

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.

39.8 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Sherman Williams, one of his secretaries.

39.9 COLUMBINE HIGH SCHOOL TRAGEDY

Mr. TANCREDO moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 92):

Whereas on April 20, 1999, two armed gunmen opened fire at Columbine High School in Littleton, Colorado, killing 12 students and 1 teacher and wounding more than 20 others; and

Whereas local, State, and Federal law enforcement personnel performed their duties admirably and risked their lives for the safety of the students, faculty, and staff at Columbine High School: Now, therefore, be it

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

(1) condemns, in the strongest possible terms, the heinous atrocities which occurred at Columbine High School in Littleton, Colorado;

(2) offers its condolences to the families, friends, and loved ones of those who were killed at Columbine High School and expresses its hope for the rapid and complete recovery of those wounded in the shooting;

(3) applauds the hard work and dedication exhibited by the hundreds of local, State, and Federal law enforcement officials and the others who offered their support and assistance; and

(4) encourages the American people to engage in a national dialogue on preventing school violence.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, recognized Mr. TANCREDO and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, 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. STEARNS, 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 concurrent resolution, was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and 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.

39.10 H.R. 1554—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the unfinished business

to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1554) to amend the provisions of title 17, United States Code, and the Communications Act of 1934, relating to copyright licensing and carriage of broadcast signals by satellite; 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.

