

Sanders Torres Whitfield
Schaefer, Dan Towns Yates
Schumer Watkins
Thompson Waxman

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

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

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

¶63.9 AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS FOR FY 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to House Resolution 482 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4101) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. LAHOOD as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

¶63.10 RECORDED VOTE

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

Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. —. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to make available or administer, or to pay the salaries of personnel of the Department of Agriculture who make available or administer, a nonrecourse loan to a producer of quota peanuts during fiscal year 1999 under section 155 of the Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7271) at a national average loan rate in excess of \$550 per ton for quota peanuts.

It was decided in the { Yeas 181 negative } Nays 244

¶63.11 [Roll No. 258] AYES—181

Allen Coyne Gekas
Andrews Crane Gibbons
Archer Danner Gillmor
Armey Davis (IL) Goodling
Barr DeGette Gordon
Barrett (WI) Deutsch Goss
Bartlett Dickey Greenwood
Bass Doggett Gutierrez
Berman Dooley Hall (OH)
Billbray Doyle Harman
Blagojevich Duncan Hayworth
Blumenauer Dunn Hefley
Boehlert Ehlers Hobson
Borski Ehrlich Hoekstra
Brady (PA) Engel Hooley
Brown (CA) English Horn
Brown (OH) Ensign Hostettler
Burton Fattah Hulshof
Campbell Fawell Hutchinsson
Capps Forbes Hyde
Cardin Fossella Inglis
Castle Fox Jackson (IL)
Chabot Frank (MA) Johnson (CT)
Christensen Franks (NJ) Johnson (WI)
Collins Frelinghuysen Kanjorski
Cook Gallegly Kasich
Cox Ganske Kennedy (MA)

Kennelly Moran (VA) Salmon
Kind (WI) Morella Sanford
Klug Nadler Sawyer
Knollenberg Neal Scarborough
Kolbe Neumann Schumer
Kucinich Ney Sensenbrenner
LoBiondo LaFalce Shadegg
Lantos Obey Shaw
LaTourette Olver Shays
Lazio Pallone Sherman
Lee Pappas Skaggs
Levin Pascrell Smith (NJ)
Lipinski Paul Smith, Adam
LoBiondo Peterson (PA) Smith, Linda
Lofgren Petri Snowbarger
Lowe Pitts Souder
Luther Porter Stark
Maloney (CT) Portman Strickland
Maloney (NY) Pryce (OH) Sununu
Manzullo Quinn Tauscher
Markey Radanovich Tiahrt
Mascara Ramstad Tierney
McCarthy (MO) Regula Upton
McCarthy (NY) Riggs Vento
McGovern Rivers Visclosky
McHale Roemer Wamp
McHugh Rogan Waxman
McInnis Rohrabacher Weldon (PA)
McIntosh Ros-Lehtinen Weygand
McNulty Rothman White
Meehan Roukema Wolf
Menendez Royce Yates
Miller (CA) Rush
Miller (FL) Ryan

NOES—244

Abercrombie Dingell LaHood
Ackerman Dixon Lampson
Aderholt Doolittle Largent
Bachus Dreier Latham
Baesler Edwards Leach
Baker Emerson Lewis (CA)
Baldacci Eshoo Lewis (GA)
Ballenger Etheridge Lewis (KY)
Barcia Evans Linder
Barrett (NE) Everett Livingston
Barton Ewing Lucas
Bateman Farr Manton
Becerra Fazio Martinez
Bentsen Filner Matsui
Bereuter Foley McCollum
Berry Ford McCreary
Bilirakis Fowler McDade
Bishop Frost McDermott
Bliley Furse McIntyre
Blunt Gejdenson McKeon
Boehner Gephardt McKinney
Bonilla Meek (FL)
Bonior Gilman Meeks (NY)
Bono Goode Metcalf
Boswell Goodlatte Mica
Boucher Graham Millender-
Boyd Granger McDonald
Brady (TX) Green Minge
Brown (FL) Gutknecht Mink
Bryant Hall (TX) Moakley
Bunning Hamilton Mollohan
Burr Hansen Moran (KS)
Buyer Hastert Murtha
Callahan Hastings (FL) Myrick
Calvert Hastings (WA) Nethercutt
Camp Hefner Norwood
Canady Herger Nussle
Carson Hill Oberstar
Chambliss Hilleary Ortiz
Chenoweth Hincey Owens
Clay Hinojosa Oxley
Clayton Holden Packard
Clement Houghton Parker
Coble Hoyer Pastor
Coburn Hunter Paxon
Combust Istook Pease
Condit Jackson-Lee Pelosi
Conyers (TX) Peterson (MN)
Cooksey Jefferson Pickering
Costello Jenkins Pickett
Cramer John Pombo
Crapo Johnson, E. B. Pomeroy
Cubin Johnson, Sam Poshard
Cummings Jones Price (NC)
Cunningham Kaptur Rahall
Davis (FL) Kelly Rangel
Davis (VA) Kennedy (RI) Redmond
Deal Kildee Reyes
DeFazio Kilpatrick Riley
Delahunt Kim Rodriguez
DeLauro King (NY) Rogers
DeLay Kingston Roybal-Allard
Diaz-Balart Kleczka Sabo
Dicks Klink Sanchez

