

TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 301. GENERAL DEFINITIONS.

In this Act, the following definitions shall apply:

- (1) The term "Commission" means the Statehood Transition Commission established under section 303.
(2) The term "Council" means the Council of the District of Columbia.
(3) The term "Governor" means the Governor of the State of New Columbia.
(4) The term "Mayor" means the Mayor of the District of Columbia.
(5) The term "State Constitution" means the constitution of the State of New Columbia, as adopted by the Council of the District of Columbia in the Constitution for the State of New Columbia Approval Act of 1987 (D.C. Law 7-8).
(6) The term "State" means the State of New Columbia.

SEC. 302. CERTIFICATION OF ENACTMENT BY PRESIDENT.

Not more than 60 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the President shall certify such enactment to the Mayor of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 303. STATEHOOD TRANSITION COMMISSION.

- (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is hereby established a Statehood Transition Commission.
(b) COMPOSITION.—The Commission shall be composed of 17 members appointed as follows:
(1) 3 members appointed by the President.
(2) 2 members appointed by the Speaker of the House.
(3) 2 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives.
(4) 2 members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.
(5) 2 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate.
(6) 3 members appointed by the Mayor of the District of Columbia.
(7) 3 members appointed by the Council of the District of Columbia.

(c) DUTIES.—
(1) IN GENERAL.—The Commission shall advise the President, the Congress, the Mayor (or, upon the admission of the State into the Union, the Governor), and the Council (or, upon the admission of the State into the Union, the House of Delegates for the State of New Columbia) concerning necessary procedures to effect an orderly transition to statehood for the District of Columbia and other matters relating to the assumption of the property, functions, and activities of the District of Columbia by the State during the first 2 years of the State's existence.

(2) RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING APPLICABILITY OF LAWS TO NEW SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.—In carrying out its duties under paragraph (1), the Commission shall analyze the laws of the United States that will apply to the District of Columbia after the admission of the State into the Union, and shall make recommendations to Congress regarding whether any of these laws should continue to apply to the District of Columbia after the admission of the State.

(3) RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING ANNUAL PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAX.—In addition to any of its other duties under paragraph (1), not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Commission shall develop and recommend to Congress a methodology for determining the amount of and schedule for the annual payment to the State required under section 203, and shall base such methodology upon the methodologies used to determine the amount of other payments in lieu of taxes made by the United States to States and units of local government as compensation for the presence of Federal property which may not be taxed by such States and units of local government.

(4) RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING LORTON CORRECTIONAL COMPLEX.—In addition to any of its other duties under paragraph (1), not later than 2 years after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Commission shall identify and recommend options to Congress, the Mayor of the District of Columbia (or, if the options are recommended after the admission of the State into the Union, the Governor of the State), and the Governor of Virginia regarding the incarceration of individuals convicted of crimes in the State, including options relating to—

- (A) the construction of additional prison facilities within the State;
(B) agreements between the State and the Commonwealth of Virginia with respect to the Lorton Correctional Complex, or agreements with other jurisdictions under which such individuals may be incarcerated at facilities located in such other jurisdictions; and
(C) the development of a comprehensive plan for closing the Lorton Correctional Complex by 2010 and relocating inmates to other facilities.

(d) REPORTS.—The Commission shall submit such reports as the Commission considers appropriate or as may be requested.

(e) TERMINATION.—The Commission shall cease to exist 2 years after the date of the admission of the State into the Union.

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

Mr. BLILEY moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

By unanimous consent, the previous question was ordered on the motion to recommit.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House recommit said bill?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

So the motion to recommit was not agreed to.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Will the House pass said bill?

