

Terry	Velázquez	Weller	Burgess	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)	Smith (NE)	Thompson (MS)	Waters
Thompson (CA)	Visclosky	Wexler	Burton (IN)	Hall (NY)	Melancon	Smith (NJ)	Thornberry	Watson
Thompson (MS)	Walden (OR)	Whitfield (KY)	Butterfield	Hall (TX)	Mica	Smith (TX)	Tiahrt	Watt
Thornberry	Walsh (NY)	Wilson (OH)	Buyer	Hare	Michaud	Smith (WA)	Tiberi	Waxman
Tiahrt	Walz (MN)	Wilson (SC)	Calvert	Harman	Miller (FL)	Snyder	Tierney	Weiner
Tiberi	Wasserman	Wittman (VA)	Camp (MI)	Hastings (FL)	Miller (MI)	Solis	Towns	Welch (VT)
Tierney	Schultz	Wolf	Cannon	Hastings (WA)	Miller (NC)	Souder	Tsongas	Weldon (FL)
Towns	Waters	Woolsey	Cantor	Hayes	Miller, Gary	Space	Turner	Weller
Tsongas	Watson	Wu	Capito	Heller	Miller, George	Speier	Udall (CO)	Westmoreland
Turner	Watt	Wynn	Capps	Hерger	Mitchell	Spratt	Udall (NM)	Wexler
Udall (CO)	Waxman	Yarmuth	Capuano	Hersteth Sandlin	Mollohan	Stark	Upton	Whitfield (KY)
Udall (NM)	Weiner	Young (AK)	Cardoza	Higgins	Moore (KS)	Stearns	Van Hollen	Wilson (OH)
Upton	Welch (VT)	Young (FL)	Carnahan	Hill	Moore (WI)	Stupak	Velázquez	Wilson (SC)
Van Hollen	Weldon (FL)		Carney	Hinchev	Moran (KS)	Sullivan	Visclosky	Wittman (VA)

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Akin	Fox	Paul	Burgess	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)	Smith (NE)	Thompson (MS)	Waters
Blunt	Franks (AZ)	Pence	Burton (IN)	Hall (NY)	Melancon	Smith (NJ)	Thornberry	Watson
Broun (GA)	Gingrey	Pitts	Butterfield	Hall (TX)	Mica	Smith (TX)	Tiahrt	Watt
Burton (IN)	Gohmert	Poe	Buyer	Hare	Michaud	Smith (WA)	Tiberi	Waxman
Campbell (CA)	Goode	Price (GA)	Calvert	Harman	Miller (FL)	Snyder	Tierney	Weiner
Cannon	Hensarling	Royce	Camp (MI)	Hastings (FL)	Miller (MI)	Solis	Towns	Welch (VT)
Coble	Jones (NC)	Scalise	Cannon	Hastings (WA)	Miller (NC)	Souder	Tsongas	Weldon (FL)
Conaway	Jordan	Shadegg	Cantor	Hayes	Miller, Gary	Space	Turner	Weller
Culberson	Lamborn	Stearns	Capito	Heller	Miller, George	Speier	Udall (CO)	Westmoreland
Davis, David	Linder	Tancredo	Capps	Hерger	Mitchell	Spratt	Udall (NM)	Wexler
Deal (GA)	Miller (FL)	Walberg	Capuano	Hersteth Sandlin	Mollohan	Stark	Upton	Whitfield (KY)
Duncan	Myrick	Wamp	Cardoza	Higgins	Moore (KS)	Stearns	Van Hollen	Wilson (OH)
Flake	Neugebauer	Westmoreland	Carnahan	Hill	Moore (WI)	Stupak	Velázquez	Wilson (SC)

NOT VOTING—21

Andrews	Ferguson	Pryce (OH)	Burgess	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)	Smith (NE)	Thompson (MS)	Waters
Blumenauer	Gilchrest	Putnam	Burton (IN)	Hall (NY)	Melancon	Smith (NJ)	Thornberry	Watson
Crenshaw	Gillibrand	Rangel	Butterfield	Hall (TX)	Mica	Smith (TX)	Tiahrt	Watt
Davis, Tom	Hulshof	Rush	Buyer	Hare	Michaud	Smith (WA)	Tiberi	Waxman
Diaz-Balart, L.	Israel	Sensenbrenner	Calvert	Harman	Miller (FL)	Snyder	Tierney	Weiner
Diaz-Balart, M.	Kennedy	Sessions	Camp (MI)	Hastings (FL)	Miller (MI)	Solis	Towns	Welch (VT)
Emerson	Kingston	Wilson (NM)	Cannon	Hastings (WA)	Miller (NC)	Souder	Tsongas	Weldon (FL)

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Messrs. AKIN, DAVID DAVIS of Tennessee and CANNON changed their vote from “aye” to “no.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

AIRLINE FLIGHT CREW TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2744, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from New York (Mr. BISHOP) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 2744, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 402, nays 9, not voting 23, as follows:

[Roll No. 337]

YEAS—402

Abercrombie	Barton (TX)	Bono Mack	Burgess	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)	Smith (NE)	Thompson (MS)	Waters
Ackerman	Bean	Boozman	Burton (IN)	Hall (NY)	Melancon	Smith (NJ)	Thornberry	Watson
Aderholt	Becerra	Boren	Butterfield	Hall (TX)	Mica	Smith (TX)	Tiahrt	Watt
Akin	Berkley	Boswell	Buyer	Hare	Michaud	Smith (WA)	Tiberi	Waxman
Alexander	Berman	Boucher	Calvert	Harman	Miller (FL)	Snyder	Tierney	Weiner
Allen	Berry	Boustany	Camp (MI)	Hastings (FL)	Miller (MI)	Solis	Towns	Welch (VT)
Altmore	Biggart	Boyd (FL)	Cannon	Hastings (WA)	Miller (NC)	Souder	Tsongas	Weldon (FL)
Arcuri	Bilbray	Boyd (KS)	Cantor	Hayes	Miller, Gary	Space	Turner	Weller
Baca	Bilirakis	Brady (PA)	Capito	Heller	Miller, George	Speier	Udall (CO)	Westmoreland
Bachmann	Bishop (GA)	Brady (TX)	Capps	Hерger	Mitchell	Spratt	Udall (NM)	Wexler
Bachus	Bishop (NY)	Braleigh (IA)	Capuano	Hersteth Sandlin	Mollohan	Stark	Upton	Whitfield (KY)
Baird	Bishop (UT)	Brown (SC)	Cardoza	Higgins	Moore (KS)	Stearns	Van Hollen	Wilson (OH)
Baldwin	Blackburn	Brown, Corrine	Carnahan	Hill	Moore (WI)	Stupak	Velázquez	Wilson (SC)
Barrett (SC)	Blunt	Brown-Waite,	Carney	Hinchev	Moran (KS)	Sullivan	Visclosky	Wittman (VA)
Barrow	Boehner	Ginny	Cantor	Hirojosa	Moran (VA)	Sutton	Walberg	Wolf
Bartlett (MD)	Bonner	Buchanan	Capito	Hirono	Murphy (CT)	Tancredo	Walden (OR)	Woolsey
			Capps	Hobson	Murphy, Patrick	Tanner	Walsh (NY)	Wu
			Capuano	Hodes	Murphy, Tim	Tauscher	Walz (MN)	Wynn
			Cardoza	Hoekstra	Murtha	Taylor	Wamp	Yarmuth
			Carnahan	Holden	Musgrave	Terry	Wasserman	Young (AK)
			Carney	Holt	Myrick	Thompson (CA)	Schultz	Young (FL)
			Cantor	Honda	Nadler			
			Capito	Hooley	Napolitano			
			Capps	Hoyer	Neal (MA)	Broun (GA)	Flake	Jordan
			Capuano	Hunter	Neugebauer	Campbell (CA)	Garrett (NJ)	Latta
			Cardoza	Inglis (SC)	Nunes	Duncan	Hensarling	Paul
			Carnahan	Issa	Oberstar			
			Carney	Jackson (IL)	Obey			
			Cantor	Jackson-Lee	Olver	Andrews	Gillibrand	Pryce (OH)
			Capito	Jefferson	Ortiz	Blumenauer	Hulshof	Putnam
			Capps	Johnson (GA)	Pallone	Crenshaw	Israel	Rangel
			Capuano	Johnson (IL)	Pascarell	Davis, Tom	Jones (OH)	Rush
			Cardoza	Johnson, E. B.	Pastor	Diaz-Balart, L.	Kaptur	Sensenbrenner
			Carnahan	Johnson, Sam	Payne	Diaz-Balart, M.	Kennedy	Sessions
			Carney	Jones (NC)	Pearce	Ferguson	Kingston	Wilson (NM)
			Cantor	Kagen	Pence	Gilchrest	Linder	
			Capito	Kanjorski	Perlmutter			
			Capuano	Keller	Peterson (MN)			
			Cardoza	Kildee	Peterson (PA)			
			Carnahan	Kilpatrick	Petri			
			Carney	Kind	Pickering			
			Cantor	King (IA)	Pitts			
			Capito	King (NY)	Platts			
			Capuano	Kirk	Poe			
			Cardoza	Klein (FL)	Pomeroy			
			Carnahan	Kline (MN)	Porter			
			Carney	Knollenberg	Price (GA)			
			Cantor	Kucinich	Price (NC)			
			Capito	Kuhl (NY)	Radanovitch			
			Capuano	LaHood	Rahall			
			Cardoza	Lamborn	Ramstad			
			Carnahan	Lampson	Regula			
			Carney	Langevin	Rehberg			
			Cantor	Larsen (WA)	Reichert			
			Capito	Larson (CT)	Renzi			
			Capuano	Latham	Reyes			
			Cardoza	LaTourette	Reynolds			
			Carnahan	Lee	Richardson			
			Carney	Levin	Rodriguez			
			Cantor	Lewis (CA)	Rogers (AL)			
			Capito	Lewis (GA)	Rogers (KY)			
			Capuano	Lewis (KY)	Rogers (MI)			
			Cardoza	Lipinski	Rohrabacher			
			Carnahan	LoBiondo	Ros-Lehtinen			
			Cantor	Loebbeck	Roskam			
			Capito	Lofgren, Zoe	Ross			
			Capuano	Lowey	Rothman			
			Cardoza	Lucas	Roybal-Allard			
			Carnahan	Lungren, Daniel	Royce			
			Carney	E.	Ruppersberger			
			Cantor	Lynch	Ryan (OH)			
			Capito	Mack	Ryan (WI)			
			Capuano	Mahoney (FL)	Salazar			
			Cardoza	Maloney (NY)	Sali			
			Carnahan	Manzullo	Sánchez, Linda			
			Cantor	Marchant	T.			
			Capito	Markey	Sánchez, Loretta			
			Capuano	Marshall	Sarbanes			
			Cardoza	Matheson	Saxton			
			Carnahan	Matsui	Scalise			
			Cantor	McCarthy (CA)	Schakowsky			
			Capito	McCarthy (NY)	Schiff			
			Cardoza	McCaul (TX)	Schmidt			
			Carnahan	McCollum (MN)	Schwartz			
			Cantor	McCotter	Scott (GA)			
			Capito	McCoy	Scott (VA)			
			Capuano	McCoy	Serrano			
			Cardoza	McDermott	Sestak			
			Carnahan	McGovern	Shadegg			
			Cantor	McHenry	Shaughnessy			
			Capito	McHugh	Shea-Porter			
			Capuano	McIntyre	Sherman			
			Cardoza	McKeon	Shimkus			
			Carnahan	McMorris	Shuler			
			Cantor	Rodgers	Shuster			
			Capito	McNerney	Simpson			
			Capuano	McNulty	Sires			
			Cardoza	Meek (FL)	Skelton			
			Carnahan		Slaughter			