Sanders Spence Traficant
Sandlin Spratt Turner
Saxton Stabenow Velazquez
Schaffer, Bob Stearns Walsh
Scott Stenholm Waters
Serrano Stokes Watkins
Sessions Stump Watt (NC)
Shimkus Stupak Watts (OK)
Shuster Talent Weldon (FL)
Sisisky Tanner Weller
Skean Tausin Wexler
Skelton Taylor (MS) Whitfield
Slaughter Taylor (NC) Wicker
Smith (MI) Thomas Wise
Smith (OR) Thornberry Woolsey
Smith (TX) Thune Wynn
Snyder Thurman Young (AK)
Solomon Towns Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—8

Cannon Hilliard Thompson
Clyburn Payne Torres
Gonzalez Schaefer, Dan

So the amendment was not agreed to.

¶63.12 RECORDED VOTE

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

Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. (a) LIMITATION ON USE OF FUNDS.—Not more than \$18,800,000 of the funds made available in this Act may be used for the Wildlife Services Program under the heading "ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE."

(b) CORRESPONDING REDUCTION IN FUNDS.—The amount otherwise provided by this Act for salaries and expenses under the heading "ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE" is hereby reduced by \$10,000,000.

It was decided in the { Yeas 229 affirmative } Nays 193

¶63.13 [Roll No. 259] AYES—229

Abercrombie Deutsch Inglis
Ackerman Diaz-Balart Jackson (IL)
Allen Dicks Jackson-Lee
Andrews Dixon (TX)
Baldacci Doggett Jefferson
Barcia Doyle Johnson (CT)
Barr Duncan Johnson (WI)
Barrett (WI) Ehlers Johnson, E. B.
Barton Ehrlich Johnson, Sam
Bass Engel Jones
Becerra English Kanjorski
Bereuter Eshoo Kelly
Berman Evans Kennedy (MA)
Bilirakis Farr Kennedy (RI)
Blagojevich Fattah Kennelly
Bliley Fawell Kildee
Blumenauer Filner Kilpatrick
Boehlert Forbes Kind (WI)
Bonior Ford King (NY)
Borski Fossella Kleczka
Brady (PA) Fowler Klink
Brown (CA) Fox Kucinich
Brown (FL) Frank (MA) Lampson
Brown (OH) Franks (NJ) Lantos
Buyer Frelinghuysen LaTourette
Campbell Furse Lee
Capps Gejdenson Levin
Cardin Gephardt Lewis (GA)
Carson Gilchrest Lipsinski
Castle Gilman LoBiondo
Chabot Goodling Lofgren
Clay Gordon Lowey
Clayton Goss Luther
Collins Greenwood Maloney (CT)
Conyers Gutierrez Maloney (NY)
Costello Hall (OH) Manton
Cox Hamilton Manzullo
Coyne Harman Markey
Cummings Hastings (FL) Mascara
Davis (FL) Hincey Matsui
Davis (IL) Hinojosa McCarthy (MO)
Davis (VA) Holden McCarthy (NY)
DeFazio Hooley McCollum
DeGette Horn McDermott
DeLahunt Houghton McGovern
DeLauro Hoyer McHale

