

bill, and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

PORTER GOSS,
BILL YOUNG,
JERRY LEWIS,
BUD SHUSTER,
BILL MCCOLLUM,
MICHAEL N. CASTLE,
SHERWOOD BOEHLERT,
CHARLES F. BASS,
JIM GIBBONS,
NORM DICKS,
JULIAN C. DIXON,
DAVID E. SKAGGS,
NANCY PELOSI,
JANE HARMAN,
IKE SKELTON,
SANFORD D. BISHOP,

From the Committee on National Security, for consideration of defense tactical intelligence and related activities:

FLOYD SPENCE,
BOB STUMP,

Managers on the Part of the House.

From the Select Committee on Intelligence:

RICHARD SHELBY,
JOHN H. CHAFFEE,
DICK LUGAR,
MIKE DEWINE,
JON KYL,
JAMES INHOFE,
ORRIN HATCH,
PAT ROBERTS,
WAYNE ALLARD,
DANIEL COATS,
BOB KERREY,
JOHN GLENN,
RICHARD H. BRYAN,
BOB GRAHAM,
JOHN F. KERRY,
MAX BAUCUS,
CHUCK ROBB,
FRANK LAUTENBERG,
CARL LEVIN,

From the Committee on Armed Services:

STROM THURMAN,

Managers on the Part of the Senate.

When said conference report was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. GOSS, the previous question was ordered on the conference report to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to said conference report?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. GOSS objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 385
Nays 36

¶128.7 [Roll No. 607]
YEAS—385

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| Abercrombie | Barrett (WI) | Blunt |
| Ackerman | Bartlett | Boehrlert |
| Aderholt | Barton | Boehner |
| Allen | Bass | Bonilla |
| Andrews | Bateman | Bono |
| Archer | Bentsen | Borski |
| Armey | Bereuter | Boswell |
| Bachus | Berman | Boucher |
| Baesler | Berry | Boyd |
| Baker | Bilbray | Brady |
| Baldacci | Bilirakis | Brown (CA) |
| Ballenger | Bishop | Brown (FL) |
| Barcia | Blagojevich | Brown (OH) |
| Barr | Bliley | Bryant |
| Barrett (NE) | Blumenauer | Bunning |

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Buyer
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Calvert
Campbell
Canady
Cannon
Cardin
Carson
Castle
Chabot
Hilleary
Chambliss
Christensen
Clay
Clayton
Clement
Holden
Clyburn
Coble
Coburn
Collins
Combest
Condit
Cook
Costello
Cox
Coyne
Cramer
Crane
Crapo
Cummings
Cunningham
Danner
Davis (FL)
Davis (VA)
Deal
DeGette
DeLauro
DeLay
Deutsch
Diaz-Balart
Dickey
Dicks
Dingell
Dixon
Doggett
Dooley
Doolittle
Doyle
Dreier
Dunn
Edwards
Ehlers
Ehrlich
Emerson
Engel
English
Ensign
Eshoo
Etheridge
Evans
Everett
Ewing
Farr
Fattah
Fawell
Fazio
Flake
Foglietta
Foley
Forbes
Ford
Fossella
Fowler
Fox
Franks (NJ)
Frelinghuysen
Frost
Gallegly
Ganske
Gejdenson
Gekas
Gephardt
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Gillmor
Gilman
Goode
Goodlatte
Goodling
Gordon
Goss
Graham
Granger
Green
Greenwood
Gutknecht
Hall (OH)
Hall (TX)

Hamilton
Hansen
Harman
Hastert
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayworth
Hefley
Hefner
Herger
Hill
Hilleary
Hilliard
Hinojosa
Hobson
Hoekstra
Holden
Hooley
Horn
Hostettler
Houghton
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hunter
Hutchinson
Hyde
Inglis
Istook
Jackson-Lee
Crapo (TX)
Jefferson
Jenkins
John
Johnson (CT)
Johnson (WI)
Johnson, E. B.
Jones
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kasich
Kelly
Kennedy (MA)
Kennedy (RI)
Kennelly
Kildee
Kilpatrick
Kim
Kind (WI)
King (NY)
Kingston
Klecza
Klink
Klug
Knollenberg
Kolbe
Kucinich
LaFalce
LaHood
Lampson
Lantos
Largent
Latham
LaTourette
Lazio
Leach
Levin
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lipinski
Livingston
LoBiondo
Lowe
Lucas
Luther
Maloney (CT)
Maloney (NY)
Manton
Manzullo
Martinez
Mascara
Matsui
McCarthy (MO)
McCarthy (NY)
McCollum
McCrery
McHale
McHugh
McInnis
McIntosh
McIntyre
McKeon
McNulty
Meehan
Meek
Menendez
Metcalf
Mica

Miller-
McDonald
Miller (FL)
Mink
Moakley
Mollohan
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Morella
Murtha
Myrick
Nadler
Nethercutt
Neumann
Ney
Northup
Norwood
Nussle
Obey
Ortiz
Oxley
Packard
Pallone
Pappas
Parker
Pascrell
Pastor
Paxon
Pease
Pelosi
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pickering
Pickett
Pitts
Pombo
Pomeroy
Porter
Portman
Poshard
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Quinn
Radanovich
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Redmond
Regula
Reyes
Riggs
Rivers
Rodriguez
Roemer
Rogan
Rogers
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Rothman
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Ryun
Sabo
Salmon
Sanchez
Sandlin
Sanford
Sawyer
Saxton
Scarborough
Schaefer, Dan
Schaffer, Bob
Schumer
Scott
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuster
Sisisky
Skaggs
Skeean
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (MI)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (OR)
Smith (TX)
Smith, Adam
Smith, Linda
Snowbarger
Snyder
Solomon
Souder
Spence

Spratt
Stabenow
Stearns
Stenholm
Strickland
Stump
Stupak
Sununu
Talent
Tanner
Tauscher
Tauzin
Taylor (MS)
Taylor (NC)
Thomas

NAYS—36

Gutierrez
Hinchee
Jackson (IL)
Lofgren
McDermott
McGovern
McKinney
Miller (CA)
Minge
Oberstar
Olver
Owens

NOT VOTING