

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1999 (21)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶21.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, March 10, 1999.

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

¶21.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

975. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Implementation of Preferred Lender Program and Streamlining of Guaranteed Loan Regulations (RIN: 0560-AF38) received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

976. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request for an FY 1999 supplemental appropriation for the Department of the Interior; (H. Doc. No. 106—39); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

977. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Risk-Based Capital Standards: Construction Loans on Presold Residential Properties; Junior Liens on 1- to 4-Family Residential Properties; and Investments in Mutual Funds. Leverage Capital Standards: Tier 1 Leverage Ratio [Docket No. 98-125] (RIN: 1550-AB1) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

978. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule 701—Exempt Offerings Pursuant to Compensatory Arrangements [Release No. 33-7645; File No. S7-5-98] (RIN: 3235-AH21) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

979. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Revision of Rule 504 of Regulation D, the "Seed Capital" Exemption [Release No. 33-7644; S7-14-98] (RIN: 3235-AH35) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

980. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of Presidential Determination No. 99-16 in connection with the U.S. contribution to the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization ("KEDO"); to the Committee on International Relations.

981. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 620 of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 981222314-8321-02; I.D. 021699B] received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

982. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area; Air Clearance Restrictions at the Entrance to Lakeside Yacht Club and the Northeast Approach to Burke Lakefront Airport in Cleveland Harbor, OH [CGD09-97-

002] (RIN: 2115-AE84) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

983. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Lower Grand River, LA [CGD08-99-008] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

984. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: Greenwood Lake Powerboat Classic, Greenwood Lake, New Jersey [CGD01-98-125] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

985. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Sunken Fishing Vessel CAPE FEAR, Buzards Bay Entrance [CGD01 99-008] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

986. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Scharfman Batmitzvah Fireworks, East River, Newtown Creek, New York [CGD01-99-004] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

987. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; River Rouge (Short Cut Canal), Michigan [CGD09-98-055] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

988. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Allison Engine Company Model AE 3007A and AE 3007A1/1 Turbofan Engines, Correction [Docket No. 98-ANE-14; Amendment 39-11017; AD 99-03-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

989. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Allison Engine Company, Inc. AE 2100A, AE 2100C, and AE 2100D3 Series Turbofan Engines, Correction [Docket No. 98-ANE-83; Amendment 39-11023; AD 99-03-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

990. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Jetstream Models 3101 and 3201 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-76-AD; Amendment 39-11046; AD 99-04-21] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

991. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-148-AD; Amendment 39-11048; AD 99-04-23] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

992. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness

Directives; Airbus Model A330 and A340 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-316-AD; Amendment 39-11041; AD 99-04-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

993. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300-600 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-301-AD; Amendment 39-11043; AD 99-04-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

994. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 777 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-320-AD; Amendment 39-11044; AD 99-04-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

995. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB SF340A and SAAB 340B Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-236-AD; Amendment 39-11042; AD 99-04-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

996. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-145 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-317-AD; Amendment 39-10904; AD 98-24-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

997. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; El Dorado, KS [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-5] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

998. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Dubuque, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-58] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

999. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Fort Madison, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-57] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1000. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace Kirksville, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-9] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1001. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace Springfield, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-8] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1002. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Newton, KS [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-3] received February 23,

1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1003. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Perry, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-52] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1004. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Boonville, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-6] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1005. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Selinsgrove, PA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-45] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1006. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Leadville, CO [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANM-08] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1007. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Rockland, ME [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANE-95] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1008. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29467; Amdt. No. 414] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

21.3 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—MAJORITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Washington, DC, March 10, 1999.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT, Speaker of the House, The Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Having accepted an appointment to the Committee on the Judiciary, I must hereby regretfully resign from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Sincerely,

SPENCER BACHUS, Member of Congress.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

21.4 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. GOODLING, by unanimous consent, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 108):

Resolved, That the following named Members be, and they are hereby, elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on the Judiciary: Mr. SCARBOROUGH of Florida.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

21.5 EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PARTNERSHIP

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to House Resolution 100 and rule XVIII, 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. 800) to provide for education flexibility partnerships.

Mr. WELLER, Acting Chairman, assumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

21.6 RECORDED VOTE

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

In section 4(c) (of H.R. 800, as reported), after "Secretary", insert "or a State educational agency".

At the end of section 4(c)(1)(G) (of H.R. 800, as reported), strike "and".

After subparagraph (H) of section 4(c) of H.R. 800, as reported, insert the following:

(I) in the case of a school that participates in a schoolwide program under section 1114 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, the eligibility requirements of such section if such a school serves a school attendance area in which less than 35 percent of the children are from low-income families; and

It was decided in the { Yeas 195 negative } { Nays 223

21.7 [Roll No. 40] AYES—195

- Abercrombie Dicks Kucinich
Ackerman Dingell LaFalce
Allen Dixon Lamson
Andrews Doggett Lantos
Baird Dooley Larson
Baldacci Doyle Lee
Baldwin Edwards Levin
Barcia Engel Lewis (GA)
Barrett (WI) Eshoo Lofgren
Bentsen Etheridge Lowey
Bereuter Evans Lucas (KY)
Berkley Farr Luther
Berman Filner Maloney (CT)
Berry Ford Maloney (NY)
Bishop Frank (MA)
Blumenauer Gejdenson Mascara
Bonior Gephardt Matsui
Borski Gonzalez McCarthy (MO)
Boswell Gordon McCarthy (NY)
Boucher Green (TX)
Brady (PA) Gutierrez
Brown (CA) Hall (OH)
Brown (FL) Hastings (FL)
Brown (OH) Hill (IN)
Capuano Hilliard
Cardin Hinchey
Carson Hinojosa
Clay Holden
Clayton Holt
Clement Hooley
Clyburn Hoyer
Condit Insee
Conyers Jackson (IL)
Costello Jackson-Lee
Coyne (TX)
Cramer Jefferson
Crowley Johnson, E. B.
Cummings Jones (OH)
Danner Kanjorski
Davis (FL) Kennedy
Davis (IL) Kildee
DeFazio Kilpatrick
DeGette Kind (WI)
DeLauro Kleczka
Deutsch Klink

- Owens Sandlin Thurman
Pallone Sawyer Tierney
Pascrell Schakowsky Towns
Pastor Scott Trafficant
Payne Serrano Turner
Pelosi Sherman Udall (CO)
Peterson (MN) Shows Udall (NM)
Phelps Sisisky Velazquez
Pickett Skelton Vento
Pomeroy Slaughteur Visclosky
Price (NC) Snyder Waters
Rahall Spratt Watt (NC)
Rivers Stabenow Waxman
Rodriguez Stark Weiner
Roemer Stenholm Wexler
Rothman Strickland Weygand
Roybal-Allard Stupak Wise
Rush Tanner Woolsey
Sabo Tauscher Wu
Sanchez Thompson (CA) Wynn
Sanders Thompson (MS)

NOES—223

- Aderholt Goodlatte Peterson (PA)
Archer Goodling Petri
Armey Goss Pickering
Bachus Graham Pitts
Baker Granger Pombo
Ballenger Green (WI) Porter
Barr Greenwood Portman
Bartlett Gutknecht Pryce (OH)
Barton Hall (TX) Quinn
Bass Hansen Radanovich
Bateman Hastings (WA) Ramstad
Biggett Hayes Regula
Bilirakis Hayworth Reynolds
Bileley Hefley Riley
Blunt Herger Rogan
Boehlert Hill (MT) Rogers
Boehner Hilleary Rohrabacher
Bonilla Hobson Ros-Lehtinen
Bono Hoeffel Roukema
Boyd Hoekstra Royce
Brady (TX) Horn Ryan (WI)
Bryant Hostettler Ryun (KS)
Burr Houghton Salmon
Burton Hulshof Sanford
Buyer Hunter Saxton
Callahan Hutchinson Scarborough
Calvert Hyde Schaffer
Camp Isakson Sensenbrenner
Campbell Istook Sessions
Canady Jenkins Shadegg
Cannon Johnson (CT) Shaw
Castle Johnson, Sam Shays
Chabot Jones (NC) Sherwood
Chambliss Kasich Shimkus
Chenoweth Kelly Shuster
Coble King (NY) Simpson
Coburn Kingston Skeen
Collins Knollenberg Smith (MI)
Combest Kolbe Smith (NJ)
Cook Kuykendall Smith (TX)
Cooksey LaHood Smith (WA)
Crane Largent Souder
Cubin Latham Spence
Cunningham LaTourette Stearns
Davis (VA) Lazio Stump
Deal Leach Sununu
DeLay Lewis (CA) Sweeney
DeMint Lewis (KY) Talent
Diaz-Balart Linder Tancredo
Dickey Lipinski Tauzin
Doolittle LoBiondo Taylor (MS)
Dreier Lucas (OK) Taylor (NC)
Duncan Manullo Terry
Dunn McCollum Thomas
Ehlers McHugh Thornberry
Ehrlich McInnis Thune
Emerson McIntosh Tiahrt
English McKeon Toomey
Everett Metcalf Upton
Ewing Mica Walden
Fletcher Miller (FL) Walsh
Foley Miller, Gary Wamp
Forbes Moran (KS) Watkins
Fossella Morella Watts (OK)
Fowler Myrick Weldon (FL)
Franks (NJ) Nethercutt Weldon (PA)
Frelinghuysen Ney Weller
Gallegly Northup Whitfield
Ganske Norwood Wicker
Gekas Nussle Wilson
Gibbons Ose Wolf
Gilchrist Oxley Young (AK)
Gillmor Packard Young (FL)
Gilman Paul
Goode Pease

NOT VOTING—15

Barrett (NE)	Cox	Kapture
Becerra	Delahunty	Martinez
Bilbray	Fattah	McCrery
Blagojevich	Frost	Rangel
Capps	John	Reyes

So the amendment was not agreed to. The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. WELLER, Acting Chairman, pursuant to House Resolution 100, reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee.

The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The following amendment, reported from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, was agreed to:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Education Flexibility Partnership Act of 1999".

SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

Congress makes the following findings:

(1) States differ substantially in demographics, in school governance, and in school finance and funding. The administrative and funding mechanisms that help schools in 1 State improve may not prove successful in other States.

(2) Although the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and other Federal education statutes afford flexibility to State and local educational agencies in implementing Federal programs, certain requirements of Federal education statutes or regulations may impede local efforts to reform and improve education.

(3) By granting waivers of certain statutory and regulatory requirements, the Federal Government can remove impediments for local educational agencies in implementing education reforms and raising the achievement levels of all children.

(4) State educational agencies are closer to local school systems, implement statewide education reforms with both Federal and State funds, and are responsible for maintaining accountability for local activities consistent with State standards and assessment systems. Therefore, State educational agencies are often in the best position to align waivers of Federal and State requirements with State and local initiatives.

(5) The Education Flexibility Partnership Demonstration Act allows State educational agencies the flexibility to waive certain Federal requirements, along with related State requirements, but allows only 12 States to qualify for such waivers.

(6) Expansion of waiver authority will allow for the waiver of statutory and regulatory requirements that impede implementation of State and local educational improvement plans, or that unnecessarily burden program administration, while maintaining the intent and purposes of affected programs, such as the important focus on improving math and science performance under title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, (Dwight D. Eisenhower Professional Development Program), and maintaining such fundamental requirements as those relating to civil rights, educational equity, and accountability.

(7) To achieve the State goals for the education of children in the State, the focus must be on results in raising the achievement of all students, not process.

SEC. 3. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

(1) ATTENDANCE AREA.—The term "attendance area" has the meaning given the term

"school attendance area" in section 1113(a)(2)(A) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(2) ED-FLEX PARTNERSHIP STATE.—The term "Ed-Flex Partnership State" means an eligible State designated by the Secretary under section 4(a)(1)(B).

(3) LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCY; STATE EDUCATIONAL AGENCY.—The terms "local educational agency" and "State educational agency" have the meaning given such terms in section 14101 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(4) SECRETARY.—The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Education.

(5) STATE.—The term "State" means each of the 50 States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, and each of the outlying areas.

SEC. 4. EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PARTNERSHIP.

(a) EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PROGRAM.—

(1) PROGRAM AUTHORIZED.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may carry out an education flexibility program under which the Secretary authorizes a State educational agency that serves an eligible State to waive statutory or regulatory requirements applicable to 1 or more programs or Acts described in subsection (b), other than requirements described in subsection (c), for the State educational agency or any local educational agency or school within the State.

(B) DESIGNATION.—The Secretary shall designate each eligible State participating in the program described in subparagraph (A) to be an Ed-Flex Partnership State.

(2) ELIGIBLE STATE.—For the purpose of this subsection the term "eligible State" means a State that—

(A)(i) has—

(I) developed and implemented the challenging State content standards, challenging State student performance standards, and aligned assessments described in section 1111(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, and for which local educational agencies in the State are producing the individual school performance profiles required by section 1116(a) of such Act; or

(II) developed and implemented content standards and interim assessments and made substantial progress, as determined by the Secretary, toward developing and implementing performance standards and final aligned assessments, and toward having local educational agencies in the State produce the profiles, described in subclause (I); and

(ii) holds local educational agencies and schools accountable for meeting the educational goals described in the local applications submitted under paragraph (4); and

(B) waives State statutory or regulatory requirements relating to education while holding local educational agencies or schools within the State that are affected by such waivers accountable for the performance of the students who are affected by such waivers.

(3) STATE APPLICATION.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—Each State educational agency desiring to participate in the education flexibility program under this section shall submit an application to the Secretary at such time, in such manner, and containing such information as the Secretary may reasonably require. Each such application shall demonstrate that the eligible State has adopted an education flexibility plan for the State that includes—

(i) a description of the process the State educational agency will use to evaluate applications from local educational agencies or schools requesting waivers of—

(I) Federal statutory or regulatory requirements as described in paragraph (1)(A); and

(II) State statutory or regulatory requirements relating to education; and

(ii) a detailed description of the State statutory and regulatory requirements relating to education that the State educational agency will waive;

(iii) a description of specific educational objectives the State intends to meet under such a plan;

(iv) a description of the process by which the State will measure the progress of local educational agencies in meeting specific goals described in subsection (a)(4)(A)(iii); and

(v) an assurance that, not less than 30 days prior to waiving any Federal statutory or regulatory requirement, or in accordance with State law, the State educational agency shall give public notice in widely-read publications, such as large circulation newspapers and community newspapers, of its intent to grant such a waiver, a description of the Federal statutory or regulatory requirements that the State educational agency proposes to waive, any improved performance of students that is expected to result from the waiver, and the State official—

(I) to whom comments on the proposed waiver may be sent by interested individuals and organizations; and

(II) who will make all the comments received available for review by any member of the public.

(B) APPROVAL AND CONSIDERATIONS.—The Secretary may approve an application described in subparagraph (A) only if the Secretary determines that such application demonstrates substantial promise of assisting the State educational agency and affected local educational agencies and schools within such State in carrying out comprehensive education reform, after considering—

(i) the comprehensiveness and quality of the education flexibility plan described in subparagraph (A);

(ii) the ability of such plan to ensure accountability for the activities and goals described in such plan;

(iii) the degree to which the State's objectives described in subparagraph (A)(iii)—

(I) are specific and measurable; and

(II) measure the performance of local educational agencies or schools and specific groups of students affected by waivers;

(iv) the significance of the State statutory or regulatory requirements relating to education that will be waived; and

(v) the quality of the State educational agency's process for approving applications for waivers of Federal statutory or regulatory requirements described in paragraph (1)(A) and for monitoring and evaluating the results of such waivers.

(4) LOCAL APPLICATION.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—Each local educational agency or school requesting a waiver of a Federal statutory or regulatory requirement described in paragraph (1)(A) and any relevant State statutory or regulatory requirement from a State educational agency shall submit an application to the State educational agency at such time, in such manner, and containing such information as the State educational agency may reasonably require. Each such application shall—

(i) indicate each Federal program affected and the statutory or regulatory requirement that will be waived;

(ii) describe the purposes and overall expected results of waiving each such requirement;

(iii) describe, for each school year, specific, measurable, educational goals for each local educational agency, school, and group of students affected by the proposed waiver;

(iv) explain why the waiver will assist the local educational agency or school in meeting such goals; and

(v) provide an assurance that, not less than 30 days prior to submitting the application

to the State educational agency for a waiver under this section, or in accordance with State law, the local educational agency or school shall give public notice in widely-read publications, such as large circulation newspapers and community newspapers, of its intent to request the waiver, a description of the Federal statutory or regulatory requirements that will be waived, any improved performance of students that is expected to result from the waiver, and the name and address of the local educational agency official—

(I) to whom comments on the proposed waiver may be sent by interested individuals and organizations; and

(II) who will make all the comments received available for review by any member of the public.

(B) EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS.—A State educational agency shall evaluate an application submitted under subparagraph (A) in accordance with the State's education flexibility plan described in paragraph (3)(A).

(C) APPROVAL.—A State educational agency shall not approve an application for a waiver under this paragraph unless—

(i) the local educational agency or school requesting such waiver has developed a local reform plan that is applicable to such agency or school, respectively;

(ii) the waiver of Federal statutory or regulatory requirements described in paragraph (1)(A) will assist the local educational agency or school in meeting its educational goals; and

(iii) the State educational agency is satisfied that the underlying purposes of the statutory requirements of each program or Act for which a waiver is granted continue to be met.

(D) TERMINATION.—If a local educational agency or school that receives a waiver under this section experiences a statistically significant decrease in the level of performance in achieving the objectives described in paragraph (3)(A)(iii) or goals in paragraph (4)(A)(iii) for 2 consecutive years, the State educational agency shall, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing to explain such decrease, terminate the waiver authority granted to such local educational agency or school. If, after notice and an opportunity for a hearing, the State educational agency determines that the decrease in performance was justified due to exceptional or uncontrollable circumstances such as a natural disaster or a precipitous and unforeseen decline in the financial resources of the local educational agency or school, the waiver shall not be terminated.

(5) OVERSIGHT AND REPORTING.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—

(i) OVERSIGHT.—Each State educational agency participating in the education flexibility program under this section shall annually monitor the activities of local educational agencies and schools receiving waivers under this section. Such monitoring shall include a review of relevant audit, technical assistance, evaluation, and performance reports.

(ii) REPORTING.—The State educational agency shall submit to the Secretary an annual report on the results of such oversight and its impact on the improvement of education programs.

(B) PERFORMANCE DATA.—

(i) STATE REPORTING.—Not later than 2 years after a State is designated as an Ed-Flex Partnership State, each such State shall include, as part of their report to the Secretary under clause (ii) of subparagraph (A), performance data demonstrating the degree to which progress has been made toward meeting the objectives outlined in section 3(A)(iii). The report to the Secretary shall, when applicable, include—

(I) information on the total number of waivers granted, including the number of waivers granted for each type of waiver;

(II) information describing the types and characteristics of waivers granted and their relationship to the progress of local educational agencies and schools toward meeting their performance objectives; and

(III) an assurance from State program managers that the data used to measure performance of the education flexibility program under this section are reliable, complete, and accurate, as defined by the State, or a description of a plan for improving the reliability, completeness, and accuracy of such data.

(ii) SECRETARY REPORT.—The Secretary shall—

(I) make each State report available to Congress and the general public;

(II) submit to Congress a report, on a timely basis, that addresses the impact that the education flexibility program under this section has had with regard to performance objectives described in paragraph (3)(A)(iii).

The Secretary shall include in the report to Congress an assurance that the data used to measure performance of the education flexibility program under this section are complete, reliable, and accurate or a plan for improving the reliability, completeness, and accuracy of such data.

(6) DURATION OF FEDERAL WAIVERS.—

(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall not approve the application of a State educational agency under paragraph (3) for a period exceeding 5 years, except that the Secretary may extend such period if the Secretary determines that such agency's authority to grant waivers has been effective in enabling such State or affected local educational agencies or schools to carry out their local reform plans.

(B) PERFORMANCE REVIEW.—Three years after a State is designated an Ed-Flex Partnership State, the Secretary shall—

(i) review the performance of any State educational agency in such State that grants waivers of Federal statutory or regulatory requirements described in paragraph (1)(A); and

(ii) terminate such agency's authority to grant such waivers if the Secretary determines, after notice and opportunity for a hearing, that such agency has failed to make measurable progress in meeting the objectives outlined in paragraph (3)(A)(iii) to justify continuation of such authority.

(7) AUTHORITY TO ISSUE WAIVERS.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Secretary is authorized to carry out the education flexibility program under this subsection for each of the fiscal years 1999 through 2004.

(b) INCLUDED PROGRAMS.—The statutory or regulatory requirements referred to in subsection (a)(1)(A) are any such requirements under the following programs or Acts:

(1) Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(2) Part B of title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(3) Subpart 2 of part A of title III of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (other than section 3136 of such Act).

(4) Title IV of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(5) Title VI of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(6) Part C of title VII of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

(7) The Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Technical Education Act of 1998.

(c) WAIVERS NOT AUTHORIZED.—The Secretary may not waive any statutory or regulatory requirement of the programs or Acts authorized to be waived under subsection (a)(1)(A)—

(1) relating to—

(A) maintenance of effort;

(B) comparability of services;

(C) the equitable participation of students and professional staff in private schools;

(D) parental participation and involvement;

(E) the distribution of funds to States or to local educational agencies;

(F) the selection of schools to participate in part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, except that a State educational agency may grant waivers to allow schools to participate in part A of title I of such Act if the percentage of children from low-income families in the attendance area of such school or who actually attend such school is within 5 percentage points of the lowest percentage of such children for any school in the local educational agency that meets the requirements of section 1113 of the Act;

(G) use of Federal funds to supplement, not supplant, non-Federal funds; and

(H) applicable civil rights requirements; and

(2) unless the underlying purposes of the statutory requirements of each program or Act for which a waiver is granted continue to be met to the satisfaction of the Secretary.

(d) APPLICATION.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in paragraphs (2) and (3), this Act shall not apply to a State educational agency that has been granted waiver authority under the following provisions of law:

(A) Section 311(e) of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act.

(B) The proviso referring to such section 311(e) under the heading "EDUCATION REFORM" in the Department of Education Appropriations Act, 1996 (Public Law 104-134; 110 Stat. 1321-229).

(2) EXCEPTION.—If a State educational agency that has been granted waiver authority, pursuant to paragraph (1)(A) or (B), applies to the Secretary to extend such authority, the provisions of this Act, except subsection (e)(1), shall apply to such agency.

(3) EFFECTIVE DATE FOR EXISTING ED-FLEX PROGRAMS.—This Act shall apply to a State educational agency described in paragraph (2) beginning on the date that such an extension is granted.

(e) ACCOUNTABILITY.—

(1) EVALUATION FOR ED-FLEX PARTNERSHIP STATES.—In deciding whether to extend a request for a State educational agency's authority to issue waivers under this section, the Secretary shall review the progress of the State educational agency to determine if such agency—

(A) makes measurable progress toward achieving the objectives described in the application submitted pursuant to subsection (a)(3)(A)(iii); and

(B) demonstrates that local educational agencies or schools affected by such waiver or authority have made measurable progress toward achieving the desired results described in the application submitted pursuant to subsection (a)(4)(A)(iii).

(2) EVALUATION FOR EXISTING ED-FLEX PROGRAMS.—In deciding whether to extend a request for a State educational agency described in subsection (d)(2) to issue waivers under this section, the Secretary shall review the progress of the agency in achieving the objectives set forth in the application submitted pursuant to subsection (a)(2)(B)(iii) of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act.

(f) PUBLICATION.—A notice of the Secretary's decision to authorize State educational agencies to issue waivers under this section shall be published in the Federal Register and the Secretary shall provide for the dissemination of such notice to State educational agencies, interested parties, in-

cluding educators, parents, students, advocacy and civil rights organizations, other interested parties, and the public.

(g) EFFECTIVE DATE.—This Act shall be effective during the period beginning on the date of the enactment of this Act and ending on the date of the enactment of an Act (enacted after the date of the enactment of this Act) that reauthorizes the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 in its entirety.

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

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. GOODLING demanded a recorded vote on passage of said bill, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 330 affirmative Nays 90

¶21.8	[Roll No. 41]	
	AYES—330	
Aderholt	Cramer	Gutierrez
Allen	Crane	Gutknecht
Andrews	Cubin	Hall (OH)
Archer	Cunningham	Hall (TX)
Armey	Danner	Hansen
Bachus	Davis (FL)	Hastert
Baird	Davis (VA)	Hayes
Baker	Deal	Hayworth
Baldacci	DeGette	Hefley
Baldwin	DeLauro	Herger
Ballenger	DeLay	Hill (IN)
Barcia	DeMint	Hill (MT)
Barr	Deutsch	Hilleary
Barrett (NE)	Diaz-Balart	Hinojosa
Bartlett	Dickey	Hobson
Barton	Dicks	Hoefel
Bass	Doggett	Hoekstra
Bateman	Dooley	Holden
Bentsen	Doolittle	Hooley
Bereuter	Doyle	Horn
Berkley	Dreier	Hostettler
Berry	Duncan	Houghton
Biggert	Dunn	Hoyer
Bilirakis	Edwards	Hulshof
Bishop	Ehlers	Hunter
Blagojevich	Ehrlich	Hutchinson
Bliley	Emerson	Hyde
Blumenauer	English	Inslee
Blunt	Eshoo	Isakson
Boehlert	Etheridge	Istook
Boehner	Evans	Jenkins
Bonilla	Everett	Johnson (CT)
Bono	Ewing	Johnson, Sam
Boswell	Farr	Jones (NC)
Boucher	Fletcher	Kanjorski
Boyd	Foley	Kasich
Brady (TX)	Forbes	Kelly
Brown (CA)	Ford	Kind (WI)
Bryant	Fossella	King (NY)
Burr	Fowler	Kingston
Burton	Franks (NJ)	Kleccka
Buyer	Frelinghuysen	Klink
Callahan	Gallely	Knollenberg
Calvert	Ganske	Kolbe
Camp	Gejdenson	Kuykendall
Campbell	Gekas	LaHood
Canady	Gephardt	Lampson
Cannon	Gibbons	Lantos
Cardin	Gilchrest	Largent
Castle	Gillmor	Larson
Chabot	Gilman	Latham
Chambliss	Gonzalez	LaTourette
Chenoweth	Goode	Lazio
Clement	Goodlatte	Leach
Coble	Goodling	Lewis (CA)
Coburn	Gordon	Lewis (KY)
Collins	Goss	Linder
Combest	Graham	Lipinski
Condit	Granger	LoBiondo
Cook	Green (TX)	Lofgren
Cooksey	Green (WI)	Lucas (KY)
Cox	Greenwood	Lucas (OK)

Luther	Price (NC)	Spence
Maloney (CT)	Pryce (OH)	Spratt
Maloney (NY)	Quinn	Stabenow
Manzullo	Radanovich	Stearns
Mascara	Rahall	Stenholm
Matsui	Ramstad	Strickland
McCarthy (NY)	Regula	Stump
McCollum	Reynolds	Sununu
McHugh	Riley	Sweeney
McInnis	Rodriguez	Talent
McIntosh	Roemer	Tancredo
McIntyre	Rogan	Tanner
McKeon	Rogers	Tauscher
McNulty	Rohrabacher	Tauzin
Metcalf	Ros-Lehtinen	Taylor (MS)
Mica	Rothman	Taylor (NC)
Miller, Gary	Roukema	Terry
Mollohan	Royce	Thomas
Moore	Ryan (WI)	Thompson (CA)
Moran (KS)	Ryun (KS)	Thornberry
Moran (VA)	Sabo	Thune
Morella	Salmon	Tiahrt
Murtha	Sanders	Toomey
Myrick	Sandlin	Trafficant
Napolitano	Sanford	Turner
Nethercutt	Saxton	Udall (CO)
Ney	Scarborough	Udall (NM)
Northup	Schaffer	Upton
Norwood	Sensenbrenner	Walden
Nussle	Sessions	Walsh
Ortiz	Shadegg	Wamp
Ose	Shaw	Watkins
Oxley	Shays	Watts (OK)
Packard	Sherman	Weiner
Pascarell	Sherwood	Weldon (FL)
Paul	Shimkus	Weldon (PA)
Pease	Shows	Weller
Peterson (MN)	Shuster	Wexler
Peterson (PA)	Simpson	Weygand
Petri	Sisisky	Whitfield
Phelps	Skeen	Wicker
Pickering	Skelton	Wilson
Pickett	Slaughter	Wise
Pitts	Smith (MI)	Wolf
Pombo	Smith (TX)	Wu
Pomeroy	Smith (WA)	Wynn
Porter	Snyder	Young (AK)
Portman	Souder	Young (FL)

NOES—90

Abercrombie	Jackson-Lee	Oberstar
Ackerman	(TX)	Obey
Barrett (WI)	Jefferson	Olver
Berman	Johnson, E. B.	Owens
Bonior	Jones (OH)	Pallone
Borski	Kaptur	Pastor
Brady (PA)	Kennedy	Payne
Brown (FL)	Kildee	Pelosi
Brown (OH)	Kilpatrick	Rangel
Capuano	Kucinich	Rivers
Carson	LaFalce	Roybal-Allard
Clay	Lee	Rush
Clayton	Levin	Sanchez
Clyburn	Lewis (GA)	Sawyer
Conyers	Lowey	Schakowsky
Costello	Markey	Scott
Coyne	McCarthy (MO)	Serrano
Crowley	McDermott	Stark
Cummings	McGovern	Stupak
Davis (IL)	McKinney	Thompson (MS)
DeFazio	Meehan	Thurman
Dingell	MEEK (FL)	Tierney
Dixon	Meeke (NY)	Towns
Engel	Menendez	Velazquez
Filner	Millender-	Vento
Frank (MA)	McDonald	Visclosky
Hastings (FL)	Miller, George	Waters
Hilliard	Mink	Watt (NC)
Hinchee	Moakley	Waxman
Holt	Nader	Woolsey
Jackson (IL)	Neal	

NOT VOTING—14

Becerra	Frost	Miller (FL)
Bilbray	Hastings (WA)	Minge
Capps	John	Reyes
Delahunt	Martinez	Smith (NJ)
Fattah	McCreery	

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby 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.

¶21.9 CLERK TO CORRECT ENGROSSMENT

On motion of Mr. GOODLING, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That in the engrossment of the foregoing bill the Clerk be authorized to make technical corrections and conforming changes to the bill.

¶21.10 H.R. 808—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 808) to extend for 3 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted; 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 418 affirmative Nays 1

¶21.11 [Roll No. 42] YEAS—418

Abercrombie	Coble	Gilman
Ackerman	Coburn	Gonzalez
Aderholt	Collins	Goode
Allen	Combest	Goodlatte
Andrews	Condit	Goodling
Archer	Conyers	Gordon
Armey	Cook	Goss
Bachus	Cooksey	Graham
Baird	Costello	Granger
Baker	Coyne	Green (TX)
Baldacci	Cramer	Green (WI)
Baldwin	Crane	Greenwood
Ballenger	Crowley	Gutierrez
Barcia	Cubin	Gutknecht
Barr	Cummings	Hall (OH)
Barrett (NE)	Cunningham	Hall (TX)
Barrett (WI)	Danner	Hansen
Bartlett	Davis (FL)	Hastings (FL)
Barton	Davis (IL)	Hastings (WA)
Bass	Davis (VA)	Hayes
Bateman	Deal	Hayworth
Bentsen	DeFazio	Hefley
Bereuter	DeGette	Herger
Berkley	DeLauro	Hill (IN)
Berman	DeLay	Hill (MT)
Berry	DeMint	Hilliard
Biggert	Deutsch	Hinchee
Bilirakis	Diaz-Balart	Hinojosa
Bishop	Dickey	Hobson
Blagojevich	Dicks	Hoefel
Bliley	Dingell	Hoekstra
Blumenauer	Dixon	Holden
Blunt	Doggett	Holt
Boehlert	Dooley	Hooley
Boehner	Doolittle	Horn
Bonilla	Doyle	Hostettler
Bonior	Dreier	Houghton
Bono	Duncan	Hoyer
Boswell	Dunn	Hulshof
Boucher	Edwards	Hunter
Boyd	Ehlers	Hutchinson
Brady (PA)	Ehrlich	Hyde
Brady (TX)	Emerson	Inslee
Brown (CA)	Engel	Isakson
Brown (FL)	English	Istook
Brown (OH)	Eshoo	Jackson (IL)
Bryant	Etheridge	Jackson-Lee
Burr	Evans	(TX)
Burton	Everett	Jenkins
Buyer	Ewing	Johnson (CT)
Callahan	Farr	Johnson, E. B.
Calvert	Filner	Johnson, Sam
Camp	Fletcher	Jones (NC)
Campbell	Foley	Jones (OH)
Canady	Forbes	Kanjorski
Cannon	Fossella	Kaptur
Cardin	Fowler	Kasich
Castle	Frank (MA)	Kelly
Chabot	Franks (NJ)	Kennedy
Chambliss	Frelinghuysen	Kildee
Chenoweth	Gallely	Kilpatrick
Clement	Ganske	Kind (WI)
Coble	Gejdenson	King (NY)
Coburn	Gekas	Kingston
Collins	Gephardt	Kleccka
Combest	Gibbons	Klink
Condit	Gilchrest	Knollenberg
Cook	Gillmor	Kolbe
Cooksey		
Cox		

Kucinich Nussle Shuster
 Kuykendall Oberstar Simpson
 LaFalce Obey Sisisky
 LaHood Olver Skeen
 Lampson Ortiz Skelton
 Lantos Ose Slaughter
 Largent Owens Smith (MI)
 Larson Oxley Smith (NJ)
 Latham Packard Smith (TX)
 LaTourette Pallone Smith (WA)
 Lazio Pascrell Snyder
 Leach Pastor Souder
 Lee Payne Spence
 Levin Pease Spratt
 Lewis (CA) Pelosi Stabenow
 Lewis (GA) Peterson (MN) Stark
 Lewis (KY) Peterson (PA) Stearns
 Linder Petri Stenholm
 Lipinski Phelps Strickland
 LoBiondo Pickering Stump
 Lofgren Pickett Stupak
 Lowey Pitts Sununu
 Lucas (KY) Pombo Sweeney
 Lucas (OK) Pomeroy Talent
 Luther Porter Tancredo
 Maloney (CT) Portman Tanner
 Maloney (NY) Price (NC) Tauscher
 Manzullo Pryce (OH) Tauzin
 Markey Quinn Taylor (MS)
 Martinez Radanovich Taylor (NC)
 Mascara Rahall Terry
 Matsui Ramstad Thomas
 McCarthy (MO) Rangel Thompson (CA)
 McCarthy (NY) Regula Thompson (MS)
 McCollum Reynolds Thornberry
 McDermott Riley Thune
 McGovern Rivers Thurman
 McHugh Rodriguez Tiahrt
 McInnis Roemer Tierney
 McIntosh Rogan Toomey
 McIntyre Rogers Towns
 McKeon Rohrabacher Traficant
 McKinney Ros-Lehtinen Turner
 McNulty Rothman Udall (CO)
 Meehan Roukema Udall (NM)
 Meek (FL) Roybal-Allard Upton
 Meeks (NY) Royce Velazquez
 Menendez Rush Vento
 Metcalf Ryan (WI) Visclosky
 Mica Ryun (KS) Walden
 Millender Sabo Walsh
 McDonald Salmon Wamp
 Miller (FL) Sanchez Waters
 Miller, Gary Sanders Watkins
 Miller, George Sandlin Watt (NC)
 Minge Sanford Watts (OK)
 Mink Sawyer Waxman
 Moakley Saxton Weldon (FL)
 Mollohan Scabarorough Weldon (PA)
 Moore Schaffer Weller
 Moran (KS) Schakowsky Wexler
 Moran (VA) Scott Weygand
 Morella Sensenbrenner Whitfield
 Murtha Serrano Wicker
 Myrick Sessions Wilson
 Nadler Shadegg Wise
 Napolitano Shaw Wolf
 Neal Shays Woolsey
 Nethercutt Sherman Wu
 Ney Sherwood Wynn
 Northup Shimkus Young (AK)
 Norwood Shows Young (FL)

NAYS—1

NOT VOTING—14

Becerra Fattah John
 Bilbray Ford McCreery
 Capps Frost Reyes
 Cox Hilleary Weiner
 Delahunt Jefferson

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 extend for 6 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted."

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.

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

¶21.12 H. RES. 32—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the further unfinished business to be the question on agreeing to the resolution (H. Res. 32) expressing support for, and calling for actions in support of, free, fair, and transparent elections in Indonesia.

The question being put,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said resolution?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 413
 affirmative Nays 6

¶21.13 [Roll No. 43] YEAS—413

Abercrombie Cook Green (TX)
 Ackerman Costello Green (WI)
 Aderholt Cox Greenwood
 Allen Coyne Gutierrez
 Andrews Cramer Gutknecht
 Archer Crane Hall (OH)
 Armey Crowley Hall (TX)
 Bachus Cubin Hansen
 Baird Cummings Hastings (FL)
 Baker Cunnigham Hastings (WA)
 Baldacci Danner Hayes
 Baldwin Davis (FL) Hayworth
 Ballenger Davis (IL) Hefley
 Barcia Davis (VA) Herger
 Barr Deal Hill (IN)
 Barrett (NE) DeFazio Hill (MT)
 Barrett (WI) DeGette Hilleary
 Bartlett DeLauro Hilliard
 Barton DeLay Hinchey
 Bass DeMint Hinojosa
 Bateman Deutsch Hobson
 Bentsen Diaz-Balart Hoefel
 Bereuter Dickey Hoeckstra
 Berkeley Dicks Holden
 Berman Dingell Holt
 Berry Dixon Hooley
 Biggert Doggett Horn
 Bilirakis Dooley Hostettler
 Bishop Doolittle Houghton
 Blagojevich Hoyer Houghton
 Bilely Dreier Hoyer
 Blumenauer Duncan Hulshof
 Blunt Dunn Hunter
 Boehlert Edwards Hutchinson
 Boehner Ehlers Hyde
 Bonior Ehrlich Inslee
 Bono Emerson Isakson
 Borski Engel Istook
 Boswell English Jackson (IL)
 Boucher Eshoo Jackson-Lee
 Boyd Etheridge (TX)
 Brady (PA) Jefferson
 Brady (TX) Jenkins
 Brown (CA) Everett Johnson (CT)
 Brown (FL) Ewing Johnson, E. B.
 Brown (OH) Farr Johnson, Sam
 Bryant Fattah Jones (OH)
 Burr Filner Kanjorski
 Burton Fletcher Kaptur
 Buyer Foley Kasich
 Callahan Forbes Kelly
 Calvert Fossella Kennedy
 Camp Fowler Kildee
 Campbell Frank (MA) Kilpatrick
 Canady Franks (NJ) Kind (WI)
 Cannon Frelinghuysen King (NY)
 Capuano Gallegly Kingston
 Cardin Ganske Kleczka
 Carson Gejdenson Klink
 Castle Gekas Knollenberg
 Chabot Gephardt Kolbe
 Chambliss Gibbons Kucinich
 Clay Gillmor Kuykendall
 Clayton Gilman LaFalce
 Clement Gonzalez LaHood
 Clyburn Goode Lantos
 Coble Goodlatte Largent
 Coburn Goodling Larson
 Collins Gooding Latham
 Combest Gordon LaTourette
 Condit Goss Lazio
 Conyers Graham Leach
 Granger Lee

Levin Packard Slaughter
 Lewis (CA) Pallone Smith (MI)
 Lewis (GA) Pascrell Smith (NJ)
 Lewis (KY) Pastor Smith (TX)
 Linder Payne Smith (WA)
 Lipinski Pease Snyder
 LoBiondo Pelosi Souder
 Lofgren Peterson (MN) Spence
 Lowey Peterson (PA) Spratt
 Lucas (KY) Petri Stabenow
 Lucas (OK) Phelps Stark
 Luther Pickering Stearns
 Maloney (CT) Pickett Stenholm
 Maloney (NY) Pitts Strickland
 Manzullo Pomeroy Stump
 Markey Porter Stupak
 Martinez Portman Sununu
 Mascara Price (NC) Sweeney
 Matsui Pryce (OH) Talent
 McCarthy (MO) Quinn Tancredo
 McCarthy (NY) Radanovich Tanner
 McCollum Rahall Tauscher
 McDermott Ramstad Tauzin
 McGovern Regula Taylor (MS)
 McHugh Reynolds Taylor (NC)
 McInnis Riley Terry
 McIntosh Rivers Thomas
 McIntyre Rodriguez Thompson (CA)
 McKeon Roemer Thompson (MS)
 McKinney Rogan Thornberry
 McNulty Rogers Thune
 Meehan Rohrabacher Thurman
 Meek (FL) Ros-Lehtinen Tiahrt
 Meeks (NY) Rothman Tierney
 Menendez Roukema Toomey
 Metcalf Roybal-Allard Towns
 Mica Royce Traficant
 Millender-Rush Turner
 McDonald Ryan (WI) Udall (CO)
 Miller (FL) Ryun (KS) Udall (NM)
 Miller, Gary Sabo Upton
 Miller, George Salmon Velazquez
 Minge Sanchez Vento
 Mink Sanders Visclosky
 Moakley Sandlin Walden
 Mollohan Sanford Walsh
 Moore Sawyer Wamp
 Moran (KS) Saxton Waters
 Moran (VA) Moran (VA) Scarborough Watkins
 Morella Schaffer Watt (NC)
 Murtha Schakowsky Waxman
 Myrick Myrick Scott Weldon (FL)
 Nadler Nadler Sensenbrenner Weldon (PA)
 Napolitano Serrano Weller
 Neal Sessions Wexler
 Nethercutt Neal Shadegg Weygand
 Ney Shaw Whitfield
 Northup Shays Wicker
 Norwood Sherwood Sherman Wilson
 Nussle Sherwood Wise
 Oberstar Shimkus Wolf
 Obey Shows Woolsey
 Olver Shuster Wynn
 Ortiz Simpson Young (AK)
 Ose Sisisky Young (FL)
 Owens Skeen
 Oxley Skelton

NAYS—6

Bonilla Cooksey Paul
 Chenoweth Jones (NC) Pombo

NOT VOTING—14

Becerra Frost Reyes
 Bilbray John Watts (OK)
 Capps Lampson Weiner
 Delahunt McCreery Wu
 Ford Rangel

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said resolution was agreed to.

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

¶21.14 H. CON. RES. 28—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the further unfinished business to be the question on agreeing to the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 28) expressing the sense of Con-

gress that the United States should introduce and make all efforts necessary to pass a resolution criticizing the People's Republic of China for its human rights abuses in China and Tibet at the annual meeting of the United Nations Commission on Human Rights; as amended.

The question being put,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said concurrent resolution, as amended?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 421
affirmative { Nays 0

¶21.15 [Roll No. 44]
YEAS—421

Abercrombie	Cox	Hall (OH)
Ackerman	Coyne	Hall (TX)
Aderholt	Cramer	Hansen
Allen	Crane	Hastings (FL)
Andrews	Crowley	Hastings (WA)
Archer	Cubin	Hayes
Armye	Cummings	Hayworth
Bachus	Cunningham	Hefley
Baird	Danner	Heger
Baker	Davis (FL)	Hill (IN)
Baldacci	Davis (IL)	Hill (MT)
Baldwin	Davis (VA)	Hilleary
Ballenger	Deal	Hilliard
Barcia	DeFazio	Hinchev
Barr	DeGette	Hinojosa
Barrett (NE)	DeLauro	Hobson
Barrett (WI)	DeLay	Hoeffel
Bartlett	DeMint	Hoekstra
Barton	Deutsch	Holden
Bass	Diaz-Balart	Holt
Bateman	Dickey	Hooley
Bentsen	Dicks	Horn
Bereuter	Dingell	Hostettler
Berkley	Dixon	Houghton
Berman	Doggett	Hoyer
Berry	Dooley	Hulshof
Biggert	Doolittle	Hunter
Bilirakis	Doyle	Hutchinson
Bishop	Dreier	Hyde
Blagojevich	Duncan	Inslee
Biley	Dunn	Isakson
Blumenauer	Edwards	Istook
Blunt	Ehlers	Jackson (IL)
Boehlert	Ehrlich	Jackson-Lee
Boehner	Emerson	(TX)
Bonilla	Engel	Jefferson
Bonior	English	Jenkins
Bono	Eshoo	Johnson (CT)
Borski	Etheridge	Johnson, E. B.
Boswell	Evans	Johnson, Sam
Boucher	Everett	Jones (NC)
Boyd	Ewing	Jones (OH)
Brady (PA)	Farr	Kanjorski
Brady (TX)	Fattur	Kaptur
Brown (CA)	Filner	Kasich
Brown (FL)	Fletcher	Kelly
Brown (OH)	Foley	Kennedy
Bryant	Forbes	Kildee
Burr	Ford	Kilpatrick
Burton	Fossella	Kind (WI)
Buyer	Fowler	King (NY)
Callahan	Frank (MA)	Kingston
Calvert	Franks (NJ)	Kleczka
Camp	Frelinghuysen	Klink
Campbell	Gallely	Knollenberg
Canady	Ganske	Kolbe
Cannon	Gejdenson	Kucinich
Capuano	Gekas	Kuykendall
Cardin	Gephardt	LaFalce
Carson	Gibbons	LaHood
Castle	Gilchrest	Lampson
Chabot	Gillmor	Lantos
Chenoweth	Gilman	Largent
Clay	Gonzalez	Larson
Clayton	Goode	Latham
Clement	Goodlatte	LaTourette
Clyburn	Goodling	Lazio
Coble	Gordon	Leach
Coburn	Goss	Lee
Collins	Graham	Levin
Combest	Granger	Lewis (CA)
Condit	Green (TX)	Lewis (GA)
Conyers	Green (WI)	Lewis (KY)
Cook	Greenwood	Linder
Cooksey	Gutierrez	Lipinski
Costello	Gutknecht	LoBiondo

Lofgren	Payne	Smith (MI)
Lowey	Pease	Smith (NJ)
Lucas (KY)	Pelosi	Smith (TX)
Lucas (OK)	Peterson (MN)	Smith (WA)
Luther	Peterson (PA)	Snyder
Maloney (CT)	Petri	Souder
Maloney (NY)	Phelps	Spence
Manzullo	Pickering	Spratt
Markey	Pitts	Stark
Martinez	Pombo	Stearns
Mascara	Pomeroy	Stenholm
Matsui	Porter	Strickland
McCarthy (MO)	Portman	Stump
McCarthy (NY)	Price (NC)	Stupak
McCollum	Pryce (OH)	Sununu
McDermott	Quinn	Sweeney
McGovern	Radanovich	Talent
McHugh	Rahall	Tancredo
McInnis	Ramstad	Tanner
McIntosh	Rangel	Tauscher
McIntyre	Regula	Tauzin
McKeon	Reynolds	Taylor (MS)
McKinney	Riley	Taylor (NC)
McNulty	Rivers	Terry
Meehan	Rodriguez	Thomas
Meek (FL)	Roemer	Thompson (CA)
Meeks (NY)	Rogan	Thompson (MS)
Menendez	Rogers	Thornberry
Metcalfe	Rohrabacher	Thune
Mica	Ros-Lehtinen	Thurman
Millender-McDonald	Rothman	Tiahrt
Miller (FL)	Roukema	Tierney
Miller, Gary	Roybal-Allard	Toomey
Miller, George	Royce	Towns
Minge	Rush	Traficant
Mink	Ryan (WI)	Turner
Moakley	Ryun (KS)	Udall (CO)
Mollohan	Sabo	Udall (NM)
Moore	Salmon	Upton
Moran (KS)	Sanchez	Velazquez
Moran (VA)	Sanders	Vento
Morella	Sandlin	Visclosky
Murtha	Sanford	Walden
Myrick	Sawyer	Walsh
Nadler	Saxton	Wamp
Napolitano	Scarborough	Waters
Neal	Schaffer	Watkins
Nethercutt	Schakowsky	Watt (NC)
Ney	Scott	Watts (OK)
Northup	Sensenbrenner	Weiner
Hunter	Serrano	Weldon (FL)
Norwood	Sessions	Weldon (PA)
Nussle	Shadegg	Weller
Oberstar	Shaw	Wexler
Obey	Shays	Weygand
Oliver	Sherman	Whitfield
Ortiz	Sherwood	Wicker
Ose	Shimkus	Wilson
Owens	Shows	Wise
Oxley	Shuster	Wolf
Packard	Simpson	Woolsey
Pallone	Sisisky	Wu
Pascarella	Skeen	Wynn
Pastor	Skelton	Young (AK)
Paul	Slaughter	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—12

Becerra	Delahunt	Pickett
Bilbray	Frost	Reyes
Capps	John	Stabenow
Chambliss	McCrery	Waxman

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said concurrent resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

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

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

¶21.16 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H. CON RES. 42

Mr. DIAZ-BALART, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 103):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the

Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 42) regarding the use of United States Armed Forces as part of a NATO peacekeeping operation implementing a Kosovo peace agreement. The first reading of the concurrent resolution shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the concurrent resolution and shall not exceed two hours equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on International Relations. After general debate the concurrent resolution shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The concurrent resolution shall be considered as read. No amendment to the concurrent resolution shall be in order except those printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII and except pro forma amendments for the purpose of debate. Each amendment so printed may be offered only by the Member who caused it to be printed or his designee and shall be considered as read. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the concurrent resolution for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the concurrent resolution to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the concurrent resolution to final adoption without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

Mr. DIAZ-BALART moved the previous question on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House now order the previous question?

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

Mr. HALL of Ohio 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 6, rule XX, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 219
Nays 203

¶21.17 [Roll No. 45]
YEAS—219

Aderholt	Bono	Cook
Archer	Brady (TX)	Cooksey
Armey	Bryant	Cox
Bachus	Burr	Crane
Baker	Burton	Cubin
Ballenger	Buyer	Cunningham
Barr	Callahan	Davis (VA)
Barrett (NE)	Calvert	Deal
Bartlett	Camp	DeLay
Barton	Campbell	DeMint
Bass	Canady	Diaz-Balart
Bateman	Cannon	Dickey
Bereuter	Castle	Doolittle
Biggert	Chabot	Dreier
Bilirakis	Chambliss	Duncan
Biley	Chenoweth	Dunn
Blunt	Coble	Ehlers
Boehlert	Coburn	Ehrlich
Boehner	Collins	Emerson
Bonilla	Combest	English

Everett Kolbe Ros-Lehtinen
 Ewing Kuykendall Roukema
 Fletcher LaHood Royce
 Largent Ryan (WI)
 Forbes Latham Ryun (KS)
 Fossella LaTourette Salmon
 Fowler Lazio Sanford
 Franks (NJ) Leach Scarborough
 Frelinghuysen Lewis (CA) Schaffer
 Gallegly Lewis (KY) Sensenbrenner
 Ganske Linder Sessions
 Gekas LoBiondo Shadegg
 Gibbons Lucas (OK) Shaw
 Gilchrist Manzullo Shays
 Gillmor McCollum Sherwood
 Gilman McCrery Shimkus
 Goode McHugh Shuster
 Goodlatte McInnis Simpson
 Goss McIntosh Skeen
 Graham McKeon Smith (MI)
 Granger Metcalf Smith (NJ)
 Green (WI) Mica Smith (TX)
 Greenwood Miller (FL) Souder
 Hall (TX) Miller, Gary Spence
 Hansen Moran (KS) Stearns
 Hastert Myrick Stump
 Hastings (WA) Nethercutt Sununu
 Hayes Ney Sweeney
 Hayworth Northrup Talent
 Hefley Norwood Tancredo
 Herger Nussle Tauzin
 Hill (MT) Ose Taylor (NC)
 Hilleary Oxley Terry
 Hobson Packard Thomas
 Hoekstra Paul Thornberry
 Horn Pease Thune
 Hostettler Peterson (PA) Tiahrt
 Houghton Petri Toomey
 Hulshof Pickering Upton
 Hunter Pitts Walden
 Hutchinson Pombo Walsh
 Hyde Porter Wamp
 Isakson Portman Watkins
 Istook Pryce (OH) Watts (OK)
 Jenkins Quinn Weldon (FL)
 Johnson (CT) Radanovich Weldon (PA)
 Johnson, Sam Ramstad Weller
 Jones (NC) Regula Whitfield
 Kasich Reynolds Wicker
 Kelly Wilson Wilton
 King (NY) Rogan Wolf
 Kingston Rogers Young (AK)
 Knollenberg Rohrabacher Young (FL)

NAYS—203

Abercrombie Deutsch Kilpatrick
 Ackerman Dicks Kind (WI)
 Allen Dingell Kleczka
 Andrews Dixon Klink
 Baird Doggett Kucinich
 Baldacci Dooley LaFalce
 Baldwin Doyle Lampson
 Barcia Edwards Lantos
 Barrett (WI) Engel Larson
 Bentsen Eshoo Lee
 Berkley Etheridge Levin
 Berman Evans Lewis (GA)
 Berry Farr Lipinski
 Bishop Fattah Lofgren
 Blagojevich Filner Lowey
 Blumenauer Ford Lucas (KY)
 Bonior Frank (MA) Luther
 Borski Gejdenson Maloney (CT)
 Boswell Gephardt Maloney (NY)
 Boucher Gonzalez Markey
 Boyd Gordon Martinez
 Brady (PA) Green (TX) Mascara
 Brown (CA) Gutierrez Matsui
 Brown (FL) Hall (OH) McCarthy (MO)
 Brown (OH) Hastings (FL) McCarthy (NY)
 Capuano Hill (IN) McDermott
 Cardin Hilliard McGovern
 Carson Hinchey McIntyre
 Clay Hinojosa McKinney
 Clayton Hoeffel McNulty
 Clement Holden Meehan
 Clyburn Holt Meek (FL)
 Condit Hooley Meeks (NY)
 Conyers Hoyer Menendez
 Costello Inslee Millender-
 Coyne Jackson (IL) McDonald
 Cramer Jackson-Lee Miller, George
 Crowley (TX) Minge
 Cummings Jefferson Mink
 Danner Johnson, E. B. Moakley
 Davis (FL) Jones (OH) Moore
 Davis (IL) Kanjorski Moran (VA)
 DeFazio Kaptur Murtha
 DeGette Kennedy Nadler
 DeLauro Kildee Napolitano

Neal Oberstar Sabo
 Obey Sanchez Thompson (CA)
 Oliver Sanders Thompson (MS)
 Ortiz Sandlin Thurman
 Owens Sawyer Tierney
 Pallone Schakowsky Towns
 Pascrell Scott Traficant
 Pastor Serrano Turner
 Payne Sherman Udall (CO)
 Pelosi Shows Udall (NM)
 Peterson (MN) Sisisky Velazquez
 Phelps Skelton Vento
 Pickett Slaughte Visclosky
 Pomeroy Smith (WA) Waters
 Price (NC) Snyder Watt (NC)
 Rahall Spratt Waxman
 Rangel Stark Weiner
 Rivers Stenholm Wexler
 Rodriguez Strickland Weygand
 Roemer Stupak Wise
 Rothman Tanner Woolsey
 Roybal-Allard Tauscher Wu
 Rush Taylor (MS) Wynn

NOT VOTING—12

Becerra Frost Mollohan
 Bilbray Goodling Morella
 Capps Gutknecht Reyes
 Delahunt John Saxton

So the previous question on the resolution was ordered.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

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

Mr. HALL of Ohio demanded a recorded vote on agreeing to said resolution, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the	{	Yeas	218
affirmative	{	Nays	201

¶21.18 [Roll No. 46]
 AYES—218

Aderholt Deal Herger
 Army DeLay Hill (MT)
 Bachus DeMint Hilleary
 Baker Diaz-Balart Hobson
 Ballenger Dickey Hoekstra
 Barr Doolittle Hostettler
 Barrett (NE) Dreier Houghton
 Barton Duncan Hulshof
 Bass Dunn Hutchinson
 Bateman Ehlers Hyde
 Bereuter Ehrlich Isakson
 Biggert Emerson Istook
 Bilirakis English Jenkins
 Bileyle Everett Johnson (CT)
 Blunt Johnson, Sam
 Boehlert Fletcher Jones (NC)
 Boehner Foley Kasich
 Bonilla Forbes Kelly
 Bono Fossella King (NY)
 Brady (TX) Fowler Kingston
 Bryant Frank (MA)
 Burr Franks (NJ)
 Burton Frelinghuysen Knollenberg
 Buyer Gallegly LaHood
 Callahan Ganske Largent
 Calvert Gekas Latham
 Camp Gibbons LaTourette
 Campbell Gilchrist Lazio
 Canady Gillmor Leach
 Cannon Gilman Lewis (CA)
 Castle Goode Lewis (KY)
 Chabot Goodlatte Linder
 Chambliss Goss LoBiondo
 Chenoweth Graham Lucas (OK)
 Coble Granger Manzullo
 Coburn Green (WI) McCollum
 Collins Greenwood McCrery
 Combest Gutknecht McHugh
 Cook Hall (TX) McInnis
 Cooksey Hansen
 Cox Hastert McIntosh
 Crane Hastings (WA) Metcalf
 Cubin Hayes Mica
 Cunningham Hayworth Miller (FL)
 Davis (VA) Hefley Miller, Gary

Moran (KS) Rohrabacher Sweeney
 Myrick Ros-Lehtinen Talent
 Nethercutt Roukema Tancredo
 Ney Royce Tauzin
 Northrup Ryan (WI) Taylor (MS)
 Norwood Ryun (KS) Taylor (NC)
 Nussle Salmon Terry
 Ose Sanford Thomas
 Oxley Scarborough Thornberry
 Packard Schaffer Thune
 Paul Sensenbrenner Tiahrt
 Pease Sessions Toomey
 Peterson (PA) Shadegg Upton
 Petri Shaw Walden
 Pickering Shays Walsh
 Pitts Sherwood Wamp
 Pombo Shimkus Watkins
 Porter Shuster Weldon (OK)
 Portman Simpson Weldon (PA)
 Pryce (OH) Skeen Weller
 Radanovich Smith (MI) Whitfield
 Ramstad Smith (NJ) Wicker
 Regula Smith (TX) Wilson
 Reynolds Souder Wolf
 Riley Spence Young (AK)
 Roemer Stearns Young (FL)
 Rogan Stump
 Rogers Sununu

NOES—201

Abercrombie Hastings (FL) Obey
 Ackerman Hill (IN) Oliver
 Allen Hilliard Ortiz
 Andrews Hinchey Owens
 Baird Hinojosa Pallone
 Baldacci Hoeffel Pascrell
 Baldwin Holden Pastor
 Barcia Holt Payne
 Barrett (WI) Hooley Pelosi
 Bentsen Hoyer Peterson (MN)
 Berkley Inslee Phelps
 Berman Jackson (IL) Pickett
 Berry Jackson-Lee Pomeroy
 Bishop (TX) Price (NC)
 Blagojevich Jefferson Quinn
 Blumenauer Johnson, E. B. Rahall
 Bonior Jones (OH) Rangel
 Borski Kanjorski Rivers
 Boswell Kaptur Rodriguez
 Boucher Kennedy Rothman
 Boyd Kildee Roybal-Allard
 Brady (PA) Kilpatrick Rush
 Brown (CA) Kind (WI) Sabo
 Brown (FL) Kleczka Sanchez
 Brown (OH) Klink Sanders
 Capuano Kucinich Sandlin
 Cardin LaFalce Sawyer
 Carson Lampson Schakowsky
 Clay Lantos Scott
 Clayton Larson Serrano
 Clement Lee Sherman
 Clyburn Levin Shows
 Condit Lewis (GA) Sisisky
 Conyers Lippinski Skelton
 Costello Costello Slaughte
 Coyne Lofgren Smith (WA)
 Coyne Lowey Snyder
 Cramer Lucas (KY) Spratt
 Crowley Luther Stabenow
 Cummings Maloney (CT) Stark
 Danner Maloney (NY) Stenholm
 Davis (FL) Markey Strickland
 Davis (IL) Martinez Stupak
 DeFazio Mascara Tanner
 DeGette Matsui Tauscher
 DeLauro McCahty (MO) Thompson (CA)
 Deutsch McCarthy (NY) Thompson (MS)
 Dicks McDermott Thurman
 Dingell McGovern Tierney
 Dixon McIntyre Towns
 Doggett McKinney Traficant
 Dooley McNulty Turner
 Doyle Meehan Udall (CO)
 Edwards Meek (FL) Udall (NM)
 Engel Meeks (NY) Velazquez
 Eshoo Menendez Vento
 Etheridge Millender-Visclosky
 Evans McDonald Waters
 Farr Miller, George Watt (NC)
 Fattah Minge Waxman
 Filner Mink Weiner
 Ford Moakley Wexler
 Gejdenson Moore Weygand
 Gephardt Moran (VA) Wise
 Gonzalez Murtha Woolsey
 Gordon Nadler Wu
 Green (TX) Napolitano Wynn
 Gutierrez Neal
 Hall (OH) Oberstar

NOT VOTING—15

Archer	Delahunt	John
Bartlett	Frost	Mollohan
Becerra	Goodling	Morella
Bilbray	Horn	Reyes
Capps	Hunter	Saxton

So the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

21.19 REGARDING DEPLOYMENT OF TROOPS IN KOSOVO

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BURR, pursuant to House Resolution 103 and rule XVIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 42) regarding the use of United States Armed Forces as part of the NATO peacekeeping operation implementing a Kosovo peace agreement.

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

Decision of the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole:

“The gentleman from New York [Mr. GILMAN] makes the point of order that the amendment offered by the gentleman from Connecticut [Mr. GEJDENSON] is not germane.

“The concurrent resolution authorizes the President to deploy United States Armed Forces to implement a Kosovo peace agreement. Its provisions fall exclusively within the jurisdiction of the Committee on International Relations. That committee has jurisdiction over ‘intervention abroad’, which includes the deployment of armed forces by the President. Conditions, limitations or other attributes of such deployment are within the ambit of ‘intervention abroad’.

“The amendment offered by the gentleman from Connecticut includes a provision declaring the support of Congress for the armed forces who are carrying out their missions in the Balkan region. As evidenced by the referral of House Resolution 306 in the 104th Congress which was considered by the House, such a provision falls within the jurisdiction of both the Committee on Armed Services and the Committee on International Relations. The sentiment contained in section 3 of the amendment is not a condition, limitation or attribute of the deployment of armed forces in Kosovo.

“As noted in section 798a and 798c of the House Rules and Manual of the 105th Congress, to be germane, an amendment must relate to the same subject matter and the same jurisdiction as are addressed in the concurrent resolution. The Chair finds that the amendment fails both of these long-standing tests. Therefore, the Chair holds that the amendment is not germane. Accordingly, the point of order is sustained.”.

21.20 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the question raised by an appeal in the Committee, to wit: “Shall the following decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the Committee?”.

It was decided in the { Yeas 218
affirmative } Nays 205

21.21 [Roll No. 47] AYES—218

Aderholt	Gilchrest	Packard
Archer	Gillmor	Paul
Armey	Gilman	Pease
Bachus	Goodlatte	Peterson (PA)
Baker	Goodling	Petri
Ballenger	Goss	Pickering
Barr	Graham	Pitts
Barrett (NE)	Granger	Pombo
Bartlett	Grass	Porter
Barton	Greenwood	Portman
Bass	Gutknecht	Pryce (OH)
Bateman	Hansen	Radanovich
Bereuter	Hastings (WA)	Ramstad
Biggett	Hayes	Regula
Bilirakis	Hayworth	Reynolds
Bliley	Hefley	Riley
Blunt	Herger	Rogan
Boehlert	Hill (MT)	Rogers
Boehner	Hilleary	Rohrabacher
Bonilla	Hobson	Ros-Lehtinen
Bono	Hoeckstra	Roukema
Brady (TX)	Horn	Royce
Bryant	Hostettler	Ryan (WI)
Burr	Houghton	Ryun (KS)
Burton	Hulshof	Salmon
Buyer	Hunter	Sanford
Callahan	Hutchinson	Saxton
Calvert	Hyde	Scarborough
Camp	Isakson	Schaffer
Campbell	Istook	Sensenbrenner
Canady	Jenkins	Sessions
Cannon	Johnson (CT)	Shadegg
Castle	Johnson, Sam	Shaw
Chabot	Jones (NC)	Shays
Chambliss	Kasich	Sherwood
Chenoweth	Kelly	Shimkus
Coble	King (NY)	Shuster
Coburn	Kingston	Simpson
Collins	Knollenberg	Skeen
Combest	Kolbe	Smith (MI)
Cook	Kuykendall	Smith (NJ)
Cooksey	LaHood	Smith (TX)
Cox	Largent	Souder
Crane	Latham	Spence
Cubin	LaTourette	Stearns
Cunningham	Lazio	Stump
Davis (VA)	Leach	Sununu
Deal	Lewis (CA)	Sweeney
DeLay	Lewis (KY)	Talent
DeMint	Linder	Tancredo
Diaz-Balart	LoBiondo	Tauzin
Dickey	Lucas (OK)	Taylor (NC)
Doolittle	Manzullo	Terry
Dreier	McCollum	Thomas
Duncan	McCrery	Thornberry
Dunn	McHugh	Thune
Ehlers	McInnis	Tiahrt
Ehrlich	McIntosh	Toomey
Emerson	McKeon	Upton
English	Metcalf	Walden
Everett	Mica	Walsh
Ewing	Miller (FL)	Wamp
Fletcher	Miller, Gary	Watkins
Foley	Moran (KS)	Watts (OK)
Forbes	Morella	Weldon (FL)
Fossella	Myrick	Weldon (PA)
Fowler	Nethercutt	Weller
Franks (NJ)	Ney	Whitfield
Frelinghuysen	Northup	Wicker
Galleghy	Norwood	Wilson
Ganske	Nussle	Wolf
Gekas	Ose	Young (FL)
Gibbons	Oxley	

NOES—205

Abercrombie	Barrett (WI)	Bonior
Ackerman	Bentsen	Borski
Allen	Berkley	Boswell
Andrews	Berman	Boucher
Baird	Berry	Boyd
Baldacci	Bishop	Brady (PA)
Baldwin	Blagojevich	Brown (CA)
Barcia	Blumenauer	Brown (FL)

Brown (OH)	Jefferson	Pelosi
Capuano	Johnson, E. B.	Peterson (MN)
Cardin	Jones (OH)	Phelps
Carson	Kanjorski	Pickett
Clay	Kaptur	Pomeroy
Clayton	Kennedy	Price (NC)
Clement	Kildee	Rahall
Clyburn	Kilpatrick	Rangel
Condit	Kind (WI)	Rivers
Conyers	Klecicka	Rodriguez
Costello	Klink	Roemer
Coyne	Kucinich	Rothman
Cramer	LaFalce	Roybal-Allard
Crowley	Lampson	Rush
Cummings	Lantos	Sabo
Danner	Larson	Sanchez
Davis (FL)	Lee	Sanders
Davis (IL)	Levin	Sandin
DeFazio	Lewis (GA)	Sawyer
DeGette	Lipinski	Schakowsky
Delahunt	Lofgren	Scott
DeLauro	Lowey	Serrano
Deutsch	Lucas (KY)	Sherman
Dicks	Luther	Shows
Dingell	Maloney (CT)	Sisisky
Dixon	Maloney (NY)	Skelton
Doggett	Markey	Slaughter
Dooley	Martinez	Smith (WA)
Doyle	Mascara	Snyder
Edwards	Matsui	Spratt
Engel	McCarthy (MO)	Stabenow
Eshoo	McCarthy (NY)	Stark
Etheridge	McDermott	Stenholm
Evans	McGovern	Strickland
Farr	McIntyre	Stupak
Fattah	McKinney	Tanner
Finler	McNulty	Tauscher
Ford	Meehan	Taylor (MS)
Frank (MA)	Meek (FL)	Thompson (CA)
Gejdenson	Meeks (NY)	Thompson (MS)
Gephardt	Menendez	Thurman
Gonzalez	Millender-McDonald	Tierney
Goode	Miller, George	Towns
Gordon	Minge	Trafficant
Green (TX)	Mink	Turner
Gutierrez	Moakley	Udall (CO)
Hall (OH)	Moore	Udall (NM)
Hall (TX)	Moran (VA)	Velazquez
Hastings (FL)	Murtha	Vento
Hill (IN)	Nader	Visclosky
Hilliard	Napolitano	Waters
Hincheey	Neal	Watt (NC)
Hinojosa	Oberstar	Waxman
Hoeffel	Obey	Weiner
Holden	Olver	Wexler
Holt	Ortiz	Weygand
Hooley	Owens	Wise
Hoyer	Pallone	Woolsey
Inslee	Pascrell	Wynn
Jackson (IL)	Pastor	
Jackson-Lee (TX)	Payne	

NOT VOTING—10

Becerra	John	Wu
Bilbray	Mollohan	Young (AK)
Capps	Quinn	
Frost	Reyes	

So the decision of the Chair stood as the judgment of the Committee.

After some further time,

21.22 RECORDED VOTE

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

Amendment submitted by Mrs. FOWLER:

Page 1, strike line 1 and all that follows through line 9 and insert the following:

(1) President Clinton is contemplating the introduction of ground elements of the United States Armed Forces to Kosovo as part of a larger North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) operation to conduct peace-making or peacekeeping between warring parties in Kosovo, and these Armed Forces may be subject to foreign command.

(2) Such a deployment, if it were to occur, would in all likelihood require the commitment of United States ground forces for a

minimum of 3 years and cost billions of dollars.

(3) Kosovo, unlike Bosnia, is a province of the Republic of Serbia, a sovereign foreign state.

(4) The deployment of United States ground forces to enforce a peace agreement between warring parties in a sovereign foreign state is not consistent with the prior employment of deadly military force by the United States against either or both of the warring parties in that sovereign foreign state.

(5) The Secretary of Defense, William Cohen, has opposed the deployment of United States ground forces to Kosovo, as reflected in his testimony before the Congress on October 6, 1998.

(6) The deployment of United States ground forces to participate in the peacekeeping operation in Bosnia, which has resulted in the expenditure of more than \$10,000,000,000 by United States taxpayers to date, which has already been extended past 2 previous withdrawal dates established by the administration, and which shows no sign of ending in the near future, clearly argues that the costs and duration of a deployment to Kosovo for peacekeeping purposes will be much heavier and much longer than initially foreseen.

(7) The substantial drain on military readiness of a deployment to Kosovo would be inconsistent with the need, recently acknowledged by the Joint Chiefs of Staff, to reverse the trends which have already severely compromised the ability of the United States Armed Forces to carry out the basic National Military Strategy of the United States.

(8) The Congress has already indicated its considerable concern about the possible deployment of United States Armed Forces to Kosovo, as evidenced by section 8115 of the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, 1999 (Public Law 105-262; 112 Stat. 2327), which sets forth among other things a requirement for the President to transmit to the Congress a report detailing the anticipated costs, funding sources, and exit strategy for any additional United States Armed Forces deployed to Yugoslavia, Albania, or Macedonia.

(9) The introduction of United States Armed Forces into hostilities, or into situations where imminent involvement in hostilities may occur, clearly indicates authorization by the Congress when such action is not required for the defense of the United States, its Armed Forces, or its nationals.

(10) United States national security interests in Kosovo do not rise to a level that warrants the introduction of United States ground forces in Kosovo for peacekeeping purposes.

Page 1, strike the second amendatory instructions and insert the following:

Page 1, strike line 8 and all that follows through line 3 on page 2.

Page 2, strike line 4 and all that follows through line 8.

Page 1, line 10, strike "DEPLOYMENT" and insert "LIMITATION ON DEPLOYMENT".

Page 1, line 14, strike "described in (b)" and insert ", subject to the limitation contained in subsection (b)."

Page 2, strike line 1 through line 6 and insert the following:

(b) LIMITATION.—The President is not authorized to deploy ground elements of the United States Armed Forces to Kosovo as part of a North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) operation to implement a peace agreement between the Republic of Serbia and representatives of ethnic Albanians living in the province of Kosovo.

(c) RULES OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this concurrent resolution shall be construed—

(1) to prevent United States Armed Forces from taking such actions as the Armed Forces consider necessary for self-defense against an immediate threat emanating from the Republic of Serbia; or

(2) to restrict the authority of the President under the Constitution to protect the lives of United States citizens.

Strike the second line 1 and all that follows:

Amendment submitted by Mr. GEJDENSON:

Page 2, after line 3, insert the following:

(3) Former Senator Robert Dole recently traveled to the region to meet with the Kosovar Albanians and deliver a message from President Clinton encouraging all parties to reach an agreement to end the conflict in Kosovo.

(4) Representatives of the Government of Serbia and representatives of the Kosovar Albanians are scheduled to reconvene in France on March 15, 1999.

Page 2, line 4, strike "(3)" and insert "(5)". Page 2, strike line 9 and all that follows and insert the following:

SEC. 3. DEPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES TO KOSOVO.

(a) DECLARATION OF POLICY RELATING TO INTERIM AGREEMENT.—The Congress urges the President to continue to take measures described in (b) to support the ongoing peace process relating to Kosovo with the objective of reaching a fair and just interim agreement between the Serbian Government and the Kosovar Albanians on the status of Kosovo.

(b) AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPLOYMENT OF ARMED FORCES.—If a fair and just interim agreement described in subsection (a) is reached, the President is authorized to deploy United States Armed Forces personnel to Kosovo as part of a NATO peacekeeping operation implementing such interim agreement.

At the end of the resolution, add the following new section:

SEC. 4. LIMITATION.

The authorization in section 3 is subject to the limitation that the number of United States Armed Forces personnel participating in a deployment described in that section may not exceed 15 percent of the total NATO force deployed to Kosovo in the peacekeeping operation described in that section, except that such percentage may be exceeded if the President determines that United States forces or United States citizens are in danger and notifies Congress of that determination.

It was decided in the negative { Yeas 178 Nays 237 Answered present 2

21.23

[Roll No. 48]

AYES—178

- Aderholt Burton Deal
Andrews Camp DeLay
Archer Campbell DeMint
Arney Canady Dickey
Bachus Cannon Doolittle
Baker Chabot Duncan
Ballenger Chambliss Ehlers
Barr Chenoweth Ehrlich
Barrett (NE) Coble Emerson
Bartlett Coburn English
Barton Collins Everett
Bass Combest Ewing
Bereuter Condit Foley
Bilirakis Cook Fossella
Blunt Cox Fowler
Bonilla Crane Franks (NJ)
Brady (TX) Cubin Gallegly
Bryant Cunningham Ganske
Burr Danner Gibbons

- Gillmor McHugh Schaffer
Goode McInnis Sensenbrenner
Goodlatte McIntosh Sessions
Goodling McKeon Shadegg
Gordon Metcalf Shimkus
Graham Mica Skeen
Granger Miller (FL) Smith (MI)
Greenwood Miller, Gary Smith (TX)
Gutknecht Moran (KS) Souder
Hall (TX) Myrick Spence
Hansen Nethercutt Stearns
Hastings (WA) Ney Stump
Hayes Norwood Sununu
Hayworth Nussle Sweeney
Hefley Packard Talent
Herger Paul Tancredo
Hill (MT) Pease Tauzin
Hilleary Peterson (MN) Taylor (NC)
Hoekstra Peterson (PA) Terry
Horn Petri Thomas
Hostettler Pickering Thornberry
Hulshof Pitts Thune
Hutchinson Pombo Tiahrt
Isakson Pryce (OH) Toomey
Istook Radanovich Traficant
Jenkins Ramstad Upton
Johnson, Sam Reynolds Walden
Jones (NC) Riley Walsh
Kasich Roemer Wamp
Kingston Rogan Watkins
Kuykendall Rogers Watts (OK)
LaHood Rohrabacher Weldon (FL)
Largent Ros-Lehtinen Weldon (PA)
Latham Roukema Weller
Leach Royce Whitfield
Lewis (KY) Ryan (WI) Wicker
LoBiondo Ryun (KS) Wilson
Lucas (OK) Salmon Young (AK)
Manzullo Sanford Young (FL)
McCollum Saxton
McCrery Scarborough

NOES—237

- Ackerman Dooley King (NY)
Allen Doyle Kleczka
Baird Dreier Klink
Baldacci Dunn Knollenberg
Baldwin Edwards Kolbe
Barcia Engel Kucinich
Barrett (WI) Eshoo LaFalce
Bateman Etheridge Lampson
Bentsen Evans Lantos
Berkley Farr Larson
Berman Fattah LaTourette
Berry Filner Lazio
Biggart Fletcher Lee
Bishop Forbes Levin
Blagojevich Ford Lewis (CA)
Bliley Frank (MA) Lewis (GA)
Blumenauer Frelinghuysen Linder
Boehlert Gejdenson Lofgren
Boehner Gekas Lowey
Bonior Gephardt Lucas (KY)
Bono Gilchrest Luther
Borski Gilman Maloney (CT)
Boswell Gonzalez Maloney (NY)
Boucher Goss Markey
Boyd Green (TX) Martinez
Brady (PA) Green (WI) Mascara
Brown (FL) Gutierrez Matsui
Brown (OH) Hall (OH) McCarthy (MO)
Buyer Hastings (FL) McCarthy (NY)
Calvert Hill (IN) McDermott
Capuano Hilliard McGovern
Cardin Hinchey McIntyre
Carson Hinojosa McKinney
Castle Hobson McNulty
Clayton Hoeffel Meehan
Clement Holden Meek (FL)
Clyburn Holt Meeks (NY)
Conyers Hooley Menendez
Cooksey Houghton Millender
Costello Hoyer McDonald
Coyne Hunter Miller, George
Cramer Hyde Minge
Crowley Inslee Mink
Cummings Jackson (IL) Moakley
Davis (FL) Jackson-Lee Mollohan
Davis (IL) (TX) Moore
Davis (VA) Jefferson Moran (VA)
DeFazio Johnson (CT) Morella
DeGette Johnson, E. B. Murtha
Delahunt Jones (OH) Nadler
DeLauro Kanjorski Napolitano
Deutsch Kaptur Neal
Diaz-Balart Kelly Northup
Dicks Kennedy Oberstar
Dingell Kildee Obey
Dixon Kilpatrick Olver
Doggett Kind (WI) Ortiz

Ose	Sanchez	Stupak
Owens	Sanders	Tanner
Oxley	Sandlin	Tauscher
Pallone	Sawyer	Taylor (MS)
Pascarell	Schakowsky	Thompson (CA)
Pastor	Scott	Thurman
Payne	Serrano	Tierney
Pelosi	Shaw	Turner
Phelps	Shays	Udall (CO)
Pickett	Sherman	Udall (NM)
Pomeroy	Sherwood	Vento
Porter	Shows	Visclosky
Portman	Simpson	Waters
Price (NC)	Sisisky	Watt (NC)
Rahall	Skelton	Waxman
Rangel	Slaughter	Weiner
Regula	Smith (NJ)	Wexler
Rivers	Smith (WA)	Weygand
Rodriguez	Snyder	Wise
Rothman	Spratt	Wolf
Roybal-Allard	Stabenow	Woolsey
Rush	Stark	Wynn
Sabo	Stenholm	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—2

Abercrombie Callahan

NOT VOTING—16

Becerra	John	Thompson (MS)
Bilbray	Lipinski	Towns
Brown (CA)	Quinn	Velazquez
Capps	Reyes	Wu
Clay	Shuster	
Frost	Strickland	

So the amendment to the amendment was not agreed to.

After some further time, The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GIBBONS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. THORNBERRY, Chairman, pursuant to House Resolution 103, reported the concurrent resolution back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee.

The previous question having been ordered by said concurrent resolution.

The following amendment, reported from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, was agreed to:

Page 2, after line 3, insert the following:

(3) Former Senator Robert Dole recently traveled to the region to meet with the Kosovar Albanians and deliver a message from President Clinton encouraging all parties to reach an agreement to end the conflict in Kosovo.

(4) Representatives of the Government of Serbia and representatives of the Kosovar Albanians are scheduled to reconvene in France on March 15, 1999.

Page 2, line 4, strike "(3)" and insert "(5)".

Page 2, strike line 9 and all that follows and insert the following:

1. Strike section 3 and insert the following:

SEC. 3. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPLOYMENT OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES TO KOSOVO.

(a) In general.—Subject to the limitations in subsection (b) the President is authorized to deploy United States Armed Forces personnel to Kosovo as part of a NATO peace-keeping operation implementing a Kosovo peace agreement.

(b) Reports to Congress.—The President should, before ordering the deployment of any United States Armed Forces personnel to Kosovo do each of the following:

(1) Personally and in writing submit to the Congress—

(A) a detailed statement explaining the national interest of the United States at risk in the Kosovo conflict; and

(B) a certification to the Congress that all United States Armed Forces personnel so deployed pursuant to subsection (a) will be under the operational control only of United States Armed Forces military officers.

(2) Submit to the Congress a detailed report that—

(A) in classified and unclassified form addresses the amount and nature of the military resources of the United States, in both personnel and equipment, that will be required for such deployment;

(B) outlines and explains the military exit strategy that would control the withdrawal of United States Armed Forces personnel from Kosovo;

(C) certifies the chain of command for any such deployed United States Armed Forces personnel; and

(D) provides the percentage of United States Armed Forces participating in any NATO deployment in the Kosovo peace keeping operation, including ground troops, air support, logistics support, and intelligence support, compared to the other NATO nations participating in that operation.

(3) Submit to the Congress a detailed report that—

(A) in classified and unclassified form addresses the impact on military readiness of such deployment;

(B) provides the timeframe in which withdrawal of all United States Armed Forces personnel from Kosovo could reasonably be expected;

(C) in classified and unclassified form provides an unambiguous explanation of the rules of engagement under which all United States Armed Forces personnel participating in the Kosovo NATO peace keeping operation shall operate;

(D) in classified and unclassified form provides the budgetary impact for fiscal year 1999 and each fiscal year thereafter for the next five fiscal years on the Department of Defense, and each of the military services in particular; on the Intelligence Community; and on the Department of State as a result of any such deployment.

(4) Submit in classified form, to the Speaker, the Minority Leader, the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, and the Committee on Armed Services of the House of Representatives; and the Majority and Minority Leaders, the Select Committee on Intelligence, and the Armed Services Committee of the Senate, a detailed report that addresses the threats attendant to any such deployment and the nature and level of force protection required for such deployment.

(5) Submit to the Speaker, Minority Leader, and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence of the House of Representatives; and the Majority and Minority Leaders and the Select Committee on Intelligence of the Senate a detailed report that addresses—

(A) any intelligence sharing arrangement that has been established as a result of the Kosovo peace agreement;

(B) the intelligence sharing arrangement that currently exists within NATO and how such arrangement would be modified, if at all, in the Kosovo context; and

(C) whether Russian participation in a Kosovo peacekeeping deployment alongside NATO forces will affect, impede, or hinder any such intelligence sharing arrangement.

(6) Submit to the Congress a detailed report on the scope of the mission of the United States Armed Forces personnel.

(7) Submit to the Congress a detailed report prepared by the Secretary of State that—

(A) outlines and explains the diplomatic exit strategy that would control the withdrawal of United States Armed Forces personnel from Kosovo;

(B) outlines and explains the means and methodologies by which verification of compliance with the terms of any Kosovo peace agreement will be determined;

(C) in classified and unclassified form, explains the terms and conditions included in any peace agreement reached with respect to the Kosovo conflict. Such report should include—

(1) a detailed discussion and explanation of any side agreement, whether or not all parties to the overall peace agreement are aware of the side agreement;

(2) a detailed discussion and explanation of any obligations of the United States arising from the peace agreement, including any such obligations with respect to the introduction of weapons into Kosovo and Serbia;

(3) a detailed discussion and explanation of any military arrangements, in addition to the NATO deployment, to which the United States has agreed to undertake as a result of the Kosovo peace agreement;

(4) a detailed discussion and explanation of the funding source for any future plebiscite or referendum on independence for Kosovo; and

(5) a detailed discussion and explanation of any requirement for forces participating in the NATO peace keeping operation implementing the peace agreement to enforce any provision of such peace agreement.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to said concurrent resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GIBBONS, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. GILMAN demanded a recorded vote on agreeing to said concurrent resolution, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative	Yeas	219		
			Nays	191
			Answered present	9

¶21.24 [Roll No. 49]

AYES—219

Ackerman	Dixon	Jones (OH)
Allen	Doggett	Kanjorski
Baird	Dooley	Kaptur
Baldacci	Doyle	Kelly
Baldwin	Dreier	Kennedy
Barcia	Dunn	Kildee
Barrett (WI)	Edwards	Kilpatrick
Berkley	Engel	Kind (WI)
Berman	Eshoo	King (NY)
Berry	Etheridge	Kleccka
Biggert	Evans	Knollenberg
Bishop	Farr	Kucinich
Bliley	Fattah	LaFalce
Blumenauer	Filner	Lampson
Boehlert	Forbes	Lantos
Bonior	Ford	Larson
Bono	Frelinghuysen	LaTourette
Borski	Gejdenson	Lazio
Boswell	Gekas	Lee
Boucher	Gephardt	Levin
Boyd	Gilchrest	Lewis (CA)
Brady (PA)	Gilman	Lewis (GA)
Brown (FL)	Gonzalez	Linder
Buyer	Goss	Lowey
Calvert	Green (TX)	Lucas (KY)
Capuano	Gutierrez	Luther
Cardin	Hall (OH)	Maloney (CT)
Carson	Hastert	Maloney (NY)
Castle	Hastings (FL)	Markey
Clayton	Hill (IN)	Martinez
Clement	Hilliard	Mascara
Clyburn	Hinches	Matsui
Conyers	Hinojosa	McCarthy (MO)
Cooksey	Hobson	McCarthy (NY)
Coyne	Hoeffel	McDermott
Cramer	Holden	McGovern
Crowley	Holt	McIntyre
Cummings	Hooley	Meehan
Davis (FL)	Houghton	Meek (FL)
Davis (IL)	Hoyer	Meeks (NY)
Davis (VA)	Hunter	Menendez
DeFazio	Hyde	Millender
DeGette	Inslee	McDonald
Delahunt	Jackson (IL)	Miller, George
DeLauro	Jackson-Lee	Minge
Deutsch	(TX)	Moakley
Diaz-Balart	Jefferson	Mollohan
Dicks	Johnson (CT)	Moore
Dingell	Johnson, E. B.	Moran (VA)

Morella
Murtha
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal
Oberstar
Oliver
Ortiz
Ose
Owens
Oxley
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pelosi
Pickett
Pomeroy
Porter
Portman
Price (NC)
Radanovich
Rahall
Rangel
Regula

Rivers
Rodriguez
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Rush
Sabo
Sanchez
Sanders
Sandlin
Sawyer
Schakowsky
Scott
Serrano
Shaw
Sherman
Sherwood
Shows
Sisisky
Skeen
Skelton
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Spratt
Stabenow

Stark
Stenholm
Stupak
Tanner
Tauscher
Thompson (CA)
Thurman
Tierney
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Velazquez
Vento
Waters
Watt (NC)
Waxman
Weiner
Wexler
Weygand
Wilson
Wise
Wolf
Woolsey
Wynn

John
Lipinski
Quinn

Reyes
Shuster
Strickland

Thompson (MS)
Townes
Wu

So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶21.25 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Monday, March 15, 1999, at 2 o'clock p.m.

¶21.26 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, March 17, 1999, under clause 7, rule XV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

¶21.27 COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GIBBONS, by unanimous consent, announced that the Speaker, pursuant to section 1 of Public Law 99-7, appointed to the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe, on the part of the House, the following Members: Messrs. WOLF, SALMON, GREENWOOD and FORBES.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶21.28 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

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

S. 447. An Act to deem as timely filed, and process for payment, the applications submitted by the Dodson School Districts for certain Impact Aid payment for fiscal year 1999.

¶21.29 BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on this day present to the President for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 822. To nullify any reservation of funds during fiscal year 1999 for guaranteed loads under the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act for qualified beginning farmers or ranchers, and for other purposes.

And then,

¶21.30 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. PALLONE, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 10 o'clock and 24 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, March 15, 1999.

¶21.31 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. BURTON: Committee on Government Reform. A Citizen's Guide on Using the Freedom of Information Act and the Privacy Act of 1974 to Request Government Records (Rept. No. 106-50). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 820. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2000 and 2001 for the Coast Guard, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 106-51). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶21.32 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. GOODLATTE:
H.R. 1069. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the memorialization at the columbarium at Arlington National Cemetery of veterans who have donated their remains to science, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LAZIO (for himself, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. HORN, Mr. DIXON, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. FROST, Mr. NEY, Mr. OLVER, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. STARK, Ms. CARSON, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. COYNE, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. INSLEE, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. QUINN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. FORBES, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. WYNN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LEACH, Mr. RUSH, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MYRICK, and Ms. LOFGREN):

H.R. 1070. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide medical assistance for certain women screened and found to have breast or cervical cancer under a federally funded screening program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. FILNER, Mr. SHOWS, and Ms. BROWN of Florida):

H.R. 1071. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve benefits under the Montgomery GI Bill by establishing an enhanced educational assistance program, by increasing the amount of basic educational assistance, by repealing the requirement for reduction in pay for participation in the program, by authorizing the Secretary of Vet-

NOES—191

Aderholt
Andrews
Archer
Army
Bachus
Baker
Ballenger
Barr
Barrett (NE)
Bartlett
Barton
Bass
Bateman
Bereuter
Bilirakis
Blagojevich
Blunt
Boehner
Bonilla
Brady (TX)
Bryant
Burr
Burton
Camp
Campbell
Canady
Cannon
Chabot
Chambliss
Chenoweth
Coble
Collins
Combest
Condit
Cook
Costello
Cox
Crane
Cubin
Cunningham
Danner
Deal
DeLay
DeMint
Dickey
Doolittle
Duncan
Ehlers
Ehrlich
Emerson
English
Everett
Ewing
Fletcher
Foley
Fossella
Fowler
Frank (MA)
Franks (NJ)
Gallegly
Ganske
Gibbons
Gillmor
Goode

Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Graham
Granger
Green (WI)
Greenwood
Gutknecht
Hall (TX)
Hansen
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Hayworth
Hefley
Herger
Hill (MT)
Hilleary
Hoekstra
Horn
Hostettler
Hulshof
Hutchinson
Isakson
Istook
Jenkins
Johnson, Sam
Jones (NC)
Kasich
Kingston
Klink
Kolbe
Kuykendall
LaHood
Largent
Latham
Leach
Lewis (KY)
LoBiondo
Lucas (OK)
Manzullo
McCollum
McCrery
McHugh
McInnis
McIntosh
McKeon
McKinney
McNulty
Metcalf
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Myrick
Nethercutt
Ney
Northup
Norwood
Nussle
Packard
Paul
Pease
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)

Petri
Phelps
Pickering
Pitts
Pombo
Pryce (OH)
Ramstad
Reynolds
Riley
Roemer
Rogan
Rogers
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Roukema
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Ryun (KS)
Salmon
Sanford
Saxton
Scarborough
Schaffer
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Shimkus
Simpson
Smith (MI)
Smith (TX)
Souder
Spence
Stearns
Stump
Sununu
Sweeney
Talent
Tancredo
Tauzin
Taylor (MS)
Taylor (NC)
Terry
Thomas
Thornberry
Thune
Tiahrt
Toomey
Trafcant
Upton
Visclosky
Walden
Walsh
Wamp
Watkins
Watts (OK)
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Weller
Whitfield
Wicker
Young (AK)
Young (FL)

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—9

Abercrombie
Bentsen
Brown (OH)

Callahan
Coburn
Lofgren

Mink
Obey
Slaughter

NOT VOTING—15

Becerra
Bilbray

Brown (CA)
Capps

Clay
Frost

erans Affairs to make accelerated payments of basic educational assistance, and by reopening the period for certain VEAP participants to elect to participate in the program of basic educational assistance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 1072. A bill to require the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to require applicants for or holders of operating licenses for nuclear power reactors to have in effect an emergency response plan for an area within a 50 mile radius of the reactor; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. LAZIO (for himself and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 1073. A bill 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; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. BLILEY (for himself, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. GOODE, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. JOHN, Mr. TURNER, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BOYD, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. FORD, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. TANNER, and Mr. TRAFICANT):

H.R. 1074. A bill to provide Government-wide accounting of regulatory costs and benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. MALONEY of New York, Mr. POMEROY, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. LARSON):

H.R. 1075. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives to elementary and secondary teachers for technology-related training for purposes of integrating educational technologies into the courses taught in our Nation's classrooms; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. LARSON):

H.R. 1076. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives to elementary and secondary teachers for acquisition of computer hardware and software; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAUL (for himself, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. STUMP):

H.R. 1077. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow consumers greater access to information regarding the health benefits of foods and dietary supplements; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 1078. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 with respect to retransmission consent and must-carry for cable operators and satellite carriers; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ABERCROMBIE (for himself, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. RUSH, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. FROST, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. COOK, Mr. CAMP, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. KLECZKA, Mrs.

