

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I yield to the gentleman from Florida (Mr. YOUNG) to explain the resolution before us.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding to me just to explain briefly.

Mr. Speaker, this is a continuing resolution. The CR that we passed last week runs the government until the 16th of October. It is obvious we are not going to complete all of our conference reports by then. This would extend the present CR for an additional week, until the 23rd of October, by which time we will hope to have most, if not all, of the conferences on appropriations bills completed.

In addition, this CR does make a technical change to a provision in the previous CR relative to the Export-Import Bank. Also it allows the Defense Health Program to make payments under the TRICARE for Life program at rates that have already been authorized by the fiscal year 2001 National Defense Authorization Act.

In addition, Mr. Speaker, this provides authority to the agencies to begin the preparation of the benefit checks that will be mailed on the first of November in order to begin processing those payments. It is important that we include that in this CR.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, under my reservation, I would simply say I agree with the gentleman on the need to pass this.

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

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

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the joint resolution, as follows:

H.J. RES. 68

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Public Law 107-44 is amended by striking "October 16, 2001" in section 107(c) and inserting in lieu thereof "October 23, 2001"; by adding the following before the semicolon in section 101(b)(1) "": *Provided, That the rate for operations of the Defense Health Program may exceed the current rate as may be necessary to fund a pro rata share of the program expansion authorized by section 712(a) of the Floyd D. Spence National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2001 (Public Law 106-398)"; by striking section 115 and adding the following: "Sec. 115. Notwithstanding the dates specified in section 7 of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 (12 U.S.C. 635f) and section 1(c) of Public Law 103-428, the Export-Import Bank of the United States shall continue to exercise its functions in connection with and in furtherance of its objects and purposes through the date specified in section 107(c) of this joint resolution."; and adding the following new section: "Sec. 123. Notwithstanding section 107, funds shall be available and obligations for mandatory payments due on or about November 1, 2001, may continue to be made.".*

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was

read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the order of the House of today and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 3061.

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IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3061) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, with Mr. GUTKNECHT (Chairman pro tempore) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. When the Committee of the Whole House rose earlier today, a request for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr. ISTOOK) had been postponed and the bill was open for amendment from page 82, line 17, through page 102, line 2.

Are there further amendments to this portion of the bill?

SEQUENTIAL VOTES POSTPONED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, proceedings will now resume on those amendments on which further proceedings were postponed in the following order:

Amendment by Mr. STEARNS of Florida; the first amendment by Mr. ISTOOK of Oklahoma; the second amendment by Mr. ISTOOK of Oklahoma.

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first vote in this series.

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. STEARNS

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Florida (Mr. STEARNS) on which further proceedings were postponed, and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will designate the amendment.

The Clerk designated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 107, noes 312, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 378]

AYES—107

Aderholt	Forbes	Petri
Akin	Gallegly	Pickering
Armey	Goode	Pitts
Bachus	Goodlatte	Pombo
Baker	Goss	Putnam
Barr	Graves	Ramstad
Bartlett	Green (WI)	Riley
Barton	Gutknecht	Rohrabacher
Brady (TX)	Hart	Royce
Bryant	Hayes	Ryan (WI)
Burr	Hayworth	Ryun (KS)
Burton	Hefley	Schaffer
Camp	Herger	Sensenbrenner
Cannon	Hilleary	Sessions
Cantor	Hoekstra	Shadegg
Chabot	Hostettler	Shows
Chambliss	Hulshof	Smith (MI)
Coble	Hunter	Smith (NJ)
Collins	Isakson	Stearns
Combest	Johnson, Sam	Stump
Cooksey	Jones (NC)	Tancredo
Cox	Keller	Tauzin
Crane	Kennedy (MN)	Taylor (NC)
Cubin	Kerns	Terry
Culberson	Largent	Thornberry
Davis, Jo Ann	Lewis (KY)	Tiahrt
Deal	Linder	Toomey
DeLay	LoBiondo	Turner
DeMint	Manzullo	Upton
Diaz-Balart	McCrery	Vitter
Doolittle	Miller, Gary	Watkins (OK)
Duncan	Norwood	Watts (OK)
Emerson	Otter	Weldon (FL)
Ferguson	Oxley	Weller
Flake	Paul	Wicker
Foley	Pence	