Mr. BLILEY demanded a recorded vote on passage of said bill, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the Yeas 153 negative Nays 277

139.12 [Roll No. 595] AYES—153

- Abercrombie
Andrews (ME)
Andrews (NJ)
Andrews (NY)
Bacchus (FL)
Barca
Barrett (WI)
Becerra
Beilenson
Berman
Bilbray
Bishop
Blackwell
Bonior
Borski
Brown (CA)
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)
Bryant
Cantwell
Cardin
Clay
Clayton
Clyburn
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Conyers
Costello
Coyne
DeFazio
DeLauro
Dellums
Deutsch
Dicks
Dixon
Durbin
Edwards (CA)
Engel
Eshoo
Evans
Farr
Fazio
Fields (LA)
Filner
Flake
Foglietta
Foley
Ford (TN)
Frank (MA)
Furse
Gejdenson
Gephardt
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Glickman
Gonzalez
Green
Gutierrez
Hamburg
Harman
Hastings
Hefner
Hilliard
Hinchey
Inlee
Jacobs
Jefferson

- Johnson, E. B.
Kennedy
Kennelly
Kildee
Klecicka
Klein
Kopetski
Kreidler
Lantos
Levin
Lewis (GA)
Long
Lowey
Maloney
Manton
Margolies-Mezvinsky
Markey
Martinez
Matsui
McCloskey
McDermott
McHale
McKinney
Meehan
Meek
Menendez
Mfume
Miller (CA)
Mineta
Minge
Mink
Moakley
Nadler
Natcher
Neal (MA)
Oberstar
Obey
Olver
Owens
Pallone
Pastor
Payne (NJ)
Pelosi
Penny
Pickle
Rangel
Reynolds
Richardson
Rose
Rostenkowski
Roybal-Allard
Rush
Sabo
Sanders
Sawyer
Schroeder
Schumer
Scott
Serrano

NOES—277

- Ackerman
Allard
Andrews (TX)
Applegate
Archer
Armey
Bachus (AL)
Baesler
Baker (CA)
Baker (LA)
Ballenger
Barcia
Barlow
Barrett (NE)
Bartlett
Barton
Bateman
Bentley
Bereuter
Bevill
Bilirakis
Bliley
Blute
Boehlert
Boehner
Bonilla
Boucher
Brewster
Brooks
Browder
Bunning
Burton
Buyer
Byrne
Callahan
Calvert
Camp
Canady
Carr
Castle
Chapman
Clement
Coble
Coleman
Collins (GA)
Combest
Condit
Cooper
Coppersmith
Cox
Cramer
Crane
Crapo
Cunningham
Danner
Darden
de la Garza
Deal
DeLay
Derrick
Diaz-Balart
Dickey
Dingell
Dooley
Doolittle
Dornan
Dreier
Duncan
Dunn
Edwards (TX)
Emerson
English (AZ)
English (OK)
Everett
Ewing
Fawell
Fields (TX)
Fingerhut
Fish
Ford (MI)
Fowler
Franks (CT)
Franks (NJ)
Frost
Gallegly
Gallo
Gekas
Geren
Gillmor
Gilman
Gingrich
Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Goss
Grams
Grandy
Greenwood
Gunderson
Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Hancock
Hansen
Hastert
Hayes
Hefley
Herger
Hoagland
Hobson
Hochbrueckner
Hoekstra
Hoke
Holden
Horn
Houghton
Hoyer
Huffington
Hughes
Hunter
Hutchinson
Hutto
Hyde
Inglis
Inhofe
Istook
Johnson (CT)
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (SD)
Johnson, Sam
Johnston
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kasich
Kim
King
Kingston
Klink
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
LaFalce
Lambert
Lancaster
LaRocco
Laughlin
Lazio
Leach
Lehman
Levy
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (FL)
Lightfoot
Linder
Lipinski
Livingston
Lloyd
Machtley
Mann
Manzullo
Mazzoli
McCandless
McCollum
McCrary
McCurdy
McDade
McHugh
McInnis
McKeon
McMillan
McNulty
Meyers
Mica
Michel
Miller (FL)
Molinari
Mollohan
Montgomery
Moorhead
Moran
Morella
Murphy
Murtha
Myers
Neal (NC)
Nussle
Ortiz
Orton
Oxley
Packard
Parker
Paxon
Payne (VA)
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Petri
Pickett
Pombo
Pomeroy
Porter
Portman
Poshard
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Quillen

Quinn Shays Taylor (MS)
 Rahall Shepherd Taylor (NC)
 Ramstad Shuster Thomas (CA)
 Ravenel Sisisky Thomas (WY)
 Reed Skaggs Thornton
 Regula Skeen Thurman
 Ridge Skelton Torkildsen
 Roberts Smith (IA) Upton
 Roemer Smith (MI) Valentine
 Rogers Smith (NJ) Volkmer
 Rohrabacher Smith (OR) Vucanovich
 Ros-Lehtinen Smith (TX) Walker
 Roth Snow Walsh
 Roukema Solomon Weldon
 Rowland Spence Whitten
 Royce Spratt Williams
 Sangmeister Stearns Wilson
 Santorum Stenholm Wise
 Sarpalius Strickland Wolf
 Saxton Stump Young (AK)
 Schaefer Stupak Young (FL)
 Schenk Sundquist Zeliff
 Schiff Talent Zimmer
 Sensenbrenner Tanner
 Shaw Tauzin

NOT VOTING—4

Clinger Kyl
 Hall (OH) Washington

So the bill was not passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was not passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶139.13 H.R. 3548—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3548) to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the 250th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson, Americans who have been prisoners of war, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial on the occasion of the 10th anniversary of the Memorial, and the Women in Military Service for America Memorial, and for other purposes.

The question being put,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Yeas</td> <td>428</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nays</td> <td>0</td> </tr> </table>	Yeas	428	Nays	0
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Nays	0				

¶139.14 [Roll No. 596] YEAS—428

Abercrombie Blackwell Clyburn
 Ackerman Bliley Coble
 Allard Blute Coleman
 Andrews (ME) Boehlert Collins (GA)
 Andrews (NJ) Boehner Collins (IL)
 Andrews (TX) Bonilla Collins (MI)
 Applegate Bonior Combest
 Archer Borski Condit
 Arney Boucher Conyers
 Bacchus (FL) Brewster Cooper
 Bachus (AL) Brooks Coppersmith
 Baesler Browder Costello
 Baker (CA) Brown (CA) Cox
 Baker (LA) Brown (FL) Coyne
 Ballenger Brown (OH) Cramer
 Barca Bryant Crane
 Barcia Bunning Crapo
 Barlow Burton Cunningham
 Barrett (NE) Buyer Danner
 Barrett (WI) Byrne Darden
 Bartlett Callahan de la Garza
 Barton Calvert Deal
 Bateman Camp DeFazio
 Becerra Canady DeLauro
 Beilenson Cantwell DeLay
 Bentley Cardin Dellums
 Bereuter Carr Derrick
 Berman Castle Deutsch
 Bevil Chapman Diaz-Balart
 Bilbray Clay Dickey
 Bilirakis Clayton Dicks
 Bishop Clement Dingell

