

By Mr. CHABOT (for himself and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida):

H. Res. 374. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the ongoing violence in Algeria; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. TOWNS:

H. Res. 375. A resolution supporting the efforts of Dobroslav Paraga to bring about increased respect for democratic and human rights in Croatia; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶11.13 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 859: Mr. REDMOND.
 H.R. 902: Mr. BRADY.
 H.R. 1054: Mr. ARMEY and Mr. GOODLING.
 H.R. 1372: Mr. HULSHOF.
 H.R. 1401: Mr. OLVER and Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 1841: Mr. PAUL.
 H.R. 2004: Mrs. THURMAN.
 H.R. 2052: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
 H.R. 2351: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. KLECZKA.
 H.R. 2545: Mr. PALLONE, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. MANTON, and Mr. YATES.
 H.R. 2568: Mr. POMBO.
 H.R. 2593: Mr. FROST, Mr. PITTS, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. JONES, and Mr. GUTKNECHT.
 H.R. 2639: Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 2788: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. QUINN, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. EVANS.
 H.R. 2803: Mr. SESSIONS and Mr. TALENT.
 H.R. 3147: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 3166: Mr. HULSHOF.
 H.R. 3270: Mr. SNYDER.
 H.R. 3291: Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. METCALF.
 H.J. Res. 102: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BOYD, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GREEN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HINCHCY, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. REYES, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. SABO, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. WALSH.
 H. Con. Res. 122: Mr. ACKERMAN.

TUESDAY, MARCH 3, 1998 (12)

¶12.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 12:30 o'clock p.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
 March 3, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable VINCE SNOWBARGER to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, Members were recognized for "morning-hour debate".

¶12.2 RECESS—1:22 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 2 p.m.

¶12.3 AFTER RECESS—2 P.M.

The SPEAKER called the House to order.

¶12.4 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, March 2, 1998.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶12.5 COMMUNICATIONS

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

7669. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a final rule under the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act (FIFRA), pursuant to 7 U.S.C. 136w(a)(4); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7670. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Air Force's proposed lease of defense articles to the Republic of Korea (Transmittal No. 07-98); to the Committee on International Relations.

7671. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-254, "Dave Clarke School of Law Designation Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7672. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-261, "Drug House Abatement Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7673. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-260, "Department of Corrections Criminal Background Investigation Authorization Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7674. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-259, "Check Identification Fraud Prevention Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7675. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-256, "Omnibus Regulatory Reform Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7676. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-257, "Collateral Reform Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7677. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-263, "Illegal Dumping Enforcement Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7678. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-262, "Life Insurance Special Contingency Reserve Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7679. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a

copy of D.C. Act 12-264, "Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Quorum Definition Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7680. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-265, "Defined Contribution Transition Vesting Clarification Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7681. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-267, "Uniform Interstate Family Support Temporary Amendment Act of 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7682. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-266, "New Washington Convention Center Neighborhood Stability Act 1998" received February 27, 1998, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7683. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act for 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7684. A letter from the President and Chief Executive Officer, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, transmitting the FY 1999 Annual Performance Plan for the Overseas Private Investment Corporation (OPIC), pursuant to Public Law 103-62; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7685. A letter from the Executive Director, Office of Compliance, transmitting supplementary notice of proposed rulemaking (extension of comment period) for publication in the Congressional RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104-1, section 303(b) (109 Stat. 28); jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and House Oversight.

¶12.6 STEWART B. MCKINNEY HOMELESS ASSISTANCE—H.R. 217

Mr. LAZIO, by unanimous consent, and by direction of the Banking and Financial Services, filed a supplemental report (Rept. No. 105-407, Part II) on the bill (H.R. 217) to amend title IV of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act to consolidate the Federal programs for housing assistance for the homeless into a block grant program that ensures that States and communities are provided sufficient flexibility to use assistance amounts effectively, referred to the Union Calendar and ordered printed.

¶12.7 HOMELESS HOUSING PROGRAMS CONSOLIDATION

Mr. LAZIO moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 217) to amend title IV of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act to consolidate the Federal programs for housing assistance for the homeless into a block grant program that ensures that States and communities are provided sufficient flexibility to use assistance amounts effectively; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, recognized Mr. LAZIO

and Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, 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. SNOWBARGER, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. LAZIO 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. SNOWBARGER, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

12.8 SAM NUNN FEDERAL CENTER

Mr. KIM moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 613) to designate the Federal building located at 100 Alabama Street, NW in Atlanta, Georgia, as the "Sam Nunn Federal Center"; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, recognized Mr. KIM and Mr. TRAFICANT, 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. SNOWBARGER, 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.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to designate the Federal building located at 61 Forsyth Street SW., in Atlanta, Georgia, as the 'Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center.'"

