

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES—Monday, March 5, 2001

The House met at 2 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. RADANOVICH).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
March 5, 2001.

I hereby appoint the Honorable GEORGE RADANOVICH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer:

Lord God, in turbulent times, You have called forth people like Isaias and given them vision. They walked in the eye of the hurricane because they were surrounded by Your spirit of peace. Raise up, in our own day, men and women, young and old, from across this Nation, who see the essentials of required justice and who boldly outline the path to secure economic liberty for all Your people.

Lord God, in peaceful times, You call forth prophetic leaders who will shake off indifference and temerity that the best of a nation and its historic treasures will not be lost. Then the song of gratitude in hearts of the aged and the dreams of children playing in the streets will be heard again.

For You, Lord of life, renew us in faith and moral values each day. Give us Your perspective on daily tasks and every decision now and forever. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, March 2, 2001.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted to Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on March 2, 2001 at 2:25 p.m.: That the Senate passed without amendment H.J. Res. 19; that the Senate passed without amendment H. Con. Res. 27.

Appointments: U.S.-China Security Review Commission—C. Richard D'Amato of Maryland, Patrick A. Mulloy of Virginia, William A. Reinsch of Maryland; National Committee on Vital and Health Statistics—Dr. Richard K. Harding of South Carolina.

With best wishes, I am
Sincerely,

JEFF TRANDAHL,
Clerk of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE REGARDING CORRECTION TO CONGRESSIONAL RECORD OF THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 2001, AT PAGE H598

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair desires to announce that rollcall vote 23 of March 1, 2001, as recorded by the electronic voting system, was correct and submitted correctly to the Government Printing Office for printing in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD. The appearance of rollcall vote 23 in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of March 1, 2001, was incomplete as the result of a Government Printing Office omission.

A complete listing of rollcall vote 23 and an indication of the 10 Members whose votes were omitted by the Government Printing Office from page 598 of the RECORD will be inserted at this point, without objection.

There was no objection.

- Mr. DOYLE, aye;
- Mr. DREIER, nay;
- Mr. DUNCAN, nay;
- Ms. DUNN, not voting;
- Mr. EDWARDS, nay;
- Mr. EHLERS, nay;
- Mr. EHRLICH, nay;
- Mrs. EMERSON, nay;
- Mr. ENGEL, aye;
- Mr. ENGLISH, nay.

[Roll No. 23]

AYES—160

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| Abercrombie | Harman | Murtha |
| Allen | Hastings (FL) | Nadler |
| Andrews | Hilliard | Napolitano |
| Baca | Hinchev | Neal |
| Baldacci | Hinojosa | Oberstar |
| Baldwin | Hoeffel | Obey |
| Barcia | Holden | Olver |
| Barrett | Honda | Ortiz |
| Becerra | Hooley | Owens |
| Berkley | Israel | Pallone |
| Berman | Jackson (IL) | Pascarell |
| Bishop | Jackson-Lee | Pastor |
| Blagojevich | (TX) | Payne |
| Blumenauer | Jefferson | Pelosi |
| Bonior | Johnson, E.B. | Pomeroy |
| Borski | Jones (OH) | Price (NC) |
| Brady (PA) | Kanjorski | Rahall |
| Brown (FL) | Kaptur | Ramstad |
| Brown (OH) | Kildee | Rangel |
| Capps | Kilpatrick | Reyes |
| Capuano | Kind (WI) | Rivers |
| Cardin | Kleczka | Rodriguez |
| Carson (IN) | Kucinich | Roybal-Allard |
| Clay | LaFalce | Rush |
| Clayton | Lampson | Sabo |
| Clyburn | Langevin | Sanders |
| Conyers | Lantos | Sawyer |
| Costello | Larson (CT) | Schakowsky |
| Coyne | Lee | Schiff |
| Cummings | Levin | Scott |
| Davis (CA) | Lewis (GA) | Serrano |
| Davis (IL) | Lowe | Sherman |
| DeFazio | Luther | Slaughter |
| DeGette | Maloney (NY) | Solis |
| Delahunt | Markey | Spratt |
| DeLauro | Mascara | Stark |
| Deutsch | Matsui | Stupak |
| Dicks | McCarthy (MO) | Thompson (CA) |
| Dingell | McCarthy (NY) | Thompson (MS) |
| Doggett | McCollum | Thurman |
| Doyle | McGovern | Tierney |
| Engel | McIntyre | Towns |
| Eshoo | McKinney | Udall (CO) |
| Etheridge | McNulty | Udall (NM) |
| Evans | Meehan | Velázquez |
| Farr | Meek (FL) | Visclosky |
| Fattah | Meeks (NY) | Waters |
| Filner | Menendez | Watt (NC) |
| Frank | Millender- | Waxman |
| Gephardt | McDonald | Weiner |
| Gonzalez | Miller, George | Wexler |
| Green (TX) | Mink | Woolsey |
| Gutierrez | Moakley | Wu |
| Hall (OH) | Moore | Wynn |

NOES—258

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| Aderholt | Bryant | Cunningham |
| Akin | Burr | Davis (FL) |
| Armey | Burton | Davis, Jo Ann |
| Bachus | Buyer | Davis, Tom |
| Baker | Callahan | DeLay |
| Ballenger | Calvert | DeMint |
| Barr | Camp | Diaz-Balart |
| Bartlett | Cantor | Dooley |
| Barton | Capito | Doolittle |
| Bass | Carson (OK) | Dreier |
| Bentsen | Castle | Duncan |
| Bereuter | Chabot | Edwards |
| Berry | Chambless | Ehlers |
| Biggert | Clement | Ehrlich |
| Bilirakis | Coble | Emerson |
| Blunt | Collins | English |
| Boehlert | Combust | Everett |
| Boehner | Condit | Ferguson |
| Bonilla | Cooksey | Flake |
| Bono | Cox | Fletcher |
| Boswell | Crane | Foley |
| Boucher | Crenshaw | Ford |
| Boyd | Crowley | Fossella |
| Brady (TX) | Cubin | Frelinghuysen |
| Brown (SC) | Culberson | Frost |

☐ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., ☐ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.

