amendment numbered 10, printed in Part 1 of House Report 105–137; amendment numbered 11, printed in Part 1 of House Report 105–137; (4) amendment numbered 7, printed in Part 1 of House Report 105-137, as modified by section 8(a) of House Resolution 169; (5) the amendment printed in section 8(c) of House Resolution 169; and (6) amendment numbered 35, printed in Part 2 of House Report 105–137.

¶71.16 DOD AUTHORIZATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PETRI, pursuant to House Resolution 169 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 1119) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HANSEN, resumed the Chair.

When Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶71.17 ORDER OF BUSINESS—CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS—H.R. 1119

On motion of Mr. STUMP, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That the foregoing notice regarding the order of consideration of certain amendments to the bill (H.R. 1119) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes, during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole, pursuant to House Resolution 169, be considered sufficient compliance with section 5 of said resolution.

¶71.18 DOD AUTHORIZATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HANSEN, pursuant to House Resolution 169 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 1119) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BUYER, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶71.19 RECESS—2:36 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BUYER, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 2 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair until approximately 5 p.m.

¶71.20 AFTER RECESS—5:36 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of Florida, called the House to order.

¶71.21 ORDER OF BUSINESS—CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 79

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That at any time on Tuesday, June 24, 1997, the House may consider the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 79) disapproving the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of the People's Republic of China; that the joint resolution be considered as read for amendment; that all points of order against the joint resolution and against its consideration be waived; that the joint resolution be debatable for three and one-half hours, equally divided and controlled by the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means (in opposition to the joint resolution) and a Member in support of the joint resolution; that pursuant to sections 152 and 153 of the Trade Act of 1974, the previous question be considered as ordered on the joint resolution to final passage without intervening motion; and that the provisions of sections 152 and 153 of the Trade Act of 1974 shall not otherwise apply to any joint resolution disapproving the extension of most-favored-nation treatment to the People's Republic of China for the remainder of the first session of the One Hundred Fifth Congress.

¶71.22 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

¶71.23 DOD AUTHORIZATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of Florida, pursuant to House Resolution 169 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 1119) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

¶71.24 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. BACHUS:

At the end of title X (page 360, after line 8), insert the following new section:

SEC. . PROHIBITION OF PERFORMANCE OF MILITARY HONORS UPON DEATH OF PERSONS CONVICTED OF CAPITAL CRIMES.

(a) MILITARY FUNERALS.—The Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Transportation, with respect to the Coast Guard when it is not operating as a service in the Navy, may not provide military honors at the funeral of a person who has been convicted of a crime under State or Federal law for which death is a possible punishment and for which the person was sentenced to death or life imprisonment without parole.

(b) APPLICABILITY OF SECTION.—This section applies without regard to any other provision of law relating to funeral or burial benefits.

It was decided in the affirmative ..... { Yeas ..... 416 / Nays 0

¶71.25 [Roll No. 225]

AYES—416

Abercrombie	Costello	Graham
Ackerman	Coyne	Granger
Aderholt	Cramer	Green
Allen	Crane	Greenwood
Andrews	Crapo	Gutierrez
Archer	Cubin	Gutknecht
Armey	Cummings	Hall (OH)
Bachus	Cunningham	Hall (TX)
Baesler	Danner	Hamilton
Baker	Davis (FL)	Hansen
Baldacci	Davis (IL)	Harman
Ballenger	Davis (VA)	Hastert
Barcia	Deal	Hastings (FL)
Barr	DeFazio	Hastings (WA)
Barrett (NE)	DeGette	Hayworth
Bartlett	Delahunt	Hefley
Barton	DeLauro	Hefner
Bass	DeLay	Herger
Bateman	Dellums	Hill
Becerra	Deutsch	Hilleary
Bentsen	Diaz-Balart	Hilliard
Bereuter	Dickey	Hinchey
Berman	Dicks	Hinojosa
Berry	Dingell	Hobson
Bilbray	Dixon	Hoekstra
Bilirakis	Doggett	Holden
Bishop	Dooley	Hooley
Blagojevich	Doolittle	Horn
Bliley	Doyle	Hostettler
Blumenauer	Dreier	Houghton
Boehlert	Duncan	Hoyer
Boehner	Dunn	Hulshof
Bonilla	Edwards	Hunter
Bonior	Ehlers	Hutchinson
Bono	Ehrlich	Hyde
Borski	Emerson	Inglis
Boswell	Engel	Istook
Boucher	English	Jackson (IL)
Boyd	Ensign	Jackson-Lee (TX)
Brady	Etheridge	Jefferson
Brown (CA)	Evans	Jenkins
Brown (FL)	Everett	John
Brown (OH)	Ewing	Johnson (CT)
Bryant	Farr	Johnson (WI)
Bunning	Fattah	Johnson, E. B.
Burr	Fawell	Johnson, Sam
Burton	Fazio	Jones
Buyer	Filner	Kanjorski
Callahan	Flake	Kaptur
Calvert	Foglietta	Kasich
Camp	Foley	Kelly
Campbell	Forbes	Kennedy (MA)
Canady	Ford	Kennedy (RI)
Cannon	Fowler	Kennelly
Capps	Fox	Kildee
Cardin	Frank (MA)	Kim
Carson	Franks (NJ)	Kind (WI)
Castle	Frelinghuysen	King (NY)
Chabot	Frost	Kingston
Chambliss	Furse	Kleczka
Chenoweth	Gallegly	Klink
Christensen	Ganske	Klug
Clay	Gejdenson	Knollenberg
Clayton	Gekas	Kolbe
Clement	Gephardt	Kucinich
Clyburn	Gibbons	LaFalce
Coble	Gilchrest	LaHood
Coburn	Gillmor	Lampson
Collins	Gilman	Lantos
Combest	Gonzalez	Largent
Condit	Goode	Latham
Conyers	Goodlatte	LaTourette
Cook	Goodling	Lazio
Cooksey	Goss	