NOES—312

Abercrombie	Cramer	Harman
Ackerman	Crenshaw	Hastings (FL)
Allen	Crowley	Hastings (WA)
Andrews	Cummings	Hill
Baca	Cunningham	Hilliard
Baird	Davis (CA)	Hinchey
Baldacci	Davis (FL)	Hinojosa
Baldwin	Davis (IL)	Hobson
Ballenger	Davis, Tom	Hoefel
Barcia	DeFazio	Holden
Barrett	DeGette	Holt
Bass	Delahunt	Honda
Becerra	DeLauro	Hooley
Bentsen	Deutsch	Horn
Bereuter	Dicks	Houghton
Berkley	Dingell	Hoyer
Berman	Doggett	Hyde
Berry	Dooley	Inslee
Biggert	Doyle	Israel
Bilirakis	Dreier	Issa
Bishop	Dunn	Istook
Blagojevich	Edwards	Jackson (IL)
Blumenauer	Ehlers	Jackson-Lee
Boehler	Ehrlich	(TX)
Boehner	English	Jefferson
Bonilla	Eshoo	Jenkins
Bonior	Etheridge	John
Bono	Evans	Johnson (CT)
Borski	Everett	Johnson (IL)
Boswell	Farr	Johnson, E. B.
Boucher	Fattah	Jones (OH)
Boyd	Filner	Kanjorski
Brady (PA)	Fletcher	Kaptur
Brown (FL)	Ford	Kelly
Brown (OH)	Frank	Kennedy (RI)
Brown (SC)	Frelinghuysen	Kildee
Buyer	Frost	Kilpatrick
Callahan	Ganske	Kind (WI)
Calvert	Gekas	King (NY)
Capito	Gephardt	Kirk
Capps	Gibbons	Kleccka
Capuano	Gilchrest	Knollenberg
Cardin	Gilman	Kolbe
Carson (IN)	Gonzalez	Kucinich
Carson (OK)	Gordon	LaFalce
Castle	Graham	LaHood
Clay	Granger	Lampson
Clayton	Green (TX)	Langevin
Clement	Greenwood	Lantos
Clyburn	Grucci	Larsen (WA)
Condit	Gutierrez	Larson (CT)
Conyers	Hall (OH)	Latham
Costello	Hall (TX)	LaTourette
Coyne	Hansen	Leach

Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lofgren
Lowey
Lucas (KY)
Lucas (OK)
Luther
Maloney (CT)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Mascara
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (MO)
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum
McDermott
McGovern
McInnis
McIntyre
McKeon
McKinney
McNulty
Meehan
Meek (FL)
Menendez
Mica
Millender-
McDonald
Miller, George
Mink
Mollohan
Moore
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Morella
Murtha
Myrick
Napolitano
Neal
Nethercutt
Ney
Northup
Nussle
Oberstar
Obeyer
Oliver
Ortiz

Osborne
Ose
Owens
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pelosi
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Phelps
Platts
Pomeroy
Portman
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Quinn
Radanovich
Rahall
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reyes
Reynolds
Rivers
Rodriguez
Roemer
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Rush
Sabo
Sánchez
Sandlin
Sawyer
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schrock
Scott
Serrano
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Sherwood
Shimkus

Shuster
Simmons
Simpson
Skeen
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Souder
Spratt
Stark
Stenholm
Strickland
Stupak
Sununu
Sweeney
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor (MS)
Thomas
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thune
Thurman
Tiberi
Tierney
Traficant
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Visclosky
Walden
Walsh
Wamp
Waters
Watson (CA)
Watt (NC)
Waxman
Weiner
Weldon (PA)
Wexler
Whitfield
Wilson
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Young (AK)
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—11

Blunt
Engel
Fossella
Gillmor

Kingston
McHugh
Meeks (NY)
Miller (FL)

Nadler
Townes
Velázquez

□ 1940

Messrs. FARR of California, JOHN, and EHRlich, and Ms. DEGETTE changed their vote from “aye” to “no.”

Messrs. COLLINS, CAMP, HOEKSTRA, DIAZ-BALART, and OTTER changed their vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN PRO TEMPORE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore (Mr. GUTKNECHT). Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, the Chair announces that he will reduce to a minimum of 5 minutes the period of time within which a vote by electronic device will be taken on each amendment on which the Chair has postponed further proceedings.

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. ISTOOK

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr. ISTOOK) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will designate the amendment.

The Clerk designated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 106, noes 311, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 379]

AYES—106

Aderholt
Akin
Armedy
Barr
Bartlett
Barton
Bereuter
Brady (TX)
Brown (SC)
Bryant
Burton
Cannon
Cantor
Chabot
Combust
Costello
Crenshaw
Cubin
Culberson
Davis, Jo Ann
DeLay
DeMint
Doolittle
Duncan
Ehrlich
McKeon
Mica
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Myrick
Paul
Pence
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Phelps
Gutknecht

Hall (TX)
Hansen
Hart
Hayes
Hayworth
Hefley
Hilleary
Hostettler
Hunter
Hyde
Istook
Jenkins
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, Sam
Jones (NC)
Keller
Kerns
LaHood
Largent
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lipinski
Lucas (KY)
Manzullo
McIntyre
McKeon
Mica
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Myrick
Paul
Pence
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Phelps
Pickering

Pitts
Pombo
Radanovich
Riley
Rohrabacher
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Ryun (KS)
Schaffer
Schrock
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shimkus
Shows
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Souder
Stearns
Stump
Tancredo
Taylor (MS)
Taylor (NC)
Terry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Vitter
Wamp
Watkins (OK)
Watts (OK)
Weldon (FL)
Whitfield
Wicker
Wolf

NOES—311

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Allen
Andrews
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baker
Baldacci
Baldwin
Ballenger
Barcia
Barrett
Bass
Becerra
Bentsen
Berkley
Berman
Berry
Biggart
Billirakis
Bishop
Blagojevich
Blumenauer
Boehler
Boehner
Bonilla
Bonior
Bono
Borski
Boswell
Boucher
Boyd
Brady (PA)
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)
Burr
Buyer
Callahan
Calvert

Camp
Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardin
Carson (IN)
Carson (OK)
Castle
Chambliss
Clay
Clayton
Clement
Clyburn
Coble
Collins
Condit
Conyers
Cooksey
Cox
Coyne
Cramer
Crane
Crowley
Cummings
Cunningham
Gonzalez
Gordon
Goss
Granger
Graves
Green (TX)
Greenwood
Gutierrez
Hall (OH)
Harman
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Herger
Hill
Hilliard
Hinchev

Hinojosa
Hobson
Hoeffel
Hoekstra
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Horn
Houghton
Hoyer
Hulshof
Inslee
Isakson
Israel
Issa
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee
(TX)
Jefferson
John
Johnson (CT)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones (OH)
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kelly
Kennedy (MN)
Kennedy (RI)
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kind (WI)
King (NY)
Kirk
Kleczka
Knollenberg
Kolbe
Kucinich
LaFalce
Lampson
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourrette
Leach
Lee
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
LoBiondo
Lofgren
Lowey
Lucas (OK)
Luther
Maloney (CT)
Maloney (NY)
Markey
Mascara
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (MO)
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum

McCrary
McDermott
McGovern
McInnis
McKinney
McNulty
Meehan
Meek (FL)
Menendez
Millender-
McDonald
Miller, George
Mink
Mollohan
Moore
Moran (VA)
Morella
Murtha
Napolitano
Neal
Nethercutt
Ney
Northup
Norwood
Nussle
Oberstar
Obeyer
Oliver
Ortiz
Osborne
Otter
Owens
Oxley
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Pelosi
Peterson (MN)
Platts
Pomeroy
Portman
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Quinn
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reyes
Reynolds
Rodriguez
Roemer
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Rush

Sabo
Sánchez
Sanders
Sandlin
Sawyer
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Scott
Serrano
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Sherwood
Shuster
Simmons
Simpson
Skeen
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (MI)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Spratt
Stark
Stenholm
Strickland
Stupak
Sununu
Sweeney
Tanner
Tauscher
Taubin
Thomas
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thornberry
Thune
Thurman
Platts
Tierney
Toomey
Traficant
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Visclosky
Walden
Walsh
Waters
Watson (CA)
Watt (NC)
Waxman
Weiner
Weldon (PA)
Weller
Wexler
Wilson
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Young (AK)
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—13

Blunt
Engel
Fletcher
Fossella
Gillmor

Kingston
McHugh
Meeks (NY)
Miller (FL)
Nadler

Sherman
Townes
Velázquez

□ 1948

Mr. SHIMKUS changed his vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. SHERMAN. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 379, had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. ISTOOK

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr. ISTOOK) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will designate the amendment.