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

On motion of Mr. KIM, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure was discharged from further consideration of the bill of Senate (S. 347) to designate the Federal building located at 100 Alabama Street NW, in Atlanta, Georgia, as the "Sam Nunn Federal Center".

When said bill was considered and read twice.

Mr. KIM submitted the following amendment, which was agreed to:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert the provisions of H.R. 613, as passed by the House.

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to designate the Federal building located at 61 Forsyth Street SW., in Atlanta, Georgia, as the 'Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center.'"

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby said bill, as amended, was passed and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

By unanimous consent, H.R. 613, a similar House bill, was laid on the table.

12.9 RECESS—3:17 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BRADY, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 3 o'clock and 17 minutes p.m., until approximately 5 o'clock p.m.

12.10 AFTER RECESS—5 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATHAM, called the House to order.

12.11 MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Sundry messages in writing from the President of the United States were communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

12.12 H.R. 217—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATHAM, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 217) to amend title IV of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act to consolidate the Federal programs for housing assistance for the homeless into a block grant program that ensures that States and communities are provided sufficient flexibility to use assistance amounts effectively; as amended.

The question being put,

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

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 386
affirmative Nays 23

12.13 [Roll No. 26]
YEAS—386

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| Archer | Boswell | Cook |
| Armey | Boucher | Cooksey |
| Bachus | Boyd | Costello |
| Baesler | Brady | Coyne |
| Baker | Brown (CA) | Cramer |
| Baldacci | Brown (FL) | Crapo |
| Ballenger | Brown (OH) | Cubin |
| Barcia | Bryant | Cummings |
| Barr | Bunning | Cunningham |
| Barrett (NE) | Burr | Danner |
| Barrett (WI) | Burton | Davis (FL) |
| Bartlett | Buyer | Davis (IL) |
| Barton | Callahan | Davis (VA) |
| Bass | Calvert | Deal |
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| Becerra | Campbell | Delahunt |
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| Bereuter | Cardin | Deusch |
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| Berry | Castle | Dicks |
| Bilbray | Chabot | Dingell |
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| English | LaFalce | Reyes |
| Ensign | LaHood | Riggs |
| Eshoo | Lampson | Riley |
| Etheridge | Lantos | Rodriguez |
| Evans | Largent | Roemer |
| Everett | Latham | Rogan |
| Ewing | LaTourrette | Rogers |
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| Fattah | Leach | Rothman |
| Fawell | Levin | Roybal-Allard |
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| Filner | Lewis (GA) | Sanchez |
| Foley | Lewis (KY) | Sanders |
| Forbes | Linder | Sandlin |
| Ford | Lipinski | Sanford |
| Fossella | Livingston | Saxton |
| Fowler | LoBiondo | Schaefer, Dan |
| Fox | Lofgren | Schaffer, Bob |
| Frank (MA) | Lowey | Schumer |
| Franks (NJ) | Lucas | Scott |
| Frelinghuysen | Maloney (NY) | Serrano |
| Frost | Manton | Sessions |
| Furse | Markey | Shaw |
| Gallegly | Martinez | Shays |
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| Goode | McGovern | Smith (NJ) |
| Goodlatte | McHale | Smith (OR) |
| Goodling | McHugh | Smith (TX) |
| Gordon | McIntyre | Smith, Adam |
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| Graham | McKinney | Snyder |
| Granger | McNulty | Solomon |
| Green | Meehan | Souder |
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| Johnson, E. B. | Pease | Weldon (PA) |
| Johnson, Sam | Pelosi | Weller |
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| Kaptur | Peterson (PA) | Weygand |
| Kasich | Petri | Whitfield |
| Kelly | Pickering | Wicker |
| Kennedy (MA) | Pickett | Wise |
| Kennedy (RI) | Pitts | Wolf |
| Kennelly | Pombo | Woolsey |
| Kildee | Pomeroy | Wynn |
| Kilpatrick | Porter | Yates |
| Kim | Portman | Young (AK) |
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