Dixon Kanjorski Pastor
 Dooley Kaptur Paxon
 Doolittle Kasich Payne (NJ)
 Dornan Kennedy Payne (VA)
 Dreier Kennelly Pelosi
 Duncan Kildee Penny
 Dunn Kim Peterson (FL)
 Durbin King Peterson (MN)
 Edwards (CA) Kingston Petri
 Edwards (TX) Kleczka Pickett
 Emerson Klein Pickle
 Engel Klink Pombo
 English (AZ) Klug Pomeroy
 English (OK) Knollenberg Porter
 Eshoo Kolbe Portman
 Evans Kopetski Poshard
 Everett Kreidler Price (NC)
 Ewing LaFalce Pryce (OH)
 Farr Lambert Quinn
 Fawell Lancaster Quinn
 Fazio Lantos Rahall
 Fields (LA) LaRocco Ramstad
 Fields (TX) Laughlin Rangel
 Filner Lazio Ravenel
 Fingerhut Leach Reed
 Fish Lehman Regula
 Flake Levin Reynolds
 Foglietta Levy Richardson
 Ford (MI) Lewis (CA) Ridge
 Ford (TN) Lewis (FL) Roberts
 Fowler Lewis (GA) Roemer
 Frank (MA) Lightfoot Rogers
 Franks (CT) Linder Rohrabacher
 Franks (NJ) Lipinski Ros-Lehtinen
 Frost Livingston Rose
 Furse Lloyd Rostenkowski
 Gallegly Long Roth
 Gallo Lowey Roukema
 Gejdenson Machtley Rowland
 Gekas Maloney Roybal-Allard
 Gephardt Mann Royce
 Geren Manton Rush
 Gibbons Manzullo Sabo
 Gilchrest Margolis-Sanders
 Gillmor Mezvinsky Sangmeister
 Gilman Markey Santorum
 Gingrich Martinez Sarpalius
 Glickman Matsui Sawyer
 Gonzalez Mazzoli Saxton
 Goodlatte McCandless Schaefer
 Goodling McCloskey Schenk
 Gordon McCollum Schiff
 Goss McCreery Schroeder
 Grams McCurdy Schumer
 Grandy McDade Scott
 Green McDermott Sensenbrenner
 Greenwood McHale Serrano
 Gunderson McHugh Sharp
 Gutierrez McClinnis Shaw
 Hall (TX) McKeon Shays
 Hamburg McKinney Shepherd
 Hamilton McMillan Shuster
 Hancock McNulty Sisisky
 Hansen Meehan Skaggs
 Harman Meek Skeen
 Hastert Menendez Skelton
 Hastings Meyers Slattery
 Hayes Mfume Slaughter
 Hefley Mica Smith (IA)
 Hefner Michel Smith (MI)
 Hegerger Miller (CA) Smith (NJ)
 Hilliard Miller (FL) Smith (OR)
 Hinchey Mineta Smith (TX)
 Hoagland Minge Snow
 Hobson Mink Solomon
 Hochbrueckner Moakley Spence
 Hoekstra Molinari Spratt
 Hoke Mollohan Stark
 Holden Montgomery Stearns
 Horn Moorhead Stenholm
 Houghton Moran Stokes
 Hoyer Morella Strickland
 Huffington Murphy Studds
 Hughes Murtha Stump
 Hunter Myers Stupak
 Hutchinson Nadler Swett
 Hutto Natcher Swift
 Hyde Neal (MA) Synar
 Inglis Neal (NC) Talent
 Inhofe Nussle Tanner
 Inslee Oberstar Tauzin
 Istook Obey Taylor (MS)
 Jacobs Olver Taylor (NC)
 Jefferson Ortiz Tejada
 Johnson (CT) Orton Thomas (CA)
 Johnson (GA) Owens Thomas (WY)
 Johnson (SD) Oxley Thompson
 Johnson, E. B. Packard Thornton
 Johnson, Sam Pallone Thurman
 Johnston Parker Torkildsen

Torres Volkmer Wilson
 Torricelli Vucanovich Wise
 Towns Walker Wolf
 Traficant Walsh Woolsey
 Tucker Waters Wyden
 Unsoeld Watt Wynn
 Upton Waxman Yates
 Valentine Weldon Young (AK)
 Velazquez Wheat Young (FL)
 Vento Whitten Zeliff
 Visclosky Williams Zimmer

NOT VOTING—5

Clinger Kyl Washington
 Hall (OH) Sundquist

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶139.15 THOMAS JEFFERSON COMMEMORATION COMMISSION

Mr. SAWYER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill of the Senate (S. 1716) to amend the Thomas Jefferson Commemoration Commission Act to extend the deadlines for reports.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAROCCO, recognized Mr. SAWYER and Mr. MYERS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAROCCO, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶139.16 POVERTY DATA IMPROVEMENT

Mr. SAWYER moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1645) to amend title 13, United States Code, to require that the Secretary of Commerce produce and publish, at least every 2 years, current data relating to the incidence of poverty in the United States; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAROCCO, recognized Mr. SAWYER and Mr. MYERS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAROCCO, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was,