The Clerk designated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 156, noes 262, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 380]

AYES—156

Aderholt	Graves	Paul
Akin	Grucci	Pence
Army	Gutknecht	Pickering
Bachus	Hall (TX)	Pitts
Baker	Hansen	Platts
Barr	Harman	Pombo
Bartlett	Hart	Putnam
Bereuter	Hastings (WA)	Radanovich
Biggert	Hayes	Ramstad
Bilirakis	Hayworth	Rehberg
Brady (TX)	Hefley	Reynolds
Brown (SC)	Herger	Riley
Bryant	Hilleary	Rogers (MI)
Burr	Hoekstra	Rohrabacher
Burton	Horn	Roukema
Buyer	Hostettler	Royce
Camp	Hulshof	Ryun (KS)
Cannon	Hunter	Schaffer
Cantor	Hyde	Schrock
Capito	Isakson	Sensenbrenner
Chabot	Issa	Sessions
Chambliss	Istook	Shadegg
Coble	Jenkins	Shays
Collins	Johnson (CT)	Shimkus
Combest	Johnson, Sam	Shows
Cooksey	Jones (NC)	Shuster
Crane	Keller	Skeen
Crenshaw	Kennedy (MN)	Smith (MI)
Cubin	Kerns	Smith (TX)
Culberson	King (NY)	Smith (WA)
Cunningham	LaHood	Souder
Davis, Jo Ann	Largent	Stearns
Deal	Latham	Stump
DeLay	Leach	Sununu
DeMint	Lewis (KY)	Tancredo
Doolittle	Linder	Tauzin
Duncan	LoBiondo	Taylor (MS)
Dunn	Lucas (KY)	Taylor (NC)
Ehrlich	Lucas (OK)	Terry
Emerson	Manzullo	Thornberry
English	McCrery	Thomey
Everett	McIntyre	Upton
Flake	Mica	Vitter
Fletcher	Miller, Gary	Walden
Forbes	Moran (KS)	Wamp
Frelinghuysen	Myrick	Watkins (OK)
Gallely	Nethercutt	Watts (OK)
Ganske	Ney	Weldon (FL)
Gibbons	Norhup	Weldon (PA)
Goode	Norwood	Weller
Goodlatte	Osborne	Whitfield
Graham	Otter	Wicker

NOES—262

Abercrombie	Boehlert	Clayton
Ackerman	Boehner	Clement
Allen	Bonilla	Clyburn
Andrews	Bonior	Condit
Baca	Bono	Conyers
Baird	Borski	Costello
Baldacci	Boswell	Cox
Baldwin	Boucher	Coyne
Ballenger	Boyd	Cramer
Barcia	Brady (PA)	Crowley
Barrett	Brown (FL)	Cummings
Barton	Brown (OH)	Davis (CA)
Bass	Callahan	Davis (FL)
Becerra	Calvert	Davis (IL)
Bentsen	Capps	Davis, Tom
Berkley	Capuano	DeFazio
Berman	Cardin	DeGette
Berry	Carson (IN)	Delahunt
Bishop	Carson (OK)	DeLauro
Blagojevich	Castle	Deutsch
Blumenauer	Clay	Diaz-Balart

