from the Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President, transmitting a report

of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2477. A letter from the Director, Institute of Museum Services, transmitting the fiscal year 1996 annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act [FMFIA] of 1982, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2478. A letter from the Chairman, Merit Systems Protection Board, transmitting the 18th annual report on the activities of the board during fiscal year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 1206; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2479. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996; pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2480. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Ohio Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan (OH–236–FOR] received March 20, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2481. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Maryland Regulatory Program [MD–040–FOR] received March 20, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2482. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Texas Regulatory Program [SPATS No. TX–017–FOR] received March 20, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2483. A letter from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting the grant-in-aid for fisheries 1995–96 program report, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 757(a)–757(f) and 16 U.S.C. 4107 et seq.; to the Committee on Resources.

2484. A letter from the Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Transfer of Inmates to State Agents for Production on State Writs (Bureau of Prisons) [BOP–1058–F] (RIN: 1120–AA53) received March 21, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2485. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the U.S. Coast Guard, and for other purposes, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1110; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2486. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report entitled ''Child Support Enforcement Incentive Funding,'' pursuant to Public Law 104–193, section 341(a) (110 Stat. 2231); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2487. A letter from the Acting Commissioner of Social Security, Social Security Administration, transmitting a report on the implementation of the childhood disability provisions in the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, pursuant to Public Law 104–193, section 211(d)(3) (110 Stat. 2191); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2488. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General of the United States, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to include American Samoa in the act of October 5, 1984 (90 Stat. 1732, 48 U.S.C. 1662a), dealing with territories of the United States, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Resources and the Judiciary.

2489. A letter from the Secretaries of Education and the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the ''Hope and Opportunity for Postsecondary Education Act of 1997''; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Education and the Workforce.

2490. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting the annual report for the National Security Education Program, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1906; jointly, to the Committees on Intelligence (Permanent Select) and Education and the Workforce.

2491. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for the Department of State to carry out its authorities and responsibilities in the conduct of foreign affairs during the fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1110; jointly, to the Committees on International Relations, the Judiciary, and Government Reform and Oversight.

2492. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General for Administration, Department of Justice, transmitting a study of the long-term alternatives for the District of Columbia Department of Corrections [D.C. DOC] correctional complex in Lorton, VA, pursuant to Pubic Law 104–134, section 151(b)(3) (110 Stat. 1321–102); jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary, Government Reform and Oversight, and Appropriations.

¶27.5 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. 514. An Act to permit the waiver of District of Columbia residency requirements for certain employees of the Office of the Inspector General of the District of Columbia.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a joint resolution of the House of the following title:

H.J. Res. 58. Joint resolution disapproving the certification of the President under section 490(b) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 regarding foreign assistance for Mexico during fiscal year 1997.

The message also announced that in accordance with section 1505(a)(1)(B)(ii) of Public Law 99–498, the Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, appointed the Senator from Colorado [Mr. CAMPBELL] to the board of trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development.

¶27.6 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H. RES. 91

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 105):

Resolved, That immediately upon the adoption of this resolution the House shall consider without the intervention of any point of order the resolution (H. Res. 91) providing amounts for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Fifth Congress. The resolution shall be considered as read for amendment. An amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of House Resolution 102 shall be considered as adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the resolution, as amended, to final adoption without intervening motion or demand for division of the question except: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on House Oversight; and (2) one motion to recommit.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. DREIER, 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. LATOURETTE, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. MOAKLEY 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 ..... 218 / Nays ..... 179 }

¶27.7 [Roll No. 69]

YEAS—218

Aderholt	Foley	McInnis
Archer	Fowler	McIntosh
Armey	Fox	McKeon
Bachus	Frelinghuysen	Metcalf
Baker	Gallegly	Mica
Ballenger	Ganske	Miller (FL)
Barr	Gekas	Molinari
Barrett (NE)	Gibbons	Moran (KS)
Bartlett	Gilchrest	Morella
Barton	Gillmor	Myrick
Bass	Gilman	Nethercutt
Bateman	Goodlatte	Neumann
Bereuter	Goodling	Ney
Bilbray	Goss	Northup
Bilirakis	Graham	Norwood
Bliley	Granger	Nussle
Blunt	Greenwood	Packard
Boehlert	Gutknecht	Pappas
Boehner	Hansen	Parker
Bonilla	Hastert	Paul
Bono	Hastings (WA)	Paxon
Brady	Hayworth	Pease
Bryant	Hefley	Peterson (PA)
Bunning	Herger	Petri
Burr	Hill	Pickering
Burton	Hilleary	Pitts
Callahan	Hobson	Pombo
Calvert	Hoekstra	Porter
Camp	Horn	Portman
Campbell	Hostettler	Pryce (OH)
Canady	Houghton	Quinn
Cannon	Hulshof	Radanovich
Castle	Hunter	Ramstad
Chabot	Hutchinson	Regula
Chambliss	Hyde	Riggs
Chenoweth	Inglis	Riley
Christensen	Istook	Rogan
Coble	Jenkins	Rogers
Coburn	Johnson (CT)	Rohrabacher
Collins	Johnson, Sam	Ros-Lehtinen
Combest	Jones	Roukema
Cook	Kelly	Royce
Cooksey	Kim	Ryun
Cox	King (NY)	Salmon
Crane	Kingston	Sanford
Crapo	Klug	Saxton
Cubin	Knollenberg	Scarborough
Cunningham	Kolbe	Schaefer, Dan
Davis (VA)	LaHood	Schaffer, Bob
Deal	Largent	Schiff
DeLay	Latham	Sessions
Diaz-Balart	LaTourette	Shadegg
Dickey	Lazio	Shaw
Doolittle	Leach	Shays
Dreier	Lewis (CA)	Shimkus
Duncan	Lewis (KY)	Shuster
Dunn	Linder	Skeen
Ehlers	Livingston	Smith (MI)
Ehrlich	LoBiondo	Smith (NJ)
Emerson	Lucas	Smith (OR)
English	Manzullo	Snowbarger
Ensign	McCollum	Solomon
Everett	McCrery	Souder
Ewing	McDade	Spence
Fawell	McHugh	Stearns