

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 392, nays 23, not voting 18, as follows:

[Roll No. 624]

YEAS—392

Abercrombie DeGette Keller
Ackerman Delahunt Kennedy
Aderholt DeLauro Kildee
Alexander Dent Kilpatrick
Allen Diaz-Balart, L. Kind
Altmire Diaz-Balart, M. King (IA)
Andrews Dicks King (NY)
Arcuri Donnelly Kirk
Baca Doolittle Klein (FL)
Bachmann Doyle Kline (MN)
Bachus Drake Knollenberg
Baird Dreier Kucinich
Baldwin Edwards (MD) Kuhl (NY)
Barrett (SC) Edwards (TX) LaHood
Barrow Ehlers Lampson
Bartlett (MD) Ellison Langevin
Barton (TX) Ellsworth Larsen (WA)
Bean Emanuel Larson (CT)
Becerra Emerson Latham
Berkley Engel LaTourrette
Berman English (PA) Latta
Berry Eshoo Lee
Biggert Etheridge Levin
Bilbray Fallin Lewis (CA)
Bilirakis Farr Lewis (GA)
Bishop (GA) Fattah Lewis (KY)
Bishop (NY) Feeney Linder
Bishop (UT) Ferguson Lipinski
Blackburn Filner LoBiondo
Blumenauer Forbes Loebsack
Blunt Fortenberry Lofgren, Zoe
Boehner Fossella Lowey
Bonner Foster Lucas
Bono Mack Frank (MA) Lungren, Daniel
Boozman Franks (AZ) E.
Boren Frelinghuysen Lynch
Boswell Gallegly Mack
Boucher Garrett (NJ) Mahoney (FL)
Boustany Garlach Maloney (NY)
Boyd (FL) Giffords Manzuillo
Boyd (KS) Gilchrist Marchant
Brady (PA) Gillibrand Markey
Brady (TX) Gohmert Marshall
Brown (SC) Granger Matheson
Brown, Corrine Graves Matsui
Brown-Waite, Green, Al McCarthy (CA)
Ginny Green, Gene McCaul (NY)
Buchanan Grijalva McCaul (TX)
Burgess Gutierrez McCollum (MN)
Burton (IN) Hall (NY) McCotter
Butterfield Hall (TX) McCreery
Calvert Hare McDermott
Camp (MI) Harman McGovern
Cannon Hastings (FL) McHenry
Cantor Hastings (WA) McHugh
Capito Hayes McIntyre
Capps Heller McKeon
Capuano Hensarling McMorris
Cardoza Herger Rodgers
Carnahan Herseth Sandlin McNeerney
Carney Higgins McNulty
Carson Hill Meek (FL)
Carter Hinchey Meeks (NY)
Castle Hinojosa Melancon
Castor Hirono Michaud
Cazayoux Hobson Miller (FL)
Chabot Hodes Miller (MI)
Chandler Hoekstra Miller (NC)
Childers Holden Miller, Gary
Clarke Holt Miller, George
Clay Honda Mitchell
Cleaver Hooley Mollohan
Clyburn Hoyer Moore (KS)
Cohen Hunter Moore (WI)
Cole (OK) Inglis (SC) Moran (KS)
Conaway Inslee Moran (VA)
Conyers Israel Murphy (CT)
Costa Issa Murphy, Patrick
Costello Jackson (IL) Murphy, Tim
Courtney Jackson-Lee Murtha
Cramer (TX) Musgrave
Crenshaw Jefferson Myrick
Crowley Johnson (GA) Nadler
Cuellar Johnson (IL) Napolitano
Culberson Johnson, E. B. Neal (MA)
Davis (AL) Johnson, Sam Nunes
Davis (CA) Jones (NC) Oberstar
Davis (IL) Jordan Oliver
Davis (KY) Kagen Ortiz
Davis, Tom Kanjorski Pallone
DeFazio Kaptur Pasarell

Pastor Sanchez, Linda
Paul T. Thompson (CA)
Payne Sanchez, Loretta Thompson (MS)
Pearce Sarbanes Thornberry
Pence Saxton Tiahrt
Perlmutter Schakowsky Tiberi
Peterson (MN) Schiff Tierney
Peterson (PA) Schmidt Towns
Petri Schwartz Tsongas
Pickering Scott (GA) Turner
Pitts Scott (VA) Udall (CO)
Platts Sensenbrenner Udall (NM)
Poe Serrano Upton
Pomeroy Sessions Van Hollen
Porter Sestak Visclosky
Price (NC) Shadegg Walberg
Putnam Shays Walden (OR)
Rahall Shea-Porter Walsh (NY)
Ramstad Sherman Walsh (MN)
Rangel Shimkus Wamp
Regula Shuler Wasserman
Rehberg Shuster Schultz
Reichert Simpson Waters
Renzi Sires Watt
Reynolds Skelton Watson
Richardson Slaughter Waxman
Rodriguez Smith (NE) Weiner
Rogers (AL) Smith (NJ) Welch (VT)
Rogers (KY) Smith (TX) Weller
Rogers (MI) Smith (WA) Wexler
Ros-Rabacher Snyder Whitfield (KY)
Ros-Lehtinen Solis Wilson (NM)
Roskam Souder Wilson (OH)
Ross Space Wilson (SC)
Rothman Speier Wittman (VA)
Roybal-Allard Spratt Wolf
Royce Stupak Woolsey
Ruppersberger Sullivan Wu
Ryan (OH) Sutton Yarmuth
Ryan (WI) Tancredo Young (AK)
Salazar Tanner Young (FL)
Sali Tauscher

NAYS—23

Akin Everett Mica
Broun (GA) Flake Price (GA)
Buyer Foyx Scalise
Campbell (CA) Gingrey Stearns
Coble Goode Taylor
Davis, David Goodlatte Weldon (FL)
Deal (GA) Kingston Westmoreland
Duncan Lamborn

NOT VOTING—18

Braley (IA) Doggett Pryce (OH)
Cooper Gonzalez Radanovich
Cubin Gordon Reyes
Cummings Hulshof Rush
Davis, Lincoln Neugebauer Stark
Dingell Obey Velázquez

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain in this vote.

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Mr. GOODLATTE changed his vote from “yea” to “nay.”

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.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BRALEY of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall 622, the motion to recommit H.R. 5244, the Credit Cardholders Bill of Rights Act of 2008, I was not present. If I had been there, I would have voted “nay.”

On rollcall 623, on passage of H.R. 5244, the Credit Cardholders Bill of Rights Act of 2008, I was not present. If I had been there, I would have voted “aye.”

On rollcall 624, H.R. 6897, the Filipino Veterans Equity Act 2008, I was not present. If I had been there, I would have voted “yea.”

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. NEUGEBAUER. Mr. Speaker, due to a family matter, I was absent for the following rollcall votes held September 22 and September 23, 2008. Had I been present, I would have voted as indicated for each rollcall listed: rollcall vote 616: “nay,” rollcall vote 617: “nay,” rollcall vote 618: “yea,” rollcall vote 619: “nay,” rollcall vote 620: “no,” rollcall vote 621: “yea,” rollcall vote 622: “yea,” rollcall vote 623: “no,” rollcall vote 624: “yea.”

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SERRANO). Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will postpone further proceedings today on the additional motions to suspend the rules on which a recorded vote or the yeas and nays are ordered or on which the vote is objected to under clause 6 of rule XX.

Record votes on the postponed questions will be taken later.

PAUL WELLSTONE AND PETE DOMENICI MENTAL HEALTH PARITY AND ADDICTION EQUITY ACT OF 2008

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 6983) to amend section 712 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, section 2705 of the Public Health Service Act, and section 9812 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require equity in the provision of mental health and substance-related disorder benefits under group health plans, and for other purposes, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 6983

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Paul Wellstone and Pete Domenici Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008”.

SEC. 2. MENTAL HEALTH PARITY.

(a) AMENDMENTS TO ERISA.—Section 712 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (29 U.S.C. 1185a) is amended—

(1) in subsection (a), by adding at the end the following:

“(3) FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS AND TREATMENT LIMITATIONS.—

“(A) IN GENERAL.—In the case of a group health plan (or health insurance coverage offered in connection with such a plan) that provides both medical and surgical benefits and mental health or substance use disorder benefits, such plan or coverage shall ensure that—

“(i) the financial requirements applicable to such mental health or substance use disorder benefits are no more restrictive than the predominant financial requirements applied to substantially all medical and surgical benefits covered by the plan (or coverage), and there are no separate cost sharing requirements that are applicable only with respect to mental health or substance use disorder benefits; and

“(ii) the treatment limitations applicable to such mental health or substance use disorder benefits are no more restrictive than