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Abercrombie	Gutierrez	Ortiz
Ackerman	Hall (NY)	Pallone
Allen	Hare	Pascrell
Altmire	Harman	Pastor
Andrews	Hastings (FL)	Payne
Arcuri	Herseth Sandlin	Perlowski
Baca	Higgins	Perlmutter
Baird	Hill	Peterson (MN)
Baldwin	Hinchee	Pomeroy
Barrow	Hirono	Price (NC)
Becerra	Hodes	Rahall
Berkley	Holden	Rangel
Berman	Holt	Reyes
Berry	Honda	Richardson
Bishop (GA)	Hoyer	Rodriguez
Bishop (NY)	Inslee	Ross
Blumenauer	Israel	Rothman
Boswell	Jackson (IL)	Roybal-Allard
Boucher	Jackson-Lee	Ruppersberger
Boyd (FL)	(TX)	Rush
Boyd (KS)	Jefferson	Ryan (OH)
Brady (PA)	Johnson (GA)	Salazar
Braley (IA)	Johnson, E. B.	Sánchez, Linda
Brown, Corrine	Jones (OH)	T.
Butterfield	Kagen	Sanchez, Loretta
Capps	Kanjorski	Sarbanes
Capuano	Kaptur	Schakowsky
Cardoza	Kennedy	Schiff
Carnahan	Kildee	Schwartz
Carney	Kilpatrick	Scott (GA)
Castor	Kind	Scott (VA)
Chandler	Klein (FL)	Serrano
Clarke	Kucinich	Sestak
Clay	Langevin	Shea-Porter
Cleaver	Lantos	Sherman
Clyburn	Larsen (WA)	Shuler
Cohen	Larson (CT)	Sires
Conyers	Lee	Skelton
Cooper	Levin	Slaughter
Costa	Lewis (GA)	Smith (WA)
Costello	Lipinski	Snyder
Courtney	Loeb sack	Solis
Cramer	Lofgren, Zoe	Space
Crowley	Lowe y	Spratt
Cuellar	Lynch	Stark
Cummings	Mahoney (FL)	Stupak
Davis (AL)	Maloney (NY)	Sutton
Davis (CA)	Markey	Tanner
Davis (IL)	Marshall	Tauscher
Davis, Lincoln	Matsui	Taylor
DeFazio	McCarthy (NY)	Thompson (CA)
DeGette	McCollum (MN)	Thompson (MS)
Delahunt	McDermott	Tierney
DeLauro	McGovern	Towns
Dicks	McIntyre	Tsongas
Dingell	McNerney	Udall (CO)
Doggett	McNulty	Udall (NM)
Donnelly	Meek (FL)	Van Hollen
Doyle	Meeks (NY)	Velázquez
Edwards	Melancon	Viscosky
Ellison	Michaud	Walz (MN)
Ellsworth	Miller (NC)	Wasserman
Emanuel	Miller, George	Schultz
Engel	Mitchell	Waters
Eshoo	Mollohan	Watson
Etheridge	Moore (KS)	Watt
Farr	Moore (WI)	Waxman
Fattah	Moran (VA)	Weiner
Filner	Murphy (CT)	Welch (VT)
Frank (MA)	Murphy, Patrick	Wexler
Giffords	Murtha	Wilson (OH)
Gillibrand	Nadler	Woolsey
Gonzalez	Napolitano	Wu
Gordon	Neal (MA)	Wynn
Green, Al	Oberstar	Yarmuth
Green, Gene	Obey	
Grijalva	Olver	

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Aderholt	Bonner	Cannon
Akin	Bono	Cantor
Alexander	Boozman	Capito
Bachmann	Boren	Carter
Bachus	Boustany	Castle
Baker	Brady (TX)	Chabot
Barrett (SC)	Broun (GA)	Coble
Bartlett (MD)	Brown (SC)	Cole (OK)
Barton (TX)	Brown-Waite,	Conaway
Bean	Ginny	Crenshaw
Biggert	Buchanan	Culberson
Bilbray	Burgess	Davis (KY)
Bilirakis	Burton (IN)	Davis, David
Bishop (UT)	Buyer	Davis, Tom
Blackburn	Calvert	Deal (GA)
Blunt	Camp (MI)	Dent
Boehner	Campbell (CA)	Diaz-Balart, L.

Diaz-Balart, M.	Kuhl (NY)	Reichert
Doolittle	LaHood	Renzi
Drake	Lamborn	Reynolds
Dreier	Lampson	Rogers (AL)
Ehlers	Latham	Rogers (KY)
Emerson	LaTourette	Rogers (MI)
English (PA)	Lewis (CA)	Rohrabacher
Everett	Lewis (KY)	Ros-Lehtinen
Fallin	Linder	Roskam
Feehey	LoBiondo	Royce
Flake	Lucas	Ryan (WI)
Forbes	Lungren, Daniel	Sali
Fortenberry	E.	Saxton
Fossella	Mack	Schmidt
Fox	Manzullo	Sensenbrenner
Franks (AZ)	Marchant	Sessions
Frelinghuysen	McCarthy (CA)	Shadegg
Gallegly	McCaul (TX)	Shays
Garrett (NJ)	McCotter	Shimkus
Gerlach	McCrery	Shuster
Gilchrest	McHenry	Simpson
Gingrey	McHugh	Smith (NE)
Gohmert	McKeon	Smith (NJ)
Goode	McMorris	Smith (TX)
Goodlatte	Rodgers	Souder
Granger	Mica	Stearns
Graves	Miller (FL)	Sullivan
Hall (TX)	Miller (MI)	Terry
Hastings (WA)	Moran (KS)	Thornberry
Hayes	Murphy, Tim	Tiahrt
Heller	Musgrave	Tiberi
Hensarling	Myrick	Turner
Herger	Nunes	Upton
Hobson	Pearce	Walberg
Hoekstra	Pence	Walden (OR)
Hulshof	Peterson (PA)	Walsh (NY)
Inglis (SC)	Petri	Wamp
Issa	Pickering	Weldon (FL)
Johnson (IL)	Pitts	Weller
Johnson, Sam	Platts	Westmoreland
Jones (NC)	Poe	Whitfield
Jordan	Porter	Wicker
Keller	Price (GA)	Wilson (NM)
King (IA)	Pryce (OH)	Wilson (SC)
King (NY)	Putnam	Wolf
Kingston	Radanovich	Young (AK)
Kirk	Ramstad	Young (FL)
Kline (MN)	Regula	
Knollenberg	Rehberg	

NOT VOTING—13

Carson	Hooley	Neugebauer
Cubin	Hunter	Paul
Duncan	Jindal	Tancredo
Ferguson	Matheson	
Hinojosa	Miller, Gary	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are 2 minutes left in this vote.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there is 1 minute left in this vote.

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So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 69, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, FISCAL YEAR 2008

Ms. SLAUGHTER, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 110-492) on the resolution (H. Res. 869) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 69) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2008, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2007—VETO MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (H. DOC. NO. 110-80)

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following veto message from the President of the United States:

To the House of Representatives:

I am returning herewith without my approval H.R. 3963, the "Children's Health Insurance Program Reauthorization Act of 2007." Like its predecessor, H.R. 976, this bill does not put poor children first and it moves our country's health care system in the wrong direction. Ultimately, our Nation's goal should be to move children who have no health insurance to private coverage—not to move children who already have private health insurance to government coverage. As a result, I cannot sign this legislation.

The purpose of the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) was to help low-income children whose families were struggling, but did not qualify for Medicaid, to get the health care coverage that they needed. My Administration strongly supports reauthorization of SCHIP. That is why in February of this year I proposed a 5-year reauthorization of SCHIP and a 20 percent increase in funding for the program.

Some in the Congress have sought to spend more on SCHIP than my budget proposal. In response, I told the Congress that I was willing to work with its leadership to find any additional funds necessary to put poor children first, without raising taxes.

The leadership in the Congress has refused to meet with my Administration's representatives. Although they claim to have made "substantial changes" to the legislation, H.R. 3963 is essentially identical to the legislation that I vetoed in October. The legislation would still shift SCHIP away from its original purpose by covering adults. It would still include coverage of many individuals with incomes higher than the median income in the United States. It would still result in government health care for approximately 2 million children who already have private health care coverage. The new bill, like the old bill, does not responsibly offset its new and unnecessary spending, and it still raises taxes on working Americans.

Because the Congress has chosen to send me an essentially identical bill that has the same problems as the flawed bill I previously vetoed, I must veto this legislation, too. I continue to stand ready to work with the leaders of the Congress, on a bipartisan basis, to reauthorize the SCHIP program in a way that puts poor children first; moves adults out of a program meant for children; and does not abandon the bipartisan tradition that marked the