McKinney
McNulty
Meehan
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Menendez
Metcalf
Mica
Millender-
McDonald
Miller (CA)
Miller (FL)
Minge
Mink
Moakley
Moran (VA)
Morella
Nadler
Neal
Neumann
Northup
Obey
Olver
Owens
Pallone
Pappas
Pascrell
Paul
Pease
Pelosi
Petri

Porter
Poshard
Price (NC)
Ramstad
Rangel
Reyes
Rivers
Rodriguez
Roemer
Rogan
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Rothman
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Rush
Sabo
Sanchez
Sanders
Sanford
Sawyer
Saxton
Scarborough
Schumer
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Skaggs

NOES—193

Aderholt
Archer
Armey
Bachus
Baesler
Baker
Ballenger
Barrett (NE)
Bartlett
Bateman
Bentsen
Berry
Bilbray
Bishop
Blunt
Boehner
Bonilla
Bono
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd
Brady (TX)
Bryant
Bunning
Burr
Burton
Callahan
Calvert
Camp
Canady
Chambliss
Chenoweth
Christensen
Clement
Coble
Coburn
Combest
Condit
Cook
Cooksey
Cramer
Crane
Crapo
Cubin
Cunningham
Danner
Deal
DeLay
Dickey
Dingell
Dooley
Doolittle
Dreier
Dunn
Edwards
Emerson
Ensign
Etheridge
Everett
Ewing
Fazio
Foley
Frost
Gallegly
Ganske

Gekas
Gibbons
Gillmor
Goode
Goodlatte
Graham
Granger
Green
Gutknecht
Hall (TX)
Hansen
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayworth
Hefley
Hefner
Herger
Hill
Hilleary
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hostettler
Hulshof
Hunter
Hutchinson
Hyde
Istook
Jenkins
John
Kaptur
Kasich
Kim
Kingston
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
LaFalce
LaHood
Largent
Latham
Lazio
Leach
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Livingston
Lucas
Martinez
McCreery
McDade
McHugh
McInnis
McIntosh
McIntyre
McKeon
Mollohan
Moran (KS)
Murtha
Myrick
Nethercutt
Ney
Norwood
Nussle
Oberstar
Ortiz

Smith (NJ)
Smith, Adam
Snyder
Stabenow
Stark
Stokes
Strickland
Sununu
Tauscher
Taylor (MS)
Thurman
Tierney
Towns
Upton
Velazquez
Vento
Visclosky
Wamp
Waters
Watt (NC)
Waxman
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Weller
Wexler
Weygand
Whitfield
Wolf
Woolsey
Wynn
Yates

NOT VOTING—11

Cannon
Clyburn
Gonzalez
Hilliard
Payne
Schaefer, Dan
Slaughter
Tauzin
Thompson
Torres
Watkins

So the amendment was agreed to.

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

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

¶63.14 INTERNET TAX FREEDOM

Mr. GEKAS moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4105) to establish a national policy against State and local interference with interstate commerce on the Internet, to exercise congressional jurisdiction over interstate commerce by establishing a moratorium on the imposition of exactions that would interfere with the free flow of commerce via the Internet, to establish a national policy against Federal and state regulation of Internet access and online services, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, recognized Mr. GEKAS and Mr. CONYERS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, 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 was passed.

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

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

¶63.15 LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. KINGSTON submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 105-595) on the bill (H.R. 4112) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said bill and report were referred to the Union Calendar and ordered printed.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XXI, all points of order were reserved.

¶63.16 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4103

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-596) the resolution (H. Res. 484) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4103) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶63.17 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4104

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-597) the resolution (H. Res. 485) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4104) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶63.18 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. 1316. An Act to amend chapter 87 of title 5, United States Code, with respect to the order of precedence to be applied in the payment of life insurance benefits.

¶63.19 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. THOMPSON, for today from 10:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.

And then,

¶63.20 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Ms. PELOSI, at 8 o'clock and 38 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶63.21 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON
PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2538. A bill to establish a Presidential commission to determine the validity of certain land claims arising out of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo of 1848 involving the descendants of persons who were Mexican citizens at the time of the Treaty; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-594). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. WALSH: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4112. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-595). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 484. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4103) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-596). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCINNIS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 485. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4104) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-597). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶63.22 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolu-