

cut out of the process, but we've also been derided by the leadership of the Democratic Party, and have been called unpatriotic for not participating.

Mr. Speaker, I have been thrown out of more meetings in this Capitol in the last 24 hours than I ever thought possible as a duly elected Representative of 820,000 citizens of North Texas.

Politics is a full-contact sport, and I understand that, but it is a full-contact sport in the light of day, in the public arena. Since we didn't have hearings, since we didn't have markups, let's at least put this legislation up on the Internet for 24 hours. That's what Thomas was made for. Let's do that, and let the American people see what we have done in the dark of night. After all, I have not gotten any more mail, any more e-mails on any other subject than this one that is before us today.

Mr. Speaker, I understand we're under martial law as declared by the Speaker last night. I think it's ironic that House Republicans have not been needed for a single thing in this House to ensure passage for the last 22 months and that, today, we're going to be asked to vote for a bill for political cover because Democrats are too weak to stand up to their Speaker.

ECONOMIC STIMULUS

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

Mr. PALLONE. Mr. Speaker, this week, the crisis on Wall Street hits fever pitch, but families all over the country have been struggling for months. Eighty-four thousand Americans lost their jobs last month, and the number of unemployed Americans is the highest it has been since 1992. Congress responded quickly to the White House's call for a financial rescue package, but the White House should now join us in supporting a solid package for Main Street.

On Friday, the House passed legislation to boost our economy, to create jobs and to help provide additional relief to families who are struggling. The economic recovery bill will grow our economy and will create jobs through investment in our Nation's infrastructure, will extend unemployment benefits for the growing number of Americans looking for work and will ensure Americans do not lose health coverage as a result of State budget crises.

Mr. Speaker, the majority of House Republicans oppose this Main Street economic recovery package, and I hope President Bush chooses a different course. We have to have the economic stimulus package not only pass the House but pass the Senate and go to the President and have him sign it. This is just as important as the Wall Street bailout.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. MCNULTY). Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 1 o'clock and 22 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

□ 1630

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ALTMIRE) at 4 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on motions to suspend the rules previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

S. 3325, de novo;

H.R. 6460, by the yeas and nays

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. The second electronic vote will be conducted as a 5-minute vote.

PRIORITIZING RESOURCES AND ORGANIZATION FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY ACT OF 2008

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and passing the Senate bill, S. 3325.

The Clerk read the title of the Senate bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. CONYERS) that the House suspend the rules and pass the Senate bill, S. 3325. The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds being in the affirmative, the yeas have it.

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 381, nays 41, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 664]

YEAS—381

Abercrombie	Berkley	Boyd (FL)
Ackerman	Berman	Brady (PA)
Aderholt	Berry	Brady (TX)
Akin	Biggert	Braley (IA)
Alexander	Bilbray	Broun (GA)
Allen	Bilirakis	Brown (SC)
Altmire	Bishop (GA)	Brown, Corrine
Andrews	Bishop (NY)	Brown-Waite,
Arcuri	Blackburn	Ginny
Baca	Blunt	Buchanan
Bachmann	Boehner	Burgess
Bachus	Bonner	Burton (IN)
Baldwin	Bono Mack	Butterfield
Barrett (SC)	Boozman	Buyer
Barrow	Boren	Calvert
Barton (TX)	Boswell	Camp (MI)
Bean	Boustany	Campbell (CA)
Becerra	Boyd (FL)	Cantor

