

Mr. Speaker, I am new to this body, but as one who has kept a watchful eye on its goings on, I can clearly remember year after year Republican charges that Democrats are cutting defense when in fact Democrats only sought to slow the growth of Pentagon spending.

What is good for the goose is good for the gander, Mr. Speaker. My colleagues from the other side of the aisle cannot have it both ways.

When the tax cut is going to help not working Americans but those who have it already, I would say let the other guys miss a meal. I do not want our children to miss a meal. Let us not cut school breakfast and school lunches. Our children of America simply need to eat.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The **SPEAKER pro tempore** (Mr. HANSEN). The Chair will remind people in the gallery that they are here as guests of the House and that any manifestation of approval or disapproval of proceedings is in violation of the rules of the House.

**MOTION TO ADJOURN**

Mr. VOLKMER. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged motion.

The **SPEAKER pro tempore**. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. VOLKMER moves that the House do now adjourn.

The **SPEAKER pro tempore**. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. VOLKMER].

The question was taken; and on a division (demanded by Mr. VOLKMER), there were—yeas 6, nays 2.

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 49, nays 367, answered "present" 1, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 235]

**YEAS—49**

Abercrombie	Hefner	Orton
Andrews	Hilliard	Owens
Becerra	Holden	Pastor
Bonior	Johnson (SD)	Payne (NJ)
Boucher	Lewis (GA)	Pelosi
Brown (FL)	Lofgren	Pomeroy
Clyburn	Lowey	Roybal-Allard
Coleman	Manton	Stark
Collins (IL)	McDermott	Stokes
Collins (MI)	McKinney	Studds
Conyers	McNulty	Thompson
Danner	Miller (CA)	Velazquez
Dellums	Mollohan	Volkmer
Filner	Moran	Watt (NC)
Foglietta	Neal	Wise
Ford	Oberstar	
Frank (MA)	Obey	

**NAYS—367**

Ackerman	Baker (CA)	Barr
Archer	Baker (LA)	Barrett (NE)
Armey	Baldacci	Barrett (WI)
Bachus	Ballenger	Bartlett
Baesler	Barcia	Barton

Bass	Franks (NJ)	Markey
Bateman	Frelinghuysen	Martini
Beilenson	Frisa	Mascara
Bentsen	Funderburk	Matsui
Berman	Furse	McCarthy
Bevill	Gallen	McCollum
Bilbray	Ganske	McDade
Bilirakis	Gejdenson	McHale
Bishop	Gekas	McHugh
Bliley	Gephardt	McInnis
Boehlert	Geren	McIntosh
Boehner	Gibbons	McKeon
Bonilla	Gilchrest	Meehan
Bono	Gillmor	Meek
Borski	Gilman	Menendez
Brewster	Gonzalez	Meyers
Browder	Goodlatte	Mfume
Brown (CA)	Goodling	Mica
Brown (OH)	Gordon	Miller (FL)
Brownback	Goss	Mineta
Bryant (TN)	Graham	Minge
Bryant (TX)	Green	Mink
Bunn	Greenwood	Molinari
Bunning	Gunderson	Montgomery
Burr	Gutierrez	Moorhead
Burton	Gutknecht	Morella
Buyer	Hall (TX)	Murtha
Callahan	Hamilton	Myers
Calvert	Hancock	Myrick
Camp	Hansen	Nadler
Canady	Harman	Nethercutt
Cardin	Hastert	Neumann
Castle	Hastings (WA)	Ney
Chabot	Hayes	Norwood
Chambliss	Hayworth	Nussle
Chapman	Hefley	Olver
Chenoweth	Heineman	Ortiz
Christensen	Herger	Oxley
Chrysler	Hilleary	Packard
Clay	Hinchee	Pallone
Clayton	Hobson	Paxon
Clement	Hoekstra	Payne (VA)
Clinger	Hoke	Peterson (FL)
Coble	Horn	Peterson (MN)
Coburn	Hostettler	Petri
Collins (GA)	Houghton	Pickett
Combest	Hoyer	Pombo
Condit	Hunter	Porter
Cooley	Hutchinson	Portman
Coyle	Hyde	Poshard
Costello	Inglis	Pryce
Cox	Istook	Quillen
Coyne	Jackson-Lee	Quinn
Cramer	Jacobs	Radanovich
Crapo	Jefferson	Rahall
Creameans	Johnson (CT)	Ramstad
Cunningham	Johnson, E. B.	Rangel
Davis	Johnson, Sam	Reed
de la Garza	Johnston	Regula
Deal	Jones	Reynolds
DeFazio	Kanjorski	Richardson
DeLauro	Kaptur	Riggs
DeLay	Kasich	Rivers
Deutsch	Kelly	Roberts
Diaz-Balart	Kennedy (MA)	Roemer
Dickens	Kennedy (RI)	Rogers
Dicks	Kennelly	Rohrabacher
Dingell	Kildee	Ros-Lehtinen
Dixon	Kim	Roukema
Doggett	King	Royce
Dooley	Kingston	Rush
Doolittle	Klecza	Sabo
Dornan	Klink	Salmon
Doyle	Klug	Sanders
Dreier	Knollenberg	Sanford
Duncan	Kolbe	Sawyer
Dunn	LaFalce	Saxton
Durbin	LaHood	Scarborough
Edwards	Ehlers	Schaefer
Ehlers	Ehrlich	Schiff
Emerson	Emerson	Schroeder
Engel	Engel	Schumer
English	English	Scott
Ensign	Ensign	Seastrand
Eshoo	Eshoo	Sensenbrenner
Evans	Evans	Serrano
Everett	Everett	Shadegg
Ewing	Ewing	Shaw
Farr	Farr	Shays
Fawell	Fawell	Shuster
Fields (LA)	Fields (LA)	Sisisky
Fields (TX)	Fields (TX)	Skaggs
Flake	Flake	Skeen
Flanagan	Flanagan	Skelton
Foley	Foley	Slaughter
Forbes	Forbes	Smith (MI)
Fowler	Fowler	Smith (NJ)
Fox	Fox	Smith (TX)
Franks (CT)	Franks (CT)	Smith (WA)

Solomon	Thurman	Waxman
Souder	Tiahrt	Weldon (FL)
Spence	Torkildsen	Weldon (PA)
Spratt	Torres	Weller
Stearns	Torricelli	White
Stenholm	Towns	Whitfield
Stockman	Traficant	Wicker
Stump	Tucker	Williams
Stupak	Upton	Wilson
Talent	Vento	Wolf
Tanner	Visclosky	Wyden
Tate	Vucanovich	Wynn
Tauzin	Waldholtz	Yates
Taylor (MS)	Walker	Young (AK)
Taylor (NC)	Walsh	Young (FL)
Tejeda	Wamp	Zeliff
Thomas	Ward	Zimmer
Thornberry	Waters	
Thornton	Watts (OK)	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

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NOT VOTING—17

Allard	Frost	Moakley
Bereuter	Hall (OH)	Parker
Blute	Hastings (FL)	Rose
Crane	Martinez	Roth
Cubin	McCrery	Woolsey
Fazio	Metcalfe	

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Messrs. DEUTSCH, CLAY, GILLMOR, KLUG, BISHOP, MINETA, and ROYCE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. YATES, and Ms. DeLAURO changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Ms. LOFGREN and MESSRS. HILLIARD, PAYNE of New Jersey, and OWENS changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

Mr. FATTAH changed his vote from "yea" to "present."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

**PROVIDING AMOUNTS FOR EXPENSES OF CERTAIN COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES IN THE 104TH CONGRESS**

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on House Oversight, I offer a privileged resolution (H. Res. 107) providing amounts for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the 104th Congress, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The **SPEAKER pro tempore** (Mr. HANSEN). The Clerk will report the resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

H. RES. 107

*Resolved,*

**SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH CONGRESS.**

(a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred Fourth Congress, there shall be paid out of the applicable accounts of the House of Representatives, in accordance with this primary expense resolution, not more than the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses of each committee named in that subsection, including—

- (1) the expenses of all staff salaries;
- (2) the expenses of consultant services under section 202(i) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 72a(i)); and
- (3) the expenses of staff training under section 202(j) of such Act (2 U.S.C. 72a(j)).