CAPPS, Mrs. MYRICK, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. OBERSTAR):

H.R. 1079. A bill to provide for equitable retirement for military reserve technicians who are covered under the Federal Employment Retirement System or the Civil Service Retirement System; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Mr. INSLEE, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. NEY, and Mr. QUINN):

H.R. 1080. A bill to provide penalties for terrorist attacks against mass transportation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BOUCHER (for himself, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. PETRI, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. TANNER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 1081. A bill to provide for protection of the flag of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. NADLER, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CARSON, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. DIXON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FORD, Mr. FROST, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOYER, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LARSON, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNULTY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MATSUI, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. MOORE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. REYES, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SABO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SAWYER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STARK, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEYGAND, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. WYNN):

H.R. 1082. A bill to enhance Federal enforcement of hate crimes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. DUNN (for herself, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HERGER, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. ENGLISH, and Mr. COLLINS):

H.R. 1083. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify certain provisions relating to the treatment of forestry activities; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. DUNN (for herself, Mr. WELLER, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, and Mrs. BIGBERT):

H.R. 1084. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax relief, to encourage savings and investment, and to provide incentives for public school construction, and to amend the Social Security Act to provide relief from the earnings test; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. EMERSON:

H.R. 1085. A bill to improve the health of children; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. FORD (for himself, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. WEINER, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WYNN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois):

H.R. 1086. A bill to reform the manner in which firearms are manufactured and distributed by providing an incentive to State and local governments to bring claims for the rising costs of gun violence in their communities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GALLEGLEY:

H.R. 1087. A bill to require the relocation of a National Weather Service radar tower which is on Sulphur Mountain near Ojai, California; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. GILCHREST:

H.R. 1088. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to eliminate the budget neutrality adjustment factor used in calculating the blended capitation rate for Medicare+Choice organizations and to accelerate the transition to the 50:50 blended rate in 2000; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. GILLMOR (for himself, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. TAUZIN, and Mr. HALL of Texas):

H.R. 1089. A bill to require the Securities and Exchange Commission to require the improved disclosure of after-tax returns regarding mutual fund performance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. LAFOURETTE, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FROST, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BENTSEN, Ms. DELAURIO, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. WALSH, Mr. WYNN, Mr. KOLBE, and Mrs. EMERSON):

H.R. 1090. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to exclude cancer treatment services from the prospective payment system for hospital outpatient department services under the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to

the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HULSHOF:

H.R. 1091. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to expand the availability of health care coverage for working individuals with disabilities, to establish a Ticket to Work and Self-Sufficiency Program in the Social Security Administration to provide beneficiaries with disabilities meaningful opportunities to work, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. COX, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. BONO, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. FROST, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. DUNN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. POMBO):

H.R. 1092. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to more accurately codify the depreciable life of semiconductor manufacturing equipment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself, Mr. NEY, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. BOYD, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mrs. CAPP, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DICKS, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FORD, Mr. FROST, Mr. GALLEGLEY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOYER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KLINK, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LATOURETTE, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LOBIONDO, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. METCALF, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. REYES, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SNYDER, Ms.

STABENOW, Mr. STARK, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. SUNUNU, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. VENTO, Mr. WALSH, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WEGGAND, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 1093. A bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LEACH (for himself, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. BACHUS, and Ms. WATERS):

H.R. 1094. A bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act to broaden the range of discount window loans which may be used as collateral for Federal reserve notes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. LEACH (for himself, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. HALL of Ohio):

H.R. 1095. A bill to require the United States to take action to provide bilateral debt relief, and improve the provision of multilateral debt relief, in order to give a fresh start to poor countries; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FROST, Mr. MEEHAN, and Mr. CROWLEY):

H.R. 1096. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to provide special funding to States for implementation of national estuary conservation and management plans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts:

H.R. 1097. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify the \$500 per child tax credit and other individual non-refundable credits by repealing the complex limitations on the allowance of those credits resulting from their interaction with the alternative minimum tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEY:

H.R. 1098. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require an annual report by the Secretary of Defense on the military capabilities of the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. OWENS (for himself, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 1099. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide more revenue for the Social Security system by imposing a tax on certain unearned income and to provide tax relief for more than 80,000,000 individuals and families who pay more in Social Security taxes than income taxes by reducing the rate of the old age, survivors, and disability insurance Social Security payroll tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. POMBO:

H.R. 1100. A bill to correct an oversight in earlier legislation by directing the National Park Service to grant to three individuals a right of use and occupancy of certain property on Santa Cruz Island; to the Committee on Resources.

H.R. 1101. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to improve the ability of

individuals and local, State, and Federal agencies to prevent natural flood disaster; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PORTMAN (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. WELLER, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. McCRERY, and Mr. RAMSTAD):

H.R. 1102. A bill to provide for pension reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. QUINN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FROST, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. JENKINS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. MATSUL, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TOWNS, and Ms. VELAZQUEZ):

H.R. 1103. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to carve out from payments to Medicare+Choice organizations amounts attributable to disproportionate share hospital payments and pay such amounts directly to those disproportionate share hospitals in which their enrollees receive care; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SWEENEY:

H.R. 1104. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to transfer administrative jurisdiction over land within the boundaries of the Home of Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site to the Archivist of the United States for the construction of a visitor center; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. THOMPSON of California (for himself, Mr. OSE, Mr. DOOLEY of California, and Mr. RADANOVICH):

H.R. 1105. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that transfers of family-owned business interests shall be exempt from estate taxation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. THURMAN (for herself, Mrs. FOWLER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. BILLIRAKIS, Mr. BOYD, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. SHAW, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida):

H.R. 1106. A bill to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to make grants to State agencies with responsibility for water source development for the purpose of maximizing available water supply and protecting the environment through the development of alternative water sources; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. WATKINS:

H.R. 1107. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to waive the waiting period otherwise required for disability beneficiaries in the case of individuals suffering from terminal illnesses with not more than six

months to live; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BARTON of Texas (for himself, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. GOODE, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BASS, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CANNON, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COOK, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. COX, Mr. CRANE, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DELAY, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DUNCAN, Ms. DUNN, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HORN, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. JOHN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. KASICH, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. METCALF, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEY, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PEASE, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. PITTS, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTER, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RILEY, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SCHAFFER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THUNE, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. UPTON, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H. J. Res. 37. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. HYDE, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SABO, and Mr. PALLONE):

H. J. Res. 38. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States repealing the twenty-second article of amendment to the Constitution; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER (for himself, Mr. DELAY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. COX, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. TANCREDO):

H. Con. Res. 53. A concurrent resolution concerning the Taiwan Relations Act; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. CROWLEY (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. HORN, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. QUINN, Mr. WEINER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FORD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. VENTO, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. LARSON):

H. Con. Res. 54. A concurrent resolution recognizing the historic significance of the first anniversary of the Good Friday Peace Agreement; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. GOODLING:

H. Res. 108. A resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. FOLEY:

H. Res. 109. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued recognizing the 4-H Youth Development Program's centennial; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GALLEGLY (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BALLENGER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Ms. ROYBAL-AL-LARD):

H. Res. 110. A resolution congratulating the Government and the people of the Republic of El Salvador on successfully completing free and democratic elections on March 7, 1999; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. MEEKS of New York (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HILLIARD, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. WYNN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. RUSH, Mr. FORD, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. STARK, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Ms. LEE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. DIXON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. CLAY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. RANGEL):

H. Res. 111. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Supreme Court of the United States should improve its employment practices with regard to hiring more qualified minority applicants to serve as clerks to the Justices; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

21.33 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 8: Mr. ROHRABACHER and Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 14: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 21: Mr. PICKETT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. WELLER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. OSE, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. CRANE, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 70: Mr. STUPAK, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. FOSSELLA.

H.R. 90: Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 111: Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. GREENWOOD, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 120: Mr. STUPAK, Mr. NEY, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. STEARNS, and Mrs. WILSON.

H.R. 122: Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 127: Mr. CROWLEY and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 175: Mr. JENKINS, Mr. WAMP, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. LARSON, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. MOORE.

H.R. 205: Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 220: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 275: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 306: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. DICKS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MOORE, Mr. RAHALL, and Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 323: Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. WYNN, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. STUMP.

H.R. 351: Mr. THUNE.

H.R. 357: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.

H.R. 362: Mr. WYNN and Mr. McNULTY.

H.R. 363: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WYNN, and Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 364: Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 365: Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 366: Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 380: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. SHUSTER, and Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 399: Ms. DELAURO and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 405: Mr. ALLEN, Mr. OSE, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 406: Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 413: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Ms. ESHOO.

H.R. 430: Mrs. CAPPS and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 434: Mr. PORTER and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.R. 453: Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. MOORE, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 483: Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 488: Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 516: Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 555: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 571: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 574: Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 575: Mr. TOOMEY.

H.R. 576: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. INSLEE.

H.R. 599: Mr. HINOJOSA and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 622: Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MASCARA, and Mr. WELLER.

H.R. 644: Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 645: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. RUSH, Mr. INSLEE, and Ms. LOFGREN.
 H.R. 664: Mrs. CLAYTON.
 H.R. 670: Mr. BAIRD and Ms. DANNER.
 H.R. 672: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. TANNER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. MCCREERY.
 H.R. 678: Mr. DICKEY, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. FALCOMA, and Mr. NEY.
 H.R. 709: Mr. RANGEL, Ms. NORTON, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FROST, and Mr. WU.
 H.R. 710: Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. LEACH, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. BRADY of Texas, and Mr. METCALF.
 H.R. 731: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
 H.R. 732: Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 771: Mr. JENKINS and Mr. MURTHA.
 H.R. 773: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. BASS, and Mrs. KELLY.
 H.R. 777: Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 789: Mr. KING of New York and Mr. RANGEL.
 H.R. 798: Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. MATSUI.
 H.R. 804: Mr. KLINK.
 H.R. 815: Mr. CONYERS.
 H.R. 832: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. SANDLIN.
 H.R. 833: Mr. ADERHOLT and Mr. JENKINS.
 H.R. 835: Mr. GOODLING, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. OSE, and Mr. HINOJOSA.
 H.R. 837: Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. WATERS, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. FALCOMA, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. SCOTT, and Ms. LOFGREN.
 H.R. 850: Mr. CALVERT and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 851: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. EHRlich, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. REYES, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.
 H.R. 860: Mr. HOEFFEL.
 H.R. 864: Mr. BALDACC, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. OLVER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. FROST, Mr. CLAY, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. HILLIARD, and Mr. ROGERS.
 H.R. 866: Mr. NEY.
 H.R. 878: Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. PETRI, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 883: Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. TALENT, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. SALMON, and Mr. CHABOT.
 H.R. 889: Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WYNN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Ms. LOFGREN.
 H.R. 890: Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WYNN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Ms. LOFGREN.
 H.R. 895: Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. HORN.
 H.R. 903: Mr. FOLEY.
 H.R. 925: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. WYNN, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. LAMPSON, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 959: Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. OLVER, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. RUSH, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. WEINER, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.
 H.R. 979: Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BOYD, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. SHOWS, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
 H.R. 984: Mr. JEFFERSON.
 H.R. 987: Mr. TALENT and Mr. BACHUS.
 H.R. 991: Mrs. TAUSCHER and Mr. UNDERWOOD.
 H.R. 996: Mrs. THURMAN, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. MOAKLEY.
 H.R. 997: Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. KELLY, and Mrs. MORELLA.
 H.R. 999: Mrs. KELLY.
 H.R. 1000: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. KLINK, Mr. COSTELLO, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. BASS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. BEREUTER, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. EHLERS.
 H.R. 1002: Mr. DOOLITTLE.
 H.R. 1011: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.
 H.R. 1015: Mr. DIXON and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.
 H.R. 1022: Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 1030: Mr. FARR of California.
 H.R. 1034: Mr. PICKETT.
 H.R. 1062: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH and Mrs. MORELLA.
 H.J. Res. 25: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. HAYWORTH.
 H.J. Res. 34: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. HILL of Indiana, and Mr. BOYD.
 H. Con. Res. 8: Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. KIND of Wisconsin.
 H. Con. Res. 24: Mr. VENTO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MCKEON, and Ms. BALDWIN.
 H. Con. Res. 30: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEY, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. PAUL.
 H. Con. Res. 31: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
 H. Res. 59: Mr. BLUNT.
 H. Res. 62: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. LANTOS, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.
 H. Res. 89: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BALDACC, and Mr. KING of New York.
 H. Res. 102: Mr. METCALF, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. DELAY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. PITTS, Mr. COBURN, and Mr. LARGENT.

¶21.34 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 744: Mr. GEJDENSON.

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1999 (22)

¶22.1 APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
 March 15, 1999.

I hereby appoint the Honorable EDWARD A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,
 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶22.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, March 11, 1999.

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

¶22.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

1009. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pyriproxyfen; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-300794; FRL-6062-4] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1010. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Dicamba (3,6-dichloro-o-anisic acid); Pesticide Tolerance, Technical Correction [OPP-300767A; FRL-6049-2] received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1011. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on the event-based decision making for the F-22 aircraft program; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1012. A letter from the Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Comptroller of the Currency, transmitting the Office's final rule—Risk-Based Capital Standards; Construction Loans on Presold Residential Properties; Junior Liens on 1- to 4-Family Residential Properties; and Investments in Mutual Funds; Leverage Capital Standards; Tier 1 Leverage Ratio [Docket No. 98-125] (RIN: 1550-AB11) received March 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1013. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting the Annual Report to Congress on the operations of the Export-Import Bank of the United States for Fiscal Year 1998, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1014. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1015. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determination—received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1016. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-7272] received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

1017. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Depart-