Gallegly	LaTourette	Sanchez
Ganske	Leach	Sandlin
Gekas	Lewis (CA)	Saxton
Gibbons	Lewis (KY)	Scarborough
Gilchrest	Linder	Schaffer
Gillmor	Lipinski	Schrock
Gilman	LoBiondo	Sensenbrenner
Goode	Lofgren	Sessions
Goodlatte	Lucas (KY)	Shadegg
Gordon	Lucas (OK)	Shaw
Goss	Maloney (CT)	Shays
Graham	Manzullo	Sherwood
Granger	Matheson	Shimkus
Graves	McCrery	Shows
Green (WI)	McHugh	Simmons
Greenwood	McInnis	Simpson
Grucci	McKeon	Sisisky
Gutknecht	Mica	Skeen
Hall (TX)	Miller (FL)	Skelton
Hansen	Miller, Gary	Smith (MI)
Hart	Mollohan	Smith (NJ)
Hastings (WA)	Moran (KS)	Smith (TX)
Hayes	Moran (VA)	Smith (WA)
Hayworth	Morella	Smith (TX)
Hefley	Myrick	Spence
Herger	Nethercutt	Stearns
Hill	Ney	Stenholm
Hilleary	Northup	Strickland
Hobson	Nussle	Stump
Hoekstra	Osborne	Sununu
Holt	Ose	Sweeney
Horn	Otter	Tancredo
Hostettler	Oxley	Tanner
Houghton	Paul	Tauscher
Hoyer	Pence	Tauzin
Hulshof	Peterson (MN)	Taylor (MS)
Hunter	Peterson (PA)	Taylor (NC)
Hutchinson	Petri	Terry
Hyde	Phelps	Thomas
Isakson	Pickering	Thornberry
Issa	Pitts	Thune
Istook	Platts	Tiahrt
Jenkins	Pombo	Tiberi
John	Portman	Traficant
Johnson (CT)	Pryce (OH)	Turner
Johnson (IL)	Putnam	Upton
Johnson, Sam	Quinn	Vitter
Jones (NC)	Radanovich	Walden
Keller	Regula	Walsh
Kelly	Rehberg	Wamp
Kennedy (MN)	Reynolds	Watkins
Kennedy (RI)	Riley	Watts (OK)
Kerns	Roemer	Weldon (FL)
King (NY)	Rogers (KY)	Weldon (PA)
Kirk	Rogers (MI)	Weller
Knollenberg	Rohrabacher	Whitfield
Kolbe	Ross	Wicker
LaHood	Roukema	Wilson
Largent	Royce	Wolf
Larsen (WA)	Ryan (WI)	Young (AK)
Latham	Ryun (KS)	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—14

Ackerman	Dunn	Ros-Lehtinen
Baird	Inslee	Rothman
Cannon	Kingston	Snyder
Cramer	McDermott	Toomey
Deal	Norwood	

COMMUNICATION FROM HON. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, DEMOCRATIC LEADER

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, Democratic Leader:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
OFFICE OF THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER,
Washington, DC, March 1, 2001.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to section 1238(b)(3) of the Floyd D. Spence National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2001 (P.L. 106-398), I hereby appoint the following individuals to the China Security Commission:

George Becker of Pittsburgh, PA.
Kenneth Lewis of Portland, OR.

Michael Wessel of Falls Church, VA.
Sincerely,

RICHARD A. GEPHARDT.

COMMUNICATION FROM HON. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, DEMOCRATIC LEADER

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, Democratic Leader:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
OFFICE OF THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER,
Washington, DC, March 2, 2001.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to Section 202(b)(3) of the Goals 2000: Educate America Act (20 U.S.C. 5822), I hereby appoint the following Member to the National Education Goals Panel:

Mr. GEORGE MILLER, CA.
Yours very truly,

RICHARD A. GEPHARDT.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, and pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), the Chair announces the Speaker's appointment of the following Members of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Air Force Academy:

Mr. YOUNG of Florida and
Mr. HEFLEY of Colorado.
There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, and pursuant to 14 U.S.C. 194(a), the Chair announces the Speaker's appointment of the following Member of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Coast Guard Academy:

Mr. SIMMONS of Connecticut.
There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER TO BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, and pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 1295(h), the Chair announces the Speaker's appointment of the following Member of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Merchant Marine Academy:

Mr. KING of New York.
There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, and pursuant to 10 U.S.C.

4355(a), the Chair announces the Speaker's appointment of the following Members of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Military Academy:

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina and
Mrs. KELLY of New York.
There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO BOARD OF VISITORS TO UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, and pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), the Chair announces the Speaker's appointment of the following Members of the House to the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy:

Mr. SKEEN of New Mexico and
Mr. GILCHREST of Maryland.
There was no objection.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the House stands adjourned until 12:30 p.m. tomorrow for morning hour debates.

There was no objection.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 7 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at 12:30 p.m., for morning hour debates.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

1059. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Transportation and Marketing, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Organic Program [Docket No. TMD-00-02-FR] (RIN: 0581-AA40) received February 20, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1060. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pendimethalin; Re-establishment of Tolerance for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301102; FRL-6766-5] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received February 22, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1061. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-D-7507] received February 27, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1062. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7755] received February 27, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1063. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final