Dicks	Lampson	Regula
Dingell	Langevin	Reyes
Doggett	Lantos	Rivers
Dooley	Larsen (WA)	Rodriguez
Doyle	Larson (CT)	Roemer
Dreier	LaTourette	Rogers (KY)
Edwards	Lee	Ros-Lehtinen
Ehlers	Levin	Ross
Eshoo	Lewis (CA)	Rothman
Etheridge	Lewis (GA)	Roybal-Allard
Evans	Lipinski	Rush
Farr	Lofgren	Ryan (WI)
Fattah	Lowey	Sabo
Filner	Luther	Sánchez
Foley	Maloney (CT)	Sanders
Ford	Maloney (NY)	Sandlin
Frank	Markey	Sawyer
Frost	Mascara	Saxton
Gekas	Matheson	Schakowsky
Gephardt	Matsui	Schiff
Gilchrest	McCarthy (MO)	Scott
Gilman	McCarthy (NY)	Serrano
Gonzalez	McCollum	Shaw
Gordon	McDermott	Sherman
Goss	McGovern	Sherwood
Granger	McInnis	Simmons
Green (TX)	McKeon	Simpson
Green (WI)	McKinney	Skelton
Greenwood	McNulty	Slaughter
Gutierrez	Meehan	Smith (NJ)
Hall (OH)	Meek (FL)	Snyder
Hastings (FL)	Menendez	Solis
Hill	Millender	Spratt
Hilliard	McDonald	Stark
Hinches	Miller, George	Stenholm
Hinojosa	Mink	Strickland
Hobson	Mollohan	Stupak
Hoefel	Moore	Sweeney
Holden	Moran (VA)	Tanner
Holt	Morella	Tauscher
Honda	Murtha	Thomas
Hooley	Napolitano	Thompson (CA)
Houghton	Neal	Thompson (MS)
Hoyer	Nussle	Thune
Inslie	Oberstar	Thurman
Israel	Obey	Tiahrt
Jackson (IL)	Olver	Tiberi
Jackson-Lee	Ortiz	Tierney
(TX)	Ose	Traficant
Jefferson	Owens	Turner
John	Oxley	Udall (CO)
Johnson (IL)	Pallone	Udall (NM)
Johnson, E. B.	Pascarelli	Visclosky
Jones (OH)	Pastor	Walsh
Kanjorski	Payne	Waters
Kaptur	Pelosi	Watson (CA)
Kelly	Peterson (MN)	Watt (NC)
Kennedy (RI)	Peterson (PA)	Waxman
Kildee	Petri	Weiner
Kilpatrick	Phelps	Wexler
Kind (WI)	Pomeroy	Wilson
Kirk	Portman	Wolf
Kleczka	Price (NC)	Woolsey
Knollenberg	Pryce (OH)	Wu
Kolbe	Quinn	Wynn
Kucinich	Rahall	Young (AK)
LaFalce	Rangel	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—12

Blunt	Gillmor	Miller (FL)
Engel	Kingston	Nadler
Ferguson	McHugh	Towns
Fossella	Meeks (NY)	Velázquez

□ 1956

So the amendment was rejected. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Are there any further amendments?

If not, the Clerk will read the last 3 lines of the bill.

The Clerk read as follows:

This Act may be cited as the “Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2002”.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON) having assumed the chair,

Mr. GUTKNECHT, Chairman pro tempore of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 3061) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, pursuant to the order of the House, he reported the bill back to the House with sundry amendments adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the order of the House, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any amendment? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

Under clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 373, nays 43, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 381]

YEAS—373

Abercrombie	Cannon	Ehrlich
Ackerman	Capito	Emerson
Aderholt	Capps	English
Akin	Capuano	Eshoo
Allen	Cardin	Etheridge
Andrews	Carson (IN)	Evans
Baca	Carson (OK)	Everett
Bachus	Castle	Farr
Baird	Chambliss	Fattah
Baker	Clay	Ferguson
Baldacci	Clayton	Filner
Baldwin	Clement	Fletcher
Ballenger	Clyburn	Foley
Barcia	Coble	Forbes
Barrett	Collins	Ford
Barton	Combest	Frelinghuysen
Bass	Condit	Frost
Becerra	Conyers	Gallely
Bentsen	Cooksey	Ganske
Bereuter	Costello	Gekas
Berkley	Cox	Gephardt
Berman	Coyne	Gibbons
Berry	Cramer	Gilchrest
Biggert	Crenshaw	Gilman
Bilirakis	Crowley	Gonzalez
Bishop	Cubin	Goode
Blagojevich	Cummings	Gordon
Blumenauer	Cunningham	Goss
Boehlert	Davis (CA)	Graham
Boehner	Davis (FL)	Granger
Bonilla	Davis (IL)	Graves
Bonior	Davis, Jo Ann	Green (TX)
Bono	Davis, Tom	Green (WI)
Borski	Deal	Greenwood
Boswell	DeFazio	Grucci
Boucher	DeGette	Gutierrez
Boyd	Delahunt	Gutknecht
Brady (PA)	DeLauro	Hall (OH)
Brady (TX)	Deutsch	Hall (TX)
Brown (FL)	Diaz-Balart	Hansen
Brown (OH)	Dicks	Harman
Brown (SC)	Dingell	Hart
Bryant	Doggett	Hastings (FL)
Burr	Dooley	Hastings (WA)
Burton	Doyle	Hayes
Buyer	Dreier	Herger
Callahan	Dunn	Hill
Calvert	Edwards	Hilleary
Camp	Ehlers	Hilliard

Hinchey	McCollum	Sánchez
Hinojosa	McCrery	Sanders
Hobson	McDermott	Sandlin
Hoeffel	McGovern	Sawyer
Holden	McInnis	Saxton
Holt	McIntyre	Schakowsky
Honda	McKeon	Schiff
Hooley	McKinney	Schrock
Horn	McNulty	Scott
Houghton	Meehan	Serrano
Hoyer	Meek (FL)	Shaw
Hulshof	Menendez	Shays
Hyde	Mica	Sherman
Inslee	Millender-	Sherwood
Isakson	McDonald	Shimkus
Israel	Miller, George	Shows
Issa	Mink	Simmons
Istook	Mollohan	Simpson
Jackson (IL)	Moore	Skeen
Jackson-Lee	Moran (VA)	Skelton
(TX)	Morella	Slaughter
Jefferson	Murtha	Smith (MI)
Jenkins	Myrick	Smith (TX)
John	Napolitano	Smith (WA)
Johnson (CT)	Neal	Snyder
Johnson (IL)	Nethercutt	Solis
Johnson, E. B.	Ney	Souder
Jones (OH)	Northup	Spratt
Kanjorski	Norwood	Stark
Kaptur	Nussle	Stearns
Keller	Oberstar	Strickland
Kelly	Obey	Stump
Kennedy (MN)	Olver	Stupak
Kennedy (RI)	Ortiz	Sununu
Kildee	Osborne	Sweeney
Kilpatrick	Ose	Tanner
Kind (WI)	Owens	Tauscher
King (NY)	Oxley	Tauzin
Kirk	Pallone	Taylor (NC)
Kleczka	Pascrell	Terry
Knollenberg	Pastor	Thomas
Kolbe	Payne	Thompson (CA)
Kucinich	Pelosi	Thompson (MS)
LaFalce	Peterson (MN)	Thornberry
LaHood	Peterson (PA)	Thune
Lampson	Phelps	Thurman
Langevin	Pickering	Tiahrt
Lantos	Platts	Tiberi
Largent	Pomeroy	Tierney
Larsen (WA)	Portman	Traficant
Larson (CT)	Price (NC)	Turner
Latham	Pryce (OH)	Udall (CO)
LaTourette	Putnam	Udall (NM)
Leach	Quinn	Upton
Lee	Radanovich	Visclosky
Levin	Rahall	Walden
Lewis (CA)	Ramstad	Walsh
Lewis (GA)	Rangel	Wamp
Lewis (KY)	Regula	Watkins (OK)
Linder	Rehberg	Watson (CA)
Lipinski	Reyes	Watt (NC)
LoBiondo	Reynolds	Watts (OK)
Riley	Riley	Waxman
Lofgren	Rivers	Weiner
Lowey	Rodriguez	Weldon (PA)
Lucas (KY)	Roemer	Weller
Lucas (OK)	Rogers (KY)	Wexler
Luther	Rogers (MI)	Whitfield
Maloney (CT)	Ros-Lehtinen	Wicker
Maloney (NY)	Ross	Wilson
Manzullo	Rothman	Wolf
Markey	Roukema	Woolsey
Mascara	Roybal-Allard	Wu
Matheson	Rush	Wynn
Matsui	Ryan (WI)	Young (AK)
McCarthy (MO)	Sabo	Young (FL)
McCarthy (NY)		

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Armey	Hoekstra	Royce
Barr	Hostettler	Ryun (KS)
Bartlett	Hunter	Schaffer
Cantor	Johnson, Sam	Sensenbrenner
Chabot	Jones (NC)	Sessions
Crane	Kerns	Shadegg
Culberson	Miller, Gary	Smith (NJ)
DeLay	Moran (KS)	Stenholm
DeMint	Otter	Tancredo
Doolittle	Paul	Taylor (MS)
Duncan	Pence	Toomey
Flake	Petri	Vitter
Goodlatte	Pitts	Weldon (FL)
Hayworth	Pombo	
Hefley	Rohrabacher	

NOT VOTING—14

Blunt	Kingston	Shuster
Engel	McHugh	Towns
Fossella	Meeks (NY)	Velázquez
Frank	Miller (FL)	Waters
Gillmor	Nadler	

□ 2014

So the bill was passed.
The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

□ 2015

AUTHORIZING SPEAKER OR CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE TO RECOGNIZE MEMBER AT 2 P.M. ON OCTOBER 12, 2001, TO LEAD HOUSE IN PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

Mr. COX. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that on October 12, 2001, tomorrow, the Speaker or the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole be authorized to recognize a Member at 2 p.m. for the purpose of leading the House or the Committee in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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

Mrs. MYRICK. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I would like to ask the gentleman if this is because Secretary of Education Paige has asked that all of the schools in the country say the Pledge of Allegiance at 2 p.m. tomorrow?

Mr. COX. Mr. Speaker, will the gentlewoman yield?

Mrs. MYRICK. I yield to the gentleman from California.

Mr. COX. Mr. Speaker, I would say to the gentlewoman that is exactly the purpose of the House taking this action tomorrow.

Tomorrow, Friday, October 12, America's schoolchildren, all of the schools across the country, are invited to join in delivering simultaneously the Pledge of Allegiance. This is a nationwide synchronized Pledge of Allegiance that will take place in schools across the country. It will be 2 p.m. here on the East Coast, 1 o'clock central time, noon mountain time, 11 a.m. in my home State of California, Pacific time, 10 a.m. in Alaska, 8 a.m. in Hawaii. Students and teachers will all join at that time in reciting those simple words, "I Pledge Allegiance to the Flag."

The President is also going to join in this national ceremony tomorrow at the precise time from the White House. It is going to be an unprecedented moment, and I think a poignant one, to honor our country, our dead, and our freedom.

I would add also that the Pledge across America is not a government program or a government initiative.

We did not come up with the idea. It came from the people, from a grassroots effort started by one very determined woman. Her nonprofit organization, Celebration USA, was created to strengthen classroom instruction on the basic principles of American democracy.

It all started in a California classroom with this teacher named Paula Burton. She is an immigrant. When she was a schoolgirl, at the age of 9, she fled with her family from the Nazi occupation. She grew up here in America to realize her American dream of becoming a public school teacher and noticed one day, when her students were reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, that they seemed bored, uninterested or apathetic. She sensed they did not even understand the meaning of the words of the Pledge. So she went to the blackboard and she wrote down the word "indivisible." She wrote indivisible on the board and asked the class what it meant, and they said it means you cannot see it.

This started her educational campaign to teach students to understand the words of the Pledge and to stimulate pride in being an American. She discovered the Pledge of Allegiance was originally written for a national school celebration, a patriotic national observance in 1829, accompanied by a proclamation from the President. Now her nationwide program of informed patriotism is helping to lead our troubled Nation.

For 4 weeks, teachers in every community in America have been working with students to help them understand what happened on September 11 and to overcome their fears and concerns. They have also worked to teach them more about our national history and the foundations of our free society. Thanks to Paula Burton, whom I am proud to say is my constituent in the 47th Congressional District in California, our Nation will truly be united tomorrow.

I want to thank especially my colleague, the gentlewoman from North Carolina (Mrs. MYRICK), for her work on ensuring that Congress will participate in the Pledge Across America, and congratulate the leadership on the Democratic side, because this is truly a bipartisan national effort. As I said, President Bush will participate from the White House and Paula Burton will be in Orange California with her Catch the Spirit singing group and the boys and girls of Serrano Elementary School.

I thank the gentlewoman for permitting that explanation of this procedure on the House floor tomorrow.

Mrs. MYRICK. Reclaiming my time, Mr. Speaker, I would say that it is an exciting show of unity in this country.

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.