

Slaughter	Thornton	Waters
Spratt	Thurman	Watt (NC)
Stark	Torres	Williams
Stenholm	Torricelli	Wilson
Stokes	Towns	Wise
Stupak	Traficant	Wolf
Tanner	Visclosky	Woolsey
Tejeda	Volkmer	Wynn
Thompson	Ward	Yates

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Allard	Funderburk	Moorhead
Archer	Ganske	Myrick
Army	Gekas	Nethercutt
Bachus	Gilchrest	Neumann
Baker (CA)	Gillmor	Ney
Barr	Gilman	Nussle
Barrett (NE)	Goodlatte	Oxley
Bartlett	Goodling	Packard
Bass	Goss	Parker
Bateman	Graham	Paxon
Bereuter	Greenwood	Petri
Bilbray	Gutknecht	Pombo
Bliley	Hall (TX)	Porter
Blute	Hansen	Portman
Boehlert	Hastert	Pryce
Boehner	Hayworth	Radanovich
Bonilla	Hefley	Ramstad
Bono	Heineman	Regula
Brownback	Herger	Riggs
Bryant (TN)	Hilleary	Roberts
Bunn	Hobson	Rogers
Burr	Hoekstra	Rohrabacher
Burton	Hoke	Royce
Camp	Horn	Salmon
Campbell	Hostettler	Sanford
Canady	Houghton	Saxton
Castle	Hunter	Scarborough
Chabot	Hutchinson	Schaefer
Chambliss	Hyde	Schiff
Chenoweth	Inglis	Sensenbrenner
Christensen	Istook	Shays
Chrysler	Johnson (CT)	Shuster
Coble	Johnson, Sam	Skeen
Coburn	Jones	Smith (MI)
Collins (GA)	Kasich	Smith (NJ)
Combest	Kelly	Smith (TX)
Cooley	Kim	Smith (WA)
Cox	King	Solomon
Crane	Kingston	Souder
Crapo	Klug	Spence
Cremeans	Knollenberg	Stearns
Cubin	LaHood	Stockman
Cunningham	Largent	Stump
Deal	Latham	Talent
DeLay	LaTourette	Tate
Diaz-Balart	Laughlin	Tauzin
Dickey	Lazio	Taylor (MS)
Doolittle	Leach	Thomas
Dornan	Lewis (CA)	Tiahrt
Dreier	Lewis (KY)	Torkildsen
Duncan	Lightfoot	Upton
Dunn	Linder	Vucanovich
Ehlers	Livingston	Waldholtz
Ehrlich	LoBiondo	Walker
Emerson	Longley	Walsh
English	Lucas	Watts (OK)
Everett	Martini	Weldon (FL)
Ewing	McCollum	Weldon (PA)
Fawell	McCreery	Weller
Flanagan	McDade	White
Foley	McInnis	Whitfield
Forbes	McKeon	Wicker
Fox	Metcalf	Young (AK)
Franks (CT)	Meyers	Young (FL)
Franks (NJ)	Miller (FL)	Zeliff
Frelinghuysen	Molinari	Zimmer
Frisa	Montgomery	

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Ackerman	Edwards	Klink
Baker (LA)	Ensign	Kolbe
Ballenger	Fields (TX)	LaFalce
Barton	Filner	Lantos
Berman	Ford	Lincoln
Bevill	Fowler	Lipinski
Bilirakis	Galleghy	Lofgren
Bunning	Geren	Manzullo
Buyer	Gibbons	McCarthy
Callahan	Green	McHugh
Calvert	Gunderson	McIntosh
Cardin	Gutierrez	McNulty
Clinger	Hancock	Meek
Collins (MI)	Harman	Mica
Conyers	Hastings (WA)	Murtha
Cramer	Hayes	Myers
de la Garza	Jacobs	Neal
Deutsch	Jefferson	Norwood
Doyle	Johnston	Quillen

Quinn	Shadegg	Velázquez
Ros-Lehtinen	Shaw	Vento
Roth	Studds	Wamp
Roukema	Taylor (NC)	Waxman
Seastrand	Thornberry	Wyden

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The Clerk announced the following pairs:

On this vote:

Ms. Harman for, with Mr. Quinn against.
Mr. Jefferson for, with Mr. Quillen against.
Mr. Filner for, with Mr. Bilirakis against.

So the motion to recommit was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. DREIER). The question is on the joint resolution.

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

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

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my request.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman withdraws his request.

The joint resolution was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with an amendment a joint resolution of the House of the following title:

H.J. Res. 134. Joint Resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. FAZIO of California. Mr. Speaker, I take this time to determine from the distinguished majority leader the remainder of the schedule for today and perhaps for the rest of the year, and maybe into the next year. I would be happy to hear from the gentleman from Texas [Mr. ARMEY].

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman would yield, let me begin by saying to our colleagues, this is the last vote of the day, and perhaps the last of the year, but certainly for a while. So those of our colleagues that are anxious about their airplanes are released, may go, and have a merry Christmas.

Mr. FAZIO of California. Mr. Speaker, could the gentleman further elaborate on the schedule? I have some questions that perhaps he wants to take them up on his time.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman will yield.

Mr. FAZIO of California. I would be more than happy to yield to the gentleman from Texas [Mr. ARMEY].

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I have just come back from the White House where I can say to my colleagues that things

are going well. I think there is a very healthy rapport that is being established. The gentleman from Missouri [Mr. GEPHARDT] I see is back as well, and I think he would agree with me that we have a good beginning.

We have reason to be optimistic, but as everybody knows, there are a great many points to these negotiations, and we do not necessarily expect them to be completed soon.

We are able now, I think, to go into a recess that will take us until Wednesday evening. I do not expect that we would have business that would demand any votes on Wednesday evening. I would expect that we would be able to perhaps renew the recess period until Saturday.

I would ask Members to please be in touch on Tuesday morning with your whip phone. We will try to keep you updated, but I do believe at this point, unless you receive information to the contrary, that you should be able to expect that there will be no business that would be compelling enough to bring you back from your districts and your constituents prior to next Saturday.

If, in fact, things pick up with the budget negotiations, obviously we would give everybody ample notice and get everyone back. But we have no other business rather than the budget that I know of at this time that would make us feel constrained to call Members back.

Mr. FAZIO of California. Well, if I could further ask the leader to elaborate, so when we come in to session on December 27, on Wednesday; on Saturday, December 30, and perhaps again on January 3, we would not be having any business on those occasions; except perhaps if the majority chooses to extend the recess, there would be no procedural votes, nor would there be any substantive matters coming before the body. Is that the understanding that the gentleman can leave us with?

Mr. ARMEY. Well, if the gentleman would yield, I am very confident that there would be no procedural votes from our side of the aisle, and of course I would feel much more comfortable if I could have the same assurance from the gentleman from California. I would expect none from your side as well, since it would be, I think we would all agree, a terrible inconvenience to the Members who might try to get something done in their district.

Mr. FAZIO of California. Would the gentleman indicate once again how much notice he thought we could obtain as Members who might be at some distance from this town in order to get back if any votes are required?

Mr. ARMEY. The Members should be aware that they would get a minimum of 12 hours notice. We would certainly try to do better than that, and I will try, beginning on Tuesday, to see to it that there is an updated information on the whip notice for all of the Members.

Mr. FAZIO of California. In an earlier dialog, the gentleman indicated that he