When there appeared	Yeas	422
	Nays	1
	Answered present	1

39.11 [Roll No. 97] YEAS—422

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| Armey | Cubin | Hastings (WA) |
| Bachus | Cummings | Hayes |
| Baird | Cunningham | Hayworth |
| Baker | Danner | Hefley |
| Baldacci | Davis (FL) | Heger |
| Baldwin | Davis (IL) | Hill (IN) |
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| Barcia | Deal | Hilleary |
| Barr | DeFazio | Hillhard |
| Barrett (NE) | DeGette | Hinchey |
| Barrett (WI) | Delahunt | Hinojosa |
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| Barton | DeLay | Hoeffel |
| Bass | DeMint | Hoekstra |
| Bateman | Deutsch | Holden |
| Becerra | Diaz-Balart | Holt |
| Bentsen | Dickey | Hooley |
| Bereuter | Dicks | Horn |
| Berkley | Dingell | Hostettler |
| Berman | Dixon | Houghton |
| Berry | Dogett | Hoyer |
| Biggett | Dooley | Hulshof |
| Bilbray | Doolittle | Hunter |
| Bilirakis | Doyle | Hutchinson |
| Bishop | Dreier | Hyde |
| Blagojevich | Duncan | Inslee |
| Bliley | Dunn | Isakson |
| Blumenauer | Edwards | Istook |
| Blunt | Ehlers | Jackson (IL) |
| Boehkert | Ehrlich | Jackson-Lee |
| Boehner | Emerson | (TX) |
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| Bonior | Eshoo | Jenkins |
| Bono | Etheridge | John |
| Borski | Evans | Johnson (CT) |
| Boswell | Everett | Johnson, E. B. |
| Boucher | Ewing | Johnson, Sam |
| Boyd | Farr | Jones (NC) |
| Brady (TX) | Fattah | Jones (OH) |
| Brown (FL) | Filner | Kanjorski |
| Brown (OH) | Fletcher | Kaptur |
| Bryant | Foley | Kasich |
| Burr | Forbes | Kelly |
| Burton | Ford | Kennedy |
| Buyer | Fossella | Kildee |
| Callahan | Fowler | Kilpatrick |
| Calvert | Frank (MA) | Kind (WI) |
| Camp | Franks (NJ) | King (NY) |
| Campbell | Frelinghuysen | Kingston |
| Canady | Frost | Kleczka |
| Cannon | Gallely | Klink |
| Capps | Ganske | Knollenberg |
| Capuano | Gejdenson | Kolbe |
| Cardin | Gekas | Kucinich |
| Carson | Gephardt | Kuykendall |
| Castle | Gibbons | LaFalce |
| Chabot | Gilchrest | LaHood |
| Chambliss | Gillmor | Lampson |
| Chenoweth | Gilman | Lantos |
| Clay | Gonzalez | Largent |
| Clayton | Goode | Larson |
| Clement | Goodlatte | Latham |
| Coble | Goodling | LaTourette |
| Coburn | Gordon | Lazio |
| Collins | Goss | Leach |
| Combest | Graham | Lee |
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| LoBiondo | Pease | Smith (WA) |
| Lofgren | Pelosi | Snyder |
| Lowey | Peterson (MN) | Souder |
| Lucas (KY) | Peterson (PA) | Spence |
| Lucas (OK) | Petri | Spratt |
| Luther | Phelps | Stabenow |
| Maloney (CT) | Pickering | Stark |
| Maloney (NY) | Pickett | Stearns |
| Manzullo | Pitts | Stenholm |
| Markey | Pombo | Strickland |
| Martinez | Pomeroy | Stump |
| Mascara | Porter | Stupak |
| Matsui | Portman | Sununu |
| McCarthy (MO) | Price (NC) | Sweeney |
| McCarthy (NY) | Quinn | Talent |
| McCollum | Radanovich | Tancredo |
| McCrery | Rahall | Tanner |
| McDermott | Ramstad | Tauscher |
| McGovern | Regula | Tauzin |
| McHugh | Reyes | Taylor (MS) |
| McInnis | Reynolds | Taylor (NC) |
| McIntosh | Riley | Terry |
| McIntyre | Rivers | Thomas |
| McKeon | Rodriguez | Thompson (CA) |
| McKinney | Roemer | Thompson (MS) |
| McNulty | Rogan | Thornberry |
| Meehan | Rogers | Thune |
| Meek (FL) | Rohrabacher | Thurman |
| Meeks (NY) | Ros-Lehtinen | Tiahrt |
| Menendez | Rothman | Tierney |
| Metcalf | Roukema | Toomey |
| Mica | Roybal-Allard | Towns |
| Millender-McDonald | Royce | Trafficant |
| Miller (FL) | Rush | Turner |
| Miller, Gary | Ryan (WI) | Udall (CO) |
| Miller, George | Ryun (KS) | Udall (NM) |
| Minge | Sabo | Upton |
| Mink | Salmon | Velazquez |
| Moakley | Sanchez | Vento |
| Mollohan | Sanders | Visclosky |
| Moore | Sandlin | Walden |
| Moran (KS) | Sanford | Walsh |
| Morella | Sawyer | Wamp |
| Murtha | Saxton | Waters |
| Myrick | Scarborough | Watkins |
| Nadler | Schaffer | Watt (NC) |
| Napolitano | Schakowsky | Watts (OK) |
| Neal | Scott | Waxman |
| Nethercutt | Sensenbrenner | Weiner |
| Ney | Serrano | Weldon (FL) |
| Northup | Sessions | Weldon (PA) |
| Norwood | Shadegg | Weller |
| Nussle | Shaw | Wexler |
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| Obeys | Sherman | Whitfield |
| Oliver | Sherwood | Wicker |
| Ortiz | Shimkus | Wilson |
| Ose | Shows | Wise |
| Owens | Shuster | Wolf |
| Oxley | Simpson | Woolsey |
| Packard | Sisisky | Wu |
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| Pascarell | Skelton | Young (FL) |
| Pastor | Smith (MI) | |
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NAYS—1

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| Aderholt | Engel | Rangel |
| Brown (CA) | Moran (VA) | Slaughter |
| Clyburn | Pryce (OH) | Wynn |

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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.

39.12 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—SELECTED RESERVE TO ACTIVE DUTY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of Florida, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

I have today, pursuant to section 12304 of title 10, United States Code, authorized the Secretary of Defense, and the Secretary of Transportation with respect to the Coast Guard, when it is not operating as a service within the Department of the Navy, under their respective jurisdictions, to order to active duty any units, and any individual members not assigned to a unit organized to serve as a unit, of the Selected Reserve, or any member in the Individual Ready Reserve mobilizations category and designated essential under regulations prescribed by the Secretary concerned. These reserves will augment the active components in support of operations in and around the former Yugoslavia related to the conflict in Kosovo.

A copy of the Executive order implementing this action is attached.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, April 27, 1999.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committees on Armed Services and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 106-51).

¶39.13 RECESS—10:05 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. BIGGERT, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 10 o'clock and 5 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶39.14 AFTER RECESS—11:47 P.M.

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

¶39.15 PROVIDING FOR THE

CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1569, H. CON. RES. 82, H.J. RES. 44, AND S. CON. RES. 21

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 106-118) the resolution (H. Res. 151) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1569) to prohibit the use of funds appropriated to the Department of Defense from being used for the deployment of ground elements of the United States Armed Forces in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia unless that deployment is specifically authorized by law; for consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 82) directing the President, pursuant to section 5(c) of the War Powers Resolution, to remove United States Armed Forces from their positions in connection with the present operations against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia; for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 44) declaring a state of war between the United States and the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia; and for consideration of the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 21) authorizing the President of the United States to conduct military air operations and missile strikes against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro).

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

¶39.16 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 330. An Act to promote the research, identification assessment, exploration, and development of methane hydrate resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, in addition to the Committee on Resources 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.

¶39.17 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

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

H.R. 800. An Act to provide for education flexibility partnerships.

¶39.18 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. ENGEL for today and Wednesday, April 28, 1999;

To Ms. SLAUGHTER for today and through Friday, May 7, 1999; and

To Mr. WYNN, for today and the balance of the week.

And then,

¶39.19 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. DREIER, at 11 o'clock and 49 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶39.20 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. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1034. A bill to declare a portion of the James River and Kanawha Canal in Richmond, Virginia, to be nonnavigable waters of the United States for purposes of title 46, United States Code, and the other maritime laws of the United States; with an amendment (Rept. No. 106-107). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 560. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 300 Recinto Sur Street in Old San Juan, Puerto Rico, as the "Jose V. Toledo United States Post Office and Courthouse"; with an amendment (Rept. No. 106-108). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 686. A bill to designate a United States courthouse in Brownsville, Texas, as the "Garza-Vela United States Courthouse" (Rept. No. 106-109). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 118. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 300 East 8th Street in Austin, Texas, as the "J.J. 'Jake' Pickle Federal Building" (Rept. No. 106-110). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1121. A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 18 Greenville Street in Newnan, Georgia, as the "Lewis R. Morgan Federal Building and United States

Courthouse" (Rept. No. 106-111). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1162. A bill to designate the bridge on United States Route 231 that crosses the Ohio River between Maceo, Kentucky, and Rockport, Indiana, as the "William H. Natcher Bridge" (Rept. No. 106-112). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. S. 453. An act to designate the Federal building located at 709 West 9th Street in Juneau, Alaska, as the "Hurff A. Saunders Federal Building" (Rept. No. 106-113). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. S. 460. An act to designate the United States courthouse located at 401 South Michigan Street in South Bend, Indiana, as the "Robert K. Rodibaugh United States Bankruptcy Courthouse" (Rept. No. 106-114). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GILMAN: Committee on International Relations. House Joint Resolution 44. Resolution declaring a state of war between the United States and the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Adverse Rept. No. 106-115). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GILMAN: Committee on International Relations. House Concurrent Resolution 82. Resolution directing the President, pursuant to section 5(c) of the War Powers Resolution, to remove United States Armed Forces from their positions in connection with the present operations against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Adverse Rept. No. 106-116). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. COBLE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 850. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of United States persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption (Rept. No. 106-117 Pt. 1).

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 151. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1569) to prohibit the use of funds appropriated to the Department of Defense from being used for the deployment of ground elements of the United States Armed Forces in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia unless that deployment is specifically authorized by law; for consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 82) directing the President, pursuant to section 5(c) of the War Powers Resolution, to remove United States Armed Forces from their positions in connection with the present operations against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia; for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 44) declaring a state of war between the United States and the Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia; and for consideration of the concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 21) authorizing the President of the United States to conduct military air operations and missile strikes against the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro) (Rept. No. 106-118). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶39.21 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 850. Referral to the Committee on International Relations extended for a period ending not later than July 2, 1999.

¶39.22 REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills referred as follows: