

soon as possible on its own merits and encourage others to adopt similar policies.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, recognized Mr. GILMAN and Mr. LANTOS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said concurrent resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. LANTOS demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

¶27.22 ANTI-SEMITIC STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS OF DUMA

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 37); as amended:

Whereas the world has seen in the 20th century the disastrous results of ethnic, religious, and racial intolerance;

Whereas the Government of the Russian Federation is on record, through obligations freely accepted as a participating state of the Organization on Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE), as pledging to "clearly and equivocally condemn totalitarianism, racial and ethnic hatred, anti-Semitism, xenophobia and discrimination against anyone . . .";

Whereas at two public rallies in October 1998, Communist Party member of the Duma, Albert Makashov, blamed "the Yids" for Russia's current problems;

Whereas in November 1998, attempts by members of the Russian Duma to formally censure Albert Makashov were blocked by members of the Communist Party;

Whereas in December 1998, the chairman of the Duma Security Committee and Communist Party member, Viktor Ilyukhin, blamed President Yeltsin's "Jewish entourage" for alleged "genocide against the Russian people";

Whereas in response to the public outcry over the above-noted anti-Semitic statements, Communist Party chairman Gennadi Zyuganov claimed in December 1998 that such statements were a result of "confusion" between Zionism and "the Jewish question"; and

Whereas during the Soviet era, the Communist Party leadership regularly used "anti-Zionist campaigns" as an excuse to persecute and discriminate against Jews in the Soviet Union: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the Congress—

- (1) condemns anti-Semitic statements made by members of the Russian Duma;
- (2) commends actions taken by members of the Russian Duma to condemn anti-Semitic statements made by Duma members;
- (3) commends President Yeltsin and other members of the Russian Government for condemning anti-Semitic statements made by Duma members; and
- (4) reiterates its firm belief that peace and justice cannot be achieved as long as governments and legislatures promote policies based upon anti-Semitism, racism, and xenophobia.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, recognized Mr. SMITH of New

Jersey and Mr. LANTOS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said concurrent resolution, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. LANTOS demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

¶27.23 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET FY 2000

Mr. SHAYS submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106-73) on the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 68) establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2000 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for each of fiscal years 2001 through 2009.

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

¶27.24 CROP REVENUE COVERAGE

Mr. COMBEST moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1212) to protect producers of agricultural commodities who applied for a Crop Revenue Coverage PLUS supplemental endorsement for the 1999 crop year; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BASS, recognized Mr. COMBEST and Mr. STENHOLM, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

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

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

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

¶27.25 RACISM AND BIGOTRY OPPOSITION

Mr. GEKAS moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following resolution (H. Res. 121):

Whereas the United States of America has been enriched and strengthened by the diversity and mutual respect of its people;

Whereas the injustices and inequities of the past continue to demand our forceful commitment, both as individuals and as an institution, to equal justice under law and full opportunity for every American;

Whereas a racist attack upon any group of Americans is an affront to every one who

cherishes the promise of America and the values that sustain our democracy; and

Whereas every Member of Congress has a responsibility to foster the best traditions and highest values of this nation: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives—

(1) insists that no individual's rights are negotiable or open to compromise; and

(2) reaffirms the determination of all its Members to oppose any individuals or organizations which seek to divide Americans on the grounds of race, religion, or ethnic origin; and

(3) denounces all those who practice or promote racism, anti-Semitism, ethnic prejudice, or religious intolerance; and

(4) calls upon all Americans of good will to reject the forces of hatred and bigotry wherever and in whatever form they may be found.

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

After debate,
The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. CONYERS 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.

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| It was decided in the negative | Y | Yeas | 254 |
| | | Nays | 152 |
| | | Answered present | 24 |

¶27.26 [Roll No. 60] YEAS—254

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| Aderholt | Collins | Goodling |
| Archer | Combest | Gordon |
| Armey | Cook | Goss |
| Bachus | Cooksey | Graham |
| Baker | Costello | Granger |
| Ballenger | Cox | Green (TX) |
| Barr | Crane | Green (WI) |
| Barrett (NE) | Cubin | Greenwood |
| Bartlett | Cunningham | Gutknecht |
| Barton | Danner | Hall (OH) |
| Bass | Davis (VA) | Hall (TX) |
| Bateman | Deal | Hansen |
| Bereuter | DeGette | Hastert |
| Berkley | DeLay | Hastings (WA) |
| Berry | DeMint | Hayes |
| Biggert | Diaz-Balart | Hayworth |
| Bilbray | Dickey | Hefley |
| Bilirakis | Doolittle | Heger |
| Bliley | Dreier | Hill (MT) |
| Blunt | Duncan | Hilleary |
| Boehlert | Dunn | Hobson |
| Boehner | Edwards | Hoekstra |
| Bonilla | Ehlers | Holden |
| Bono | Ehrlich | Hooley |
| Boucher | English | Horn |
| Brady (TX) | Everett | Hostettler |
| Bryant | Ewing | Houghton |
| Burr | Filner | Hoyer |
| Burton | Fletcher | Hulshof |
| Buyer | Foley | Hunter |
| Callahan | Fossella | Hutchinson |
| Calvert | Fowler | Hyde |
| Camp | Franks (NJ) | Inslee |
| Campbell | Frelinghuysen | Isakson |
| Canady | Galleghy | Istook |
| Cannon | Ganske | Jenkins |
| Cardin | Gekas | John |
| Castle | Gibbons | Johnson (CT) |
| Chabot | Gilchrest | Johnson, Sam |
| Chambliss | Gillmor | Jones (NC) |
| Chenoweth | Gilman | Kasich |
| Coble | Goode | Kelly |
| Coburn | Goodlatte | King (NY) |

Kingston Pease Smith (NJ) DeFazio Lofgren Scott Hall (OH) McCrery Sanders
Knollenberg Peterson (PA) Smith (TX) Dicks Lowey Slaughter Hall (TX) McDermott Sandlin
Kobbe Petri Smith (WA) Engel Maloney (NY) Strickland Hansen McGovern Sanford
Kuykendall Pickering Snyder Eshoo McCarthy (NY) Tanner Hastings (FL) McHugh Sawyer
LaHood Pickett Souder Etheridge Nadler Watt (NC) Hastings (WA) McInnis Saxton
Largent Pitts Spence Forbes Price (NC) Wise Hayes McIntosh Scarborough
Latham Pombo Tancred Stabenow Stearns Hayworth McIntyre Schaffer
LaTourette Porter Tancredo Stenholm Hefley McKeon Schakowsky
Lazio Portman Stenholm Herger McKinney Scott
Leach Pryce (OH) Stump Sununu McNulty Sensenbrenner
Lewis (CA) Quinn Sweeney Sweeney Meehan Serrano
Lewis (KY) Radanovich Sweeney Meeke (FL) Sessions
Linder Ramstad Talent Meeks (NY) Shadegg
LoBiondo Regula Tauscher Tauscher Shaw
Lucas (KY) Reynolds Tauscher Tauscher Shays
Lucas (OK) Riley Tauzin Tauzin Sherman
Manzullo Rogan Taylor (MS) Taylor (NC) Sherman Sherwood
McCollum Rogers Taylor (NC) Terry Shimkus
McCrery Rohrabacher Terry Thomas Shuster
McHugh Ros-Lehtinen Thomas Thornberry Simpson
McInnis Rothman Thornberry Thune Siskisky
McIntosh Roukema Thune Thiaht Skeen
McIntyre Royce Tiaht Toomey Skelton
McKeon Ryan (WI) Toomey Trafficant Slaughter
McNulty Ryun (KS) Turner Trafficant Smith (MI)
Metcalf Salmon Turner Upton Smith (NJ)
Mica Sandlin Upton Walden Smith (TX)
Miller (FL) Saxton Walsh Walden Smith (WA)
Miller, Gary Scarborough Walsh Wamp Souder
Moore Schaffer Wamp Watkins Spence
Moran (KS) Moran (KS) Watkins Watts (OK) Spratt
Morella Sessions Weldon (FL) Weldon (PA) Stabenow
Nethercutt Shadegg Weldon (PA) Weller Stark
Ney Shaw Weldon (PA) Whitfield Stearns
Northup Shays Weller Whitfield Stenholm
Norwood Sherman Whitfield Wicker Strickland
Nussle Sherwood Wicker Wilson Strickland
Ose Shimkus Wolf Young (AK) Nussle Stump
Oxley Shuster Wolf Young (AK) Oberstar Sununu
Packard Simpson Sken Young (FL) Young (AK) Sweeney
Pascrell Sken Young (FL) Young (FL) Talent
Paul Smith (MI) Young (FL) Young (FL) Tancred

Emerson Myrick
Lantos Stupak
NOT VOTING—4

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had not voted in the affirmative.

So, less than two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were not suspended and said resolution was not agreed to.

27.27 H.R. 70—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 70) to amend title 38, United States Code, to enact into law eligibility requirements for burial in Arlington National Cemetery, and for other purposes.

The question being put, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas 428 affirmative } Nays 2

27.28 [Roll No. 61] YEAS—428

Abercrombie Hilliard Oberstar
Ackerman Hinchey Obey
Allen Hinojosa Oliver
Andrews Hoeffel Ortiz
Baird Holt Owens
Baldacci Jackson (IL) Pallone
Baldwin Jackson-Lee Pastor
Barcia (TX) Payne
Barrett (WI) Jefferson Pelosi
Becerra Johnson, E. B. Peterson (MN)
Bentsen Jones (OH) Phelps
Berman Kanjorski Pomeroy
Bishop Kaptur Rahall
Blagojevich Kennedy Rangel
Bonior Kildee Reyes
Borski Kilpatrick Rivers
Boswell Kind (WI) Rodriguez
Brady (PA) Kleczka Roemer
Brown (CA) Klink Roybal-Allard
Brown (FL) Kucinich Rush
Brown (OH) LaFalce Sabo
Capps Lampson Sanchez
Capuano Larson Sanders
Carson Lee Sanford
Clay Levin Sawyer
Clyburn Lewis (GA) Schakowsky
Condit Lipinski Serrano
Conyers Luther Shows
Coyne Maloney (CT) Sisisky
Cummings Markey Skelton
Davis (FL) Martinez Spratt
Davis (IL) Mascara Stark
Delahunt Matsui Thompson (CA)
DeLauro McCarthy (MO) Thompson (MS)
Deutsch McDermott Thurman
Dingell McGovern Tierney
Dixon McKinney Towns
Doggett Meehan Udall (CO)
Dooley Meek (FL) Udall (NM)
Doyle Meeks (NY) Velazquez
Evans Menendez Vento
Farr Millender-Visclosky
Fattah McDonald Waters
Ford Miller, George Waxman
Frank (MA) Minge Weiner
Frost Mink Wexler
Gejdenson Moakley Weygand
Gephardt Mollohan Woolsey
Gonzalez Moran (VA) Wu
Gutierrez Murtha Wynn
Hastings (FL) Napolitano
Hill (IN) Neal

Buyer Dixon
Callahan Doggett
Calvert Dooley
Camp Doolittle
Campbell Doyle
Canady Dreier
Cannon Duncan
Capps Dunn
Capuano Edwards
Baker Ehlers
Carson Ehrlich
Castle Engel
Chabot English
Chambliss Eshoo
Chenoweth Etheridge
Clay Evans
Clayton Everett
Clement Ewing
Clyburn Farr
Coble Fattah
Coburn Fletcher
Collins Foley
Combest Forbes
Condit Ford
Conyers Fossella
Cook Fowler
Cooksey Frank (MA)
Costello Franks (NJ)
Cox Frelinghuysen
Coyne Frost
Cramer Gallegly
Crane Ganske
Crowley Gejdenson
Cubin Gekas
Cummings Gephardt
Cunningham Gibbons
Danner Gilchrist
Davis (FL) Gillmor
Davis (IL) Gilman
Davis (VA) Gonzalez
Deal Goode
DeFazio Goodlatte
DeGette Goodling
Delahunt Gordon
DeLauro Goss
DeLay Graham
DeMint Granger
Deutsch Green (TX)
Diaz-Balart Green (WI)
Dickey Greenwood
Dicks Gutierrez
Dingell Gutknecht

Filner
Emerson Myrick Stupak
Hill (MT) Meehan Serrano
Hilleary Meek (FL) Sessions
Hilliard Meeks (NY) Shadegg
Hinchey Menendez Shaw
Hinojosa Metcalf Shays
Hobson Mica Sherman
Hoeffel Millender-Sherwood
Hoekstra McDonald Shimkus
Holden Miller Shows
Holt Miller, Gary Shuster
Hooley Miller, George Simpson
Horn Minge Siskisky
Hostettler Mink Skeen
Houghton Moakley Skelton
Hoyer Mollohan Slaughter
Hulshof Moore Smith (MI)
Hunter Moran (KS) Smith (NJ)
Hutchinson Moran (VA) Smith (TX)
Hyde Morella Smith (WA)
Inslee Murtha Souder
Isakson Nadler Spence
Istook Napolitano Spratt
Jackson (IL) Neal Stabenow
Jackson-Lee Nethercutt Stark
(TX) Ney Stearns
Jefferson Northup Stenholm
Jenkins Norwood Strickland
John Nussle Stump
Johnson (CT) Oberstar Sununu
Johnson, E. B. Obey Sweeney
Johnson, Sam Olver Talent
Jones (NC) Ortiz Tancred
Jones (OH) Ose Tanner
Kanjorski Owens Tauscher
Kaptur Oxley Tauzin
Kasich Packard Taylor (MS)
Kelly Pallone Taylor (NC)
Kennedy Pascrell Terry
Kildee Pastor Thomas
Kilpatrick Thompson (CA)
Kind (WI) Paul Thompson (MS)
King (NY) Payne Thornberry
Kingston Pease Thune
Kleczka Pelosi Thurman
Klink Peterson (MN) Tiaht
Knollenberg Peterson (PA) Tierney
Kolbe Petri Toomey
Kucinich Phelps Towns
Kuykendall Pickering Trafficant
LaFalce Pickett Turner
LaHood Pitts Udall (CO)
Lampson Pombo Udall (NM)
Lantos Porter Upton
Largent Lantoss Velazquez
Larson Portman Vento
Latham Price (NC) Visclosky
LaTourette Pryce (OH) Walden
Lazio Quinn Walsh
Leach Radanovich Wamp
Lee Rahall Waters
Lee Ramstad Watkins
Levin Rangel Watt (NC)
Lewis (CA) Regula Watts (OK)
Lewis (GA) Reyes Waxman
Lewis (KY) Reynolds Weiner
Linder Riley Weldon (FL)
Lipinski Rivers Weldon (PA)
LoBiondo Rodriguez Weller
Roemer Lofgren Wexler
Rogan Lampson Weygand
Rogers Lucas (KY) Whitfield
Rohrabacher Lucas (OK) Wicker
Ros-Lehtinen Luther Wilson
Rothman Maloney (CT) Wise
Roukema Maloney (NY) Wolf
Manzullo Roybal-Allard Woolsey
Markey Royce Wu
Martinez Rush Wynn
Mascara Ryan (WI) Young (AK)
Matsui Ryun (KS) Young (FL)
McCarthy (MO) Sabo
McCarthy (NY) Salmon
McCollum Sanchez

NAYS—2

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—24

Blumenauer Clayton Cramer
Boyd Clement Crowley

NOT VOTING—3

Snyder
Emerson Myrick Stupak