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| Honda              | Melancon          | Scott (GA)    |
| Hooley             | Mica              | Scott (VA)    |
| Hoyer              | Michaud           | Sensenbrenner |
| Hulshof            | Miller (FL)       | Serrano       |
| Inglis (SC)        | Miller (MI)       | Sessions      |
| Insole             | Miller (NC)       | Sestak        |
| Israel             | Miller, Gary      | Shadegg       |
| Issa               | Miller, George    | Shays         |
| Jackson (IL)       | Mitchell          | Shea-Porter   |
| Jackson-Lee        | Mollohan          | Sherman       |
| (TX)               | Moore (KS)        | Shimkus       |
| Jefferson          | Moore (WI)        | Shuler        |
| Johnson (GA)       | Moran (KS)        | Shuster       |
| Johnson (IL)       | Moran (VA)        | Simpson       |
| Johnson, E. B.     | Murphy, Patrick   | Sires         |
| Jones (NC)         | Murphy, Tim       | Skelton       |
| Jones (OH)         | Musgrave          | Slaughter     |
| Jordan             | Myrick            | Smith (NE)    |
| Kagen              | Nadler            | Smith (NJ)    |
| Kanjorski          | Napolitano        | Smith (TX)    |
| Kaptur             | Neugebauer        | Smith (WA)    |
| Keller             | Nunes             | Snyder        |
| Kennedy            | Oberstar          | Solis         |
| Kildee             | Olver             | Souder        |
| Kilpatrick         | Ortiz             | Space         |
| Kind               | Pallone           | Spratt        |
| King (IA)          | Pascrell          | Stark         |
| King (NY)          | Pastor            | Stearns       |
| Kingston           | Paul              | Stupak        |
| Kirk               | Payne             | Sullivan      |
| Klein (FL)         | Pearce            | Sutton        |
| Kline (MN)         | Pence             | Tancredo      |
| Knollenberg        | Perlmutter        | Tanner        |
| Kucinich           | Peterson (MN)     | Tauscher      |
| Kuhl (NY)          | Peterson (PA)     | Taylor        |
| LaHood             | Petri             | Terry         |
| Lamborn            | Pickering         | Thompson (CA) |
| Langevin           | Pitts             | Thompson (MS) |
| Lantos             | Platts            | Thornberry    |
| Larsen (WA)        | Poe               | Tiahrt        |
| Latham             | Pomeroy           | Tiberi        |
| Lee                | Porter            | Tierney       |
| Levin              | Price (GA)        | Towns         |
| Lewis (CA)         | Price (NC)        | Turner        |
| Lewis (GA)         | Pryce (OH)        | Udall (CO)    |
| Lewis (KY)         | Putnam            | Udall (NM)    |
| Linder             | Rahall            | Upton         |
| Lipinski           | Ramstad           | Van Hollen    |
| LoBiondo           | Rangel            | Velázquez     |
| Loeback            | Regula            | Visclosky     |
| Lofgren, Zoe       | Rehberg           | Walberg       |
| Lowey              | Reichert          | Walden (OR)   |
| Lucas              | Renzi             | Walz (MN)     |
| Lungren, Daniel E. | Reynolds          | Wamp          |
| Mack               | Rodriguez         | Wasserman     |
| Mahoney (FL)       | Rogers (AL)       | Schultz       |
| Manzullo           | Rogers (KY)       | Waters        |
| Marchant           | Rogers (MI)       | Watson        |
| Markey             | Rohrabacher       | Watt          |
| Marshall           | Ros-Lehtinen      | Waxman        |
| Matheson           | Roskam            | Weiner        |
| Matsui             | Ross              | Welch (VT)    |
| McCarthy (CA)      | Rothman           | Weldon (FL)   |
| McCauley (TX)      | Roybal-Allard     | Weller        |
| McCollum (MN)      | Royce             | Westmoreland  |
| McCotter           | Ruppersberger     | Wexler        |
| McDermott          | Ryan (OH)         | Whitfield     |
| McGovern           | Ryan (WI)         | Wicker        |
| McHenry            | Salazar           | Wilson (NM)   |
| McHugh             | Sali              | Wilson (OH)   |
| McIntyre           | Sánchez, Linda T. | Wilson (SC)   |
| McKeon             | Sanchez, Loretta  | Wolf          |
| McMorris           | Sarbanes          | Woolsey       |
| Rodgers            | Saxton            | Wu            |
| McNerney           | Schakowsky        | Wynn          |
| McNulty            | Schiff            | Yarmuth       |
| Meehan             | Schmidt           | Young (AK)    |
| Meek (FL)          | Schwartz          | Young (FL)    |
| Meeks (NY)         |                   |               |

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 218, had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

**ELECTION OF MEMBER TO CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE**

Mr. BECERRA. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, I offer a privileged resolution (H. Res. 304) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 304

*Resolved*, That the following named Member be, and is hereby, elected to the following standing committee of the House of Representatives:

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY.—Ms. Baldwin (to rank immediately after Mr. Sherman).

Mr. BECERRA (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be considered as read and printed in the RECORD.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

**THE DUKE CASE: POLITICAL PANDERING?**

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

Mr. POE. Mr. Speaker, District Attorney Mike Nifong of North Carolina quickly prosecuted Duke University lacrosse players for an alleged sexual assault against a minority female. He sensationalized and fueled racial unrest, all to promote his reelection campaign. He made outlandish allegations, calling the players hooligans.

Forget the presumption of innocence or due process. Forget the facts.

Nifong is yet another example of a prosecutor gone wild, wild about publicity and win-at-all-costs mentality. Now the cases have been dismissed for lack of evidence.

The damage is to the innocent players who cannot get their reputations back. The damage is to the bona fide sexual assault victims who may be reluctant to prosecute. The damage is to Duke University who acted too hastily by suspending the players due to media hysteria. The damage is to those who are actual victims of crime based on race.

DAs who violate their oath to seek justice and then flaunt their power by

relentlessly prosecuting people in spite of the facts, all to grab a headline, should be held personally liable in our courts and be accountable for their actions by removal from office and permanent suspension from the practice of law. There must be consequences for abuse of power.

And that's just the way it is.

**WHAT IS THE ADMINISTRATION DOING TO COMBAT THE RISING PRICE OF GASOLINE**

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

Mr. ENGEL. Mr. Speaker, every day my constituents and people all around America go to a gasoline station to put gasoline in their cars and see that the prices are rising and rising and rising to a point of ridiculousness. I want to know what is the administration doing to combat this problem.

When the price of a barrel of oil goes up, gasoline prices go up, but when the cost of a barrel of oil goes down, gasoline prices still go up.

Americans remember the gasoline prices started dropping conveniently just before the last election in 2006. Is it a coincidence? I don't know, but certainly I do know that nothing is happening, and every single day Americans are feeling the pinch at the pump.

I call on the administration to take action. Enough is enough. I don't know if it's collusion. I don't know what it is. I just know it's wrong, and prices should be dropping when the cost of a barrel of oil goes down, not getting higher.

**HONORING TEACHER EMILY JENNETTE**

(Mr. GINGREY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. GINGREY. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Emily Jennette, a teacher at Sawyer Road Elementary School in Marietta, Georgia, who was recently recognized as our State's Teacher of the Year.

This award could not have gone to a more deserving candidate. Ms. Jennette is an exceptional educator, praised by her fellow teachers for her innovative teaching techniques, a commitment to learning and an outstanding ability to engage her students.

Mr. Speaker, I want to thank both Ms. Jennette and another Cobb County teacher who was a top 10 finalist, Ms. Jennifer Dawson of Lost Mountain Middle School. Educators are among our communities' most valuable assets. Their gifts impact students in the classroom, and their lessons follow our children throughout life.

Georgia is fortunate to have teachers like Emily Jennette educating our children, and I know she will make our State proud at the National Teacher of the Year competition.

**NOT VOTING—27**

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| Brady (PA) | Jindal        | Millender-  |
| Cantor     | Johnson, Sam  | McDonald    |
| Carson     | Lampson       | Murphy (CT) |
| Costello   | Larson (CT)   | Murtha      |
| Edwards    | LaTourette    | Neal (MA)   |
| Fattah     | Lynch         | Obey        |
| Ferguson   | Maloney (NY)  | Radanovich  |
| Higgins    | McCarthy (NY) | Rush        |
| Hill       | McCrery       | Walsh (NY)  |
| Hunter     |               |             |

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes to record their vote.