Capito	Higgins	Moore (KS)
Capps	Hill	Moran (KS)
Capuano	Hinchey	Moran (VA)
Carnahan	Hinojosa	Murphy (CT)
Carney	Hirono	Murphy, Patrick
Carson	Hobson	Murphy, Tim
Carter	Hodes	Murtha
Castle	Hoekstra	Musgrave
Castor	Holden	Myrick
Cazayoux	Holt	Nadler
Chabot	Hoolley	Napolitano
Chandler	Hoyer	Neal (MA)
Childers	Hulshof	Neugebauer
Clarke	Hunter	Nunes
Cleaver	Inglis (SC)	Oberstar
Clyburn	Inslee	Obey
Coble	Israel	Olver
Cohen	Issa	Ortiz
Cole (OK)	Jackson (IL)	Pallone
Conyers	Jackson-Lee	Pascarella
Cooper	(TX)	Pastor
Costa	Johnson (GA)	Pearce
Costello	Johnson (IL)	Pence
Courtney	Johnson, E. B.	Perlmutter
Cramer	Johnson, Sam	Peterson (PA)
Crenshaw	Jones (NC)	Pickering
Crowley	Jordan	Pitts
Cuellar	Kagen	Platts
Cummings	Kanjorski	Pomeroy
Davis (AL)	Kaptur	Porter
Davis (CA)	Keller	Price (NC)
Davis (IL)	Kennedy	Pryce (OH)
Davis (KY)	Kildee	Putnam
Davis, David	Kilpatrick	Radanovich
Davis, Lincoln	Kind	Rahall
Davis, Tom	King (IA)	Ramstad
Deal (GA)	King (NY)	Rangel
DeFazio	Kirk	Regula
DeGette	Klein (FL)	Rehberg
Delahunt	Kline (MN)	Reichert
DeLauro	Knollenberg	Renzi
Dent	Kuhl (NY)	Reyes
Diaz-Balart, L.	LaHood	Reynolds
Diaz-Balart, M.	Lamborn	Richardson
Dicks	Lampson	Rodriguez
Dingell	Langevin	Rogers (AL)
Doggett	Larsen (WA)	Rogers (KY)
Donnelly	Larson (CT)	Rogers (MI)
Drake	Latham	Rohrabacher
Dreier	LaTourette	Ros-Lehtinen
Edwards (MD)	Latta	Roskam
Edwards (TX)	Levin	Ross
Ehlers	Lewis (CA)	Rothman
Ellison	Lewis (GA)	Roybal-Allard
Ellsworth	Lewis (KY)	Royce
Emanuel	Linder	Ruppersberger
Emerson	Lipinski	Ryan (OH)
English (PA)	LoBiondo	Ryan (WI)
Eshoo	Loebsack	Salazar
Etheridge	Lowey	Sali
Everett	Lucas	Sánchez, Linda
Fallin	Lungren, Daniel	T.
Farr	E.	Sarbanes
Fattah	Lynch	Saxton
Feeney	Mack	Scalise
Ferguson	Mahoney (FL)	Schakowsky
Filner	Maloney (NY)	Schiff
Forbes	Manzullo	Schmidt
Fortenberry	Marchant	Schwartz
Fossella	Markey	Scott (GA)
Foster	Marshall	Scott (VA)
Frank (MA)	Matheson	Sensenbrenner
Franks (AZ)	Matsui	Sessions
Frelinghuysen	McCarthy (CA)	Sestak
Gallely	McCarthy (NY)	Shadegg
Garrett (NJ)	McCaul (TX)	Shays
Gerlach	McCollum (MN)	Shea-Porter
Giffords	McCotter	Sherman
Gilchrest	McCrery	Shimkus
Gillibrand	McGovern	Shuler
Gingrey	McHenry	Shuster
Gonzalez	McHugh	Simpson
Goodlatte	McIntyre	Sires
Gordon	McKeon	Skelton
Granger	McMorris	Slaughter
Graves	Rodgers	Smith (NE)
Green, Al	McNerney	Smith (NJ)
Green, Gene	McNulty	Smith (TX)
Grijalva	Meek (FL)	Smith (WA)
Hall (NY)	Meeks (NY)	Snyder
Hall (TX)	Melancon	Solis
Hare	Mica	Souder
Harman	Michaud	Space
Hastings (FL)	Miller (FL)	Spratt
Hastings (WA)	Miller (MI)	Stark
Hayes	Miller (NC)	Stearns
Heller	Miller, Gary	Stupak
Hensarling	Mitchell	Sullivan
Herger	Mollohan	Sutton

Tancredo Udall (CO) Watt
 Tanner Udall (NM) Waxman
 Tauscher Upton Weiner
 Taylor Van Hollen Welch (VT)
 Terry Velazquez Weldon (FL)
 Thompson (MS) Visclosky Wilson (NM)
 Thornberry Walberg Wilson (OH)
 Tiahrt Walden (OR) Wilson (SC)
 Tiberi Walz (MN) Wittman (VA)
 Tierney Wasserman Wolf
 Tsongas Schultz Yarmuth
 Turner Watson Young (FL)

NAYS—41

Baird Gutierrez Price (GA)
 Bartlett (MD) Herseht Sandlin Rush
 Bishop (UT) Honda Serrano
 Blumenauer Kingston Speier
 Boucher Kucinich Thompson (CA)
 Cannon Lee
 Conaway Lofgren, Zoe Walsh (NY)
 Culberson McDermott Waters
 Doolittle Miller, George Westmoreland
 Doyle Moore (WI) Whitfield (KY)
 Duncan Paul Woolsey
 Flake Peterson (MN) Wu
 Foxx Petri Young (AK)
 Goode Poe

NOT VOTING—11

Cardoza Gohmert Wamp
 Clay Jefferson Weller
 Cubin Payne Wexler
 Engel Sanchez, Loretta

□ 1703

Ms. WATERS, Messrs. YOUNG of Alaska, POE, BISHOP of Utah, CULBERSON, SERRANO, WESTMORELAND, TOWNS, RUSH, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Messrs. GOODE and PRICE of Georgia changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Ms. SLAUGHTER and Messrs. UDALL of New Mexico, PERLMUTTER, BUTTERFIELD, JOHNSON of Georgia, OBERSTAR, and ELLISON changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GREAT LAKES LEGACY
 REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2008

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment to the bill, H.R. 6460, 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 Minnesota (Mr. OBERSTAR) that the House suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment to the bill, H.R. 6460.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 411, nays 9, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 665]

YEAS—411

Abercrombie Altmire Baird
 Ackerman Andrews Baldwin
 Aderholt Arcuri Barrett (SC)
 Akin Baca Barrow
 Alexander Bachmann Bartlett (MD)
 Allen Bachus Barton (TX)

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 Biggert
 Bilbray
 Bilirakis
 Bishop (GA)
 Bishop (NY)
 Bishop (UT)
 Blackburn
 Blumenauer
 Blunt
 Boehner
 Bonner
 Bono Mack
 Boozman
 Boren
 Boswell
 Boucher
 Boustany
 Boyd (FL)
 Boyda (KS)
 Brady (PA)
 Brady (TX)
 Braley (IA)
 Brown (SC)
 Brown, Corrine
 Brown-Waite,
 Ginny
 Buchanan
 Burgess
 Burton (IN)
 Butterfield
 Buyer
 Calvert
 Camp (MI)
 Campbell (CA)
 Cannon
 Cantor
 Capito
 Capps
 Capuano
 Cardoza
 Carnahan
 Carney
 Carson
 Carter
 Castle
 Castor
 Cazayoux
 Chabot
 Chandler
 Childers
 Clarke
 Cleaver
 Clyburn
 Coble
 Cohen
 Cole (OK)
 Conyers
 Cooper
 Costa
 Costello
 Courtney
 Cramer
 Crenshaw
 Crowley
 Cuellar
 Culberson
 Cummings
 Davis (AL)
 Davis (CA)
 Davis (IL)
 Davis (KY)
 Davis, David
 Davis, Lincoln
 Davis, Tom
 Deal (GA)
 DeFazio
 DeGette
 Delahunt
 DeLauro
 Dent
 Diaz-Balart, L.
 Diaz-Balart, M.
 Dicks
 Dingell
 Doggett
 Donnelly
 Doolittle
 Doyle
 Drake
 Dreier
 Duncan
 Edwards (MD)
 Edwards (TX)
 Ehlers

Ellison
 Ellsworth
 Emanuel
 Emerson
 English (PA)
 Eshoo
 Etheridge
 Fallin
 Farr
 Fattah
 Feeney
 Ferguson
 Filner
 Forbes
 Fortenberry
 Fossella
 Foster
 Frank (MA)
 Frelinghuysen
 Gallegly
 Garrett (NJ)
 Gerlach
 Giffords
 Gilchrest
 Gillibrand
 Gingrey
 Gonzalez
 Goode
 Goodlatte
 Gordon
 Granger
 Graves
 Green, Al
 Green, Gene
 Grijalva
 Gutierrez
 Hall (NY)
 Hall (TX)
 Hare
 Harman
 Hastings (FL)
 Hastings (WA)
 Hayes
 Heller
 Hensarling
 Herger
 Herseht Sandlin
 Higgins
 Hill
 Hinchey
 Hinojosa
 Hirono
 Hobson
 Hodes
 Hoekstra
 Holden
 Holt
 Honda
 Hooley
 Hoyer
 Hulshof
 Hunter
 Inglis (SC)
 Inslee
 Israel
 Issa
 Jackson (IL)
 Jackson-Lee
 (TX)
 Johnson (GA)
 Johnson (IL)
 Johnson, E. B.
 Johnson, Sam
 Jones (NC)
 Jordan
 Kagen
 Kanjorski
 Keller
 Kennedy
 Kildee
 Kilpatrick
 Kind
 King (IA)
 King (NY)
 Kingston
 Kirk
 Klein (FL)
 Kline (MN)
 Knollenberg
 Kucinich
 Kuhl (NY)
 LaHood
 Lamborn
 Lampson
 Langevin
 Larsen (WA)
 Larson (CT)
 Latham
 LaTourette

