

(2) Eliminating the disproportionate influence of special interest financing of Federal elections.

(3) Creating a more equitable electoral system for challengers and incumbents.

SEC. 7. EXPEDITED CONGRESSIONAL CONSIDERATION OF LEGISLATION.

(a) IN GENERAL.—If any legislation is introduced the substance of which implements a recommendation of the Commission submitted under section 6(b) (including a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution), subject to subsection (b), the provisions of section 2908 (other than subsection (a)) of the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Act of 1990 shall apply to the consideration of the legislation in the same manner as such provisions apply to a joint resolution described in section 2908(a) of such Act.

(b) SPECIAL RULES.—For purposes of applying subsection (a) with respect to such provisions, the following rules shall apply:

(1) Any reference to the Committee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives shall be deemed a reference to the Committee on House Oversight of the House of Representatives and any reference to the Committee on Armed Services of the Senate shall be deemed a reference to the Committee on Rules and Administration of the Senate.

(2) Any reference to the date on which the President transmits a report shall be deemed a reference to the date on which the recommendation involved is submitted under section 6(b).

(3) Notwithstanding subsection (d)(2) of section 2908 of such Act—

(A) debate on the legislation in the House of Representatives, and on all debatable motions and appeals in connection with the legislation, shall be limited to not more than 10 hours, divided equally between those favoring and those opposing the legislation;

(B) debate on the legislation in the Senate, and on all debatable motions and appeals in connection with the legislation, shall be limited to not more than 10 hours, divided equally between those favoring and those opposing the legislation; and

(C) debate in the Senate on any single debatable motion and appeal in connection with the legislation shall be limited to not more than 1 hour, divided equally between the mover and the manager of the bill (except that in the event the manager of the bill is in favor of any such motion or appeal, the time in opposition thereto shall be controlled by the minority leader or his designee), and the majority and minority leader may each allot additional time from time under such leader's control to any Senator during the consideration of any debatable motion or appeal.

SEC. 8. TERMINATION.

The Commission shall cease to exist 90 days after the date of the submission of its report under section 6.

SEC. 9. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There are authorized to be appropriated to the Commission such sums as are necessary to carry out its duties under this Act.

Amend the title so as to read: "A bill to establish the Independent Commission on Campaign Finance Reform to recommend reforms in the laws relating to the financing of political activity."

It was decided in the negative 68
Yeas 156
Nays 201
Answered present 68

¶59.23 [Roll No. 241]
AYES—156

Aderholt Archer Bachus Baker Ballenger Bartlett

Barton Bateman Bereuter Bilirakis Bileley Blunt Bonilla Bono Boucher Bryant Burr Callahan Calvert Camp Canady Chabot Chambliss Christensen Coble Coburn Cox Crane Cubin Cunningham Davis (VA) Deal Diaz-Balart Dickey Doolittle Dreier Duncan Dunn Ehlers Ehrlich Emerson English Ensign Everrett Ewing Fawell Foley Fossella Franks (NJ) Frelinghuysen Gallegly Gekas Gibbons Gillmor Gingrich Goodlatte

Abercrombie Ackerman Allen Armeý Baesler Baldacci Barr Barrett (WI) Bass Bentsen Berman Berry Blagojevich Blumenauer Boehlert Boehner Bonior Borski Boswell Boyd Brady (PA) Brady (TX) Brown (CA) Brown (FL) Bunning Burton Buyer Campbell Cannon Capps Carson Chenoweth Clay Clayton Clyburn Collins Combest Condit Conyers Cook Costello Coyne Crapo Cummings Danner Davis (FL) DeLauro DeLay Dicks Dixon Doggett Doyle Edwards Evans Fattah Fazio Filner Forbes Ford Fowler Frank (MA) Furse Ganske Gejdenson Gilchrest Gilman Goode Granger Green Gutierrez Hall (OH) Hamilton Hefner Herger Hill Hinchey Hinojosa Holden Hooley Hostettler Houghton Hoyer Hulshof Hutchinson Jackson (IL) Jefferson John Johnson (CT) Johnson, E. B. Johnson, Sam Kanjorski Kaptur Kelly Kennedy (MA) Kennedy (RI) Kennelly

NOES—201

Goodling Goss Graham Gutknecht Hall (TX) Hansen Hastert Hastings (WA) Hayworth Hefley Hilleary Hobson Hoekstra Horn Hunter Hyde Inglis Istook Jenkins Jones Kim Kingston Klug Knollenberg LaHood Largent Latham LaTourrette Livingston Lucas Manzullo Martinez McCrery McDade McInnis McIntosh McKeon Metcalf Mica Myrick Nethercutt Ney Norwood Nussle Pappas Paul Paxon Pease Peterson (MN) Peterson (PA)

King (NY) Kleczka Klink Kolbe LaFalce Lampson Lazio Lee Levin Lewis (CA) Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Linder Lipinski Lowey Luther Markey Mascara Matsui McCarthy (MO) McCollum McDermott McGovern McHugh McIntyre McKinney Meehan Meek (FL) Meeks (NY) Menendez Millender-Donald Miller (CA) Miller (FL) Mink Moakley Mollohan Moran (KS) Moran (VA) Morella Murtha Nadler Neal Neumann Northrup Oberstar Obey Olver

Ortiz Owens Oxley Packard Parker Pastor Payne Pelosi Pickett Porter Poshard Ramstad Rangel Reyes Rodriguez Roemer Rogers Rothman Roukema Roybal-Allard Sabo Sanders Sanford Sawyer Schaffer, Bob Scott Serrano Sessions Skaggs Skeen Skelton Smith (TX) Smith, Adam Smith, Linda Snyder Stark Stenholm Stokes Taylor (MS) Thomas

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—68

Andrews Barcia Barrett (NE) Becerra Bilbray Bishop Brown (OH) Cardin Castle Clement Cramer Davis (IL) DeFazio DeGette Delahunt Deutsch Dingell Dooley Engel Eshoo Etheridge Farr Fox Frost Gephardt Gordon Harman Hilliard Jackson-Lee (TX) Kildee Kilpatrick Kind (WI) Kucinich Lantos Leach LoBiondo Lofgren Maloney (CT) Maloney (NY) Manton McCarthy (NY) McHale Minge Pallone Pascrell Pomeroy Price (NC) Quinn Rahall Rivers Rush Sanchez Sandlin Shays Sisisky Slaughter Spratt Stabenow Strickland Stupak Tanner Tauscher Thurman Torres Turner Wamp Wexler Woolsey

NOT VOTING—9

Cooksey Gonzalez Greenwood Hastings (FL) Johnson (WI) Kasich McNulty Schumer Sherman

So the amendment in the nature of a substitute was not agreed to.

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

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

¶59.24 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 1847. An Act to improve the criminal law relating to fraud against consumers.

¶59.25 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1900. An Act to establish a commission to examine issues pertaining to the disposition of Holocaust-era assets in the United States before, during, and after World War II, and to make recommendations to the President on further action, and for other purposes.

¶59.26 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, for June 16 through balance of the week.

And then,