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The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore [Mr. HASTERT].

DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
June 30, 1995.

I hereby designate the Honorable J. DENNIS HASTERT to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, Rev. James David Ford, D.D., offered the following prayer:

Remind us, O God, that along with the changes of the times, there is also the unchanging; that along with all the transient values, there are also eternal values; that along with limited relationships, there are also abiding friendships; that along with all the new words of each day, there is also Your enduring Word. For all Your good gifts and for Your continuing presence with us in every moment of life, we offer these words of thanksgiving and praise. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

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

Mr. MURTHA. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. MURTHA. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 305, nays 69, answered "present" 3, not voting 57, as follows:

[Roll No. 465]
YEAS—305

Ackerman
Allard
Andrews
Archer
Armey
Bachus
Baesler
Baker (LA)
Ballenger
Barcia
Barr
Barrett (NE)
Barrett (WI)
Barton
Bass
Bateman
Beilenson
Bentsen
Bereuter
Berman
Bevill
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop
Bliley
Blute
Boehlert
Boehner
Bonilla
Bontor
Borski
Boucher
Brewster
Browder
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)
Brownback

Bryant (TN)
Bunn
Bunning
Burr
Buyer
Callahan
Calvert
Camp
Canady
Cardin
Castle
Chabot
Chambliss
Christensen
Chrysler
Clement
Clinger
Coble
Coburn
Collins (GA)
Combest
Condit
Conyers
Cooley
Cox
Coyne
Cramer
Crapo
Creameans
Cubin
Cunningham
Danner
Davis
de la Garza
Deal
DeLauro
DeLay

Deutsch
Diaz-Balart
Dickey
Dicks
Dixon
Doggett
Dooley
Doyle
Dreier
Duncan
Dunn
Ehlers
Ehrlich
Emerson
Engel
English
Ensign
Eshoo
Everett
Ewing
Farr
Fields (LA)
Flake
Flanagan
Foley
Forbes
Fox
Frank (MA)
Franks (CT)
Franks (NJ)
Frelinghuysen
Frisa
Frost
Funderburk
Furse
Ganske
Gejdenson

Gephardt
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Gilman
Gonzalez
Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Goss
Graham
Greenwood
Gunderson
Gutknecht
Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Hancock
Hansen
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayworth
Hefner
Heineman
Hilleary
Hobson
Holden
Horn
Houghton
Hoyer
Hunter
Hyde
Inglis
Istook
Jackson-Lee
Johnson (CT)
Johnson, Sam
Johnston
Jones
Kanjorski
Kelly
Kennedy (MA)
Kennelly
Kildee
Kim
King
Kingston
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
LaHood
Lantos
Largent
Latham
LaTourette
Laughlin
Lazio
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Lightfoot
Linder
Lipinski
Livingston
LoBiondo
Longley

Lucas
Luther
Maloney
Manzullo
Martinez
Martini
Mascara
Matsui
McCarthy
McCollum
McDade
McDermott
McHale
McHugh
McInnis
McIntosh
McKeon
Meehan
Metcalf
Meyers
Mica
Miller (CA)
Miller (FL)
Minge
Mink
Molinari
Montgomery
Moran
Morella
Murtha
Myers
Nethercutt
Neumann
Norwood
Nussle
Olver
Ortiz
Orton
Oxley
Packard
Pallone
Parker
Pastor
Paxon
Payne (VA)
Pelosi
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pomeroy
Porter
Portman
Poshard
Pryce
Quillen
Ramstad
Reed
Regula
Rivers
Roberts
Roemer
Rogers
Rohrabacher

Ros-Lehtinen
Roth
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Salmon
Sanford
Saxton
Scarborough
Schaefer
Schiff
Schumer
Seastrand
Sensenbrenner
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Shuster
Sisisky
Skeen
Smith (MI)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Minge
Smith (WA)
Solomon
Souder
Spence
Spratt
Stearns
Stenholm
Stokes
Studds
Stump
Stupak
Talent
Tanner
Tate
Tauzin
Taylor (NC)
Tejeda
Thomas
Thornberry
Thurman
Tiahrt
Torkildsen
Torres
Torricelli
Towns
Petri
Traficant
Upton
Vento
Vucanovich
Walker
Wamp
Ward
Watt (NC)
Waxman
Weldon (PA)
Weller
White
Whitfield
Wicker

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MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. WISE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from West Virginia [Mr. WISE].

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. WISE. 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 130, nays 263, not voting 41, as follows:

[Roll No. 466]

YEAS—130

NAYS—69
Baldacci Hall (OH) Ney
Brown (CA) Hastings (FL) Obey
Burton Hefley Payne (NJ)
Chapman Hilliard Pickett
Clay Hoekstra Rahall
Clayton Jacobs Rangel
Clyburn Jefferson Richardson
Coleman Johnson (SD) Rush
Costello Johnson, E. B. Sabo
Crane Kaptur Sawyer
DeFazio Kleczka Schroeder
Dingell LaFalce Scott
Durburn Levin Skaggs
Evans Lewis (GA) Slaughter
Fattah Lincoln Stockman
Fawell Lowey Thompson
Fazio McKinney Thornton
Filner McNulty Velazquez
Foglietta Meek Visclosky
Ford Menendez Volkmer
Geren Mineta Wise
Gillmor Mollohan Yates
Green Neal Zimmer

Ackerman
Andrews
Baesler
Baldacci
Barcia
Bentsen
Berman
Bevill
Bishop
Bonior
Boucher
Browder
Brown (CA)
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)
Clay
Clayton
Clyburn
Coleman
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Conyers
Coyne
Danner
de la Garza
DeFazio
DeLauro
Deutsch
Dicks
Dingell
Dixon
Dooley
Durburn
Engel
Ensign
Eshoo
Evans
Farr
Fattah
Fazio
Fields (LA)
Filner
Flake
Foglietta

Gilman
Gonzalez
Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Goss
Graham
Green
Greenwood
Gunderson
Gutknecht
Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Hancock
Hansen
Hastert
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Hayworth
Hefley
Hefner
Heineman
Herger
Hilleary
Hobson
Hoekstra
Horn
Hostettler
Houghton
Hunter
Hutchinson
Hyde
Inglis
Istook
Johnson (CT)
Johnson, Sam
Johnston
Jones
Kasich
Kelly
Kildee
Kim
King
Kingston
Kleczka
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
LaHood
Largent
Latham
LaTourette
Laughlin
Lazio
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Lightfoot
Lincoln

Linder
Lipinski
Livingston
LoBiondo
Longley
Lucas
Luther
Manzullo
Martini
McCollum
McCrery
McDade
McHale
McHugh
McInnis
McIntosh
McKeon
Menendez
Metcalf
Meyers
Mica
Miller (FL)
Minge
Molinari
Montgomery
Morella
Murtha
Myers
Myrick
Nethercutt
Neumann
Ney
Norwood
Nussle
Ortiz
Orton
Oxley
Packard
Parker
Paxon
Pelosi
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pickett
Pombo
Porter
Portman
Poshard
Pryce
Quillen
Quinn
Rahall
Ramstad
Regula
Riggs
Roberts
Roemer
Rogers
Rohrabacher

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—3

Edwards Harman Nadler

NOT VOTING—57

Abercrombie Hinchey Quinn
Baker (CA) Hoke Radanovich
Bartlett Hostettler Reynolds
Becerra Hutchinson Riggs
Bono Kasich Rose
Bryant (TX) Kennedy (RI) Sanders
Chenoweth Klink Serrano
Collins (IL) Leach Skelton
Collins (MI) Lofgren Stark
Dellums Manton Taylor (MS)
Doolittle Markey Tucker
Dornan McCrery Waldholtz
Fields (TX) Mfume Walsh
Fowler Moakley Waters
Gallegly Moorhead Watts (OK)
Gekas Myrick Weldon (FL)
Gutierrez Oberstar Williams
Hayes Owens Wilson
Herger Pombo Young (AK)

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Mrs. MEEK of Florida changed her vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. DIXON, Ms. DANNER, and Ms. RIVERS changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HASTERT). Will the gentleman from New York [Mr. SOLOMON] come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, if the House would come to order, this week the House passed a constitutional amendment with strong bipartisan support to pledge allegiance to that flag. Would the gentleman from Ohio [Mr. TRAFICANT] come over here in a bipartisan effort and join me in leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from New York was recognized to lead the House in the Pledge.

Mr. SOLOMON led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

NAYS—263
Allard
Archer
Army
Bachus
Calvert
Camp
Canady
Cardin
Castle
Chabot
Chambliss
Chapman
Christensen
Chrysler
Clement
Clinger
Coble
Collins (GA)
Combest
Cooley
Costello
Cox
Crane
Crapo
Cremeans
Cubin
Cunningham
Davis
Deal
DeLay

NAYS—263

Abercrombie Gallegly Radanovich
Baker (CA) Gibbons Reynolds
Becerra Hinchey Serrano
Bono Hoke Skelton
Bryant (TX) Jacobs Smith (NJ)
Chenoweth Jefferson Waldholtz
Coburn Kennedy (RI) Walsh
Condit Klink Waters
Cramer Leach Watts (OK)
Dellums Manton Weldon (FL)
Dornan Martinez Williams
Fields (TX) Mfume Wilson
Flanagan Moakley Young (AK)
Fowler Moorhead

□ 1041

Mr. TEJEDA and Mr. ORTIZ changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD changed her vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. GEPHARDT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. GEPHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I wish to inquire about the schedule.