NAYS—9

Broun (GA)	Flake	Jordan
Campbell (CA)	Garrett (NJ)	Latta
Duncan	Hensarling	Paul

NOT VOTING—23

Andrews	Gillibrand	Pryce (OH)
Blumenauer	Hulshof	Putnam
Crenshaw	Israel	Rangel
Davis, Tom	Jones (OH)	Rush
Diaz-Balart, L.	Kaptur	Sensenbrenner
Diaz-Balart, M.	Kennedy	Sessions
Ferguson	Kingston	Wilson (NM)
Gilchrest	Linder	

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So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO THE STABILIZATION OF IRAQ—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (H. DOC. NO. 110-114)

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. COURTNEY) laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and, together with the accompanying papers, without objection, referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered to be printed:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the Federal Register and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice to the Federal Register for publication. This notice states that the national emergency declared in Executive Order 13303 of May 22, 2003, as modified in scope and relied upon for additional steps taken in Executive Order 13315 of August 28, 2003, Executive Order 13350 of July 29, 2004, Executive Order 13364 of November 29, 2004, and Executive Order 13438 of July 17, 2007, is to continue in effect beyond May 22, 2008.

Obstacles to the orderly reconstruction of Iraq, the restoration and maintenance of peace and security in the

country, and the development of political, administrative, and economic institutions in Iraq continue to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security and foreign policy of the United States. Accordingly, I have determined that it is necessary to continue the national emergency with respect to this threat and maintain in force the measures taken in response to this threat.

GEORGE W. BUSH.
THE WHITE HOUSE, May 20, 2008.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON H.R. 5658, DUNCAN HUNTER NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2009

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to file a supplemental report on the bill, H.R. 5658.

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

There was no objection.

CELEBRATING THE 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF ISRAEL

(Mrs. BIGGERT asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mrs. BIGGERT. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the anniversary of America's staunchest ally in the Middle East, Israel. After 60 years, Israel has proved that a nation that embraces liberty and democracy can flourish in the face of even the strongest adversity. Despite decades of violence and terrorist attacks, the Israeli people have achieved an outstanding level of economic, intellectual, and cultural success.

Among its most notable achievements has been its well-earned reputation as a free sanctuary for millions of refugees from around the world. No other nation in the Middle East has embraced a diverse array of oppressed people like Israel. Over the last 60 years, individuals from more than 100 countries have traveled there and found a welcome home. And, as in America, this great diversity has created a vibrant culture, one that I have enjoyed on several occasions.

In Israel, I have seen firsthand the impressive contributions Israelis have made to the world in areas from scholarship and engineering to cooking and music.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to congratulate the people of Israel on this historic achievement. Their efforts have created for America a powerful ally and a dynamic trading partner, and I'm confident that our close relationship will remain strong for many years to come.

CELEBRATING THE WOMEN IN THE U.S. MILITARY AND EXPRESSING OUR SYMPATHY TO THE PEOPLE OF CHINA

(Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, it's an honor to be able to rise today to celebrate two important statements that were made on the floor of the House today. I might alter that and say "celebrate" but also to acknowledge and commemorate.

I do want to associate myself with the legislation of Congresswoman SUSAN DAVIS of California in acknowledging the women in the United States military. Women have shown themselves in Iraq and Afghanistan and all around the world to be true leaders. Many have been injured, many of them have seen serious injuries. They have been mothers, they have been sisters and daughters. They have led their families, but yet they have been warriors and battlers for the freedom of America. I salute them and celebrate them as we commemorate Memorial Day.

Let me also join Mr. WU in offering my deepest sympathy to the people of China for this tragic earthquake and the loss of now some thousands upon thousands of individuals. We extend our hand not only of friendship but of support and charity, and I look forward to working with the Consulate General in Houston to be able to provide support for those families here in the United States as well as those who are suffering in China.

Our deepest prayers and deepest sympathy for those who mourn the loss of their loved ones.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO REALTORS ON 100TH ANNIVERSARY

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

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Mr. Speaker, on May 14, the National Association of Realtors celebrated 100 years of support to Realtors and the communities in which they serve.

The NAR consists of 1.3 million members from around the country who are working together to promote positive and ethical service to Americans looking to sell or purchase a home. They are an advocate for homeownership, sound housing policies, and property rights. As a former real estate attorney, I have worked with the Realtors for over 25 years, and I know firsthand of their professionalism.

Homeownership is part of the foundation of the American dream. It is a sign of success and prosperity for millions of Americans and, most often, the largest investment a family will make. Today, a record of almost 70 percent of

Americans own their own homes. This is a testament to the excellence efforts of Realtors.

I commend the Realtors for their hard work and congratulate them on their anniversary, ably led in South Carolina by Andy Walker as State president and Nick Kremydas as executive director. I'd like to pay a special tribute to Jerry Fowler who was one of our finest Realtors who sadly passed away over the weekend but what a great citizen, and he will always be remembered.

In conclusion, God bless our troops, and we will never forget September the 11th.

HONORING THE SERVICE AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF WOMEN IN THE ARMED FORCES AND FEMALE VETERANS

(Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ. Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of House Resolution 1054, to honor the service and achievements of women in the Armed Forces and female veterans. I want to thank my colleague and good friend, Chairwoman SUSAN DAVIS, for sponsoring this resolution.

Next Monday, we will observe Memorial Day, which honors the brave men and women who have courageously served and died in uniform. Women have voluntarily served in support of U.S. military efforts since the Revolutionary War as nurses, cooks and laundresses. Now, women have risen through the ranks and occupy the roles of generals, commanders, pilots, and drill sergeants.

American women have served this country selflessly and with great courage. Today, I recognize the nearly 800,000 women who have served and the hundreds who have been killed or taken prisoner of war. Their service demonstrates that women are fully capable and willing to make the ultimate sacrifice for their country. They are an example to all women and men who will follow in their footsteps.

ISRAEL'S 60TH ANNIVERSARY

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

Mr. CAMPBELL of California. Mr. Speaker, in 1948, the United Nations established the Nation of Israel so that a dispossessed and tyrannized people might have the opportunity to return to their historic homeland.

Now, 60 years later, what does Israel stand for in our world community of nations? It stands proudly as the first democracy in the Middle East and the first multiethnic society in the region to proclaim the rights of fundamental liberty for all of its inhabitants.