Latta
 Lee
 Levin
 Lewis (CA)
 Lewis (GA)
 Lewis (KY)
 Linder
 Lipinski
 LoBiondo
 Loeb sack
 Lofgren, Zoe
 Lowey
 Lucas
 Lungren, Daniel
 E.
 Lynch
 Mack
 Mahoney (FL)
 Maloney (NY)
 Manzullo
 Marchant
 Markey
 Marshall
 Matheson
 Matsui
 McCarthy (CA)
 McCarthy (NY)
 McCaul (TX)
 McCollum (MN)
 McCotter
 McCreery
 McDermott
 McGovern
 McHenry
 McHugh
 McIntyre
 McKeon
 McMorris
 Rodgers
 McNeerney
 McNulty
 Meek (FL)
 Meeks (NY)
 Melancon
 Mica
 Michaud
 Miller (FL)
 Miller (MI)
 Miller (NC)
 Miller, Gary
 Miller, George
 Mitchell
 Mollohan
 Moore (KS)
 Moore (WI)
 Moran (KS)
 Moran (VA)
 Murphy (CT)
 Murphy, Patrick
 Murphy, Tim
 Murtha
 Musgrave
 Myrick
 Nadler
 Napolitano
 Neugebauer
 Nunes
 Oberstar
 Obey
 Oliver
 Ortiz
 Pallone
 Pascrell
 Pastor
 Pearce
 Pence
 Perlmutter
 Peterson (MN)
 Peterson (PA)
 Petri
 Pickering
 Pitts
 Platts
 Pomeroy
 Porter
 Price (GA)
 Price (NC)
 Pryce (OH)
 Putnam
 Radanovich
 Rahall
 Ramstad
 Rangel
 Regula
 Rehberg
 Reichert
 Renzi
 Reyes
 Reynolds

Richardson
 Rodriguez
 Rogers (AL)
 Rogers (KY)
 Rogers (MI)
 Rohrabacher
 Ros-Lehtinen
 Roskam
 Ross
 Rothman
 Roybal-Allard
 Royce
 Ruppertsberger
 Rush
 Ryan (OH)
 Ryan (WI)
 Salazar
 Sanchez, Linda
 T.
 Sanchez, Loretta
 Sarbanes
 Saxton
 Scalise
 Schakowsky
 Schiff
 Schmidt
 Schwartz
 Scott (GA)
 Scott (VA)
 Sensenbrenner
 Serrano
 Sessions
 Sestak
 Shays

Shea-Porter
 Sherman
 Shimkus
 Shuler
 Shuster
 Simpson
 Sires
 Skelton
 Slaughter
 Smith (NE)
 Smith (NJ)
 Smith (TX)
 Smith (WA)
 Snyder
 Solis
 Souder
 Space
 Speier
 Spratt
 Stark
 Stearns
 Stupak
 Sullivan
 Sutton
 Tancredo
 Tanner
 Tauscher
 Taylor
 Terry
 Thompson (CA)
 Thompson (MS)
 Thornberry
 Tiahrt
 Tiberi

Tierney
 Towns
 Turner
 Udall (CO)
 Udall (NM)
 Upton
 Van Hollen
 Velazquez
 Visclosky
 Walberg
 Walden (OR)
 Walsh (NY)
 Walz (MN)
 Wasserman
 Schultz
 Wolf
 Wittman (VA)
 Woolsey
 Wu
 Yarmuth
 Young (AK)
 Young (FL)

NAYS—9

Broun (GA) Foxx Poe
 Conaway Franks (AZ) Sali
 Flake Paul Shadegg

NOT VOTING—13

Clay Jefferson Wamp
 Cubin Kaptur Weller
 Engel Neal (MA) Wexler
 Everett Payne
 Gohmert Tsongas

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1712

Messrs. FRANKS of Arizona, POE, SHADEGG, Ms. FOXX, and Mr. CONAWAY changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the Senate amendment was concurred in.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 5 o'clock and 12 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

□ 2001

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. JACKSON of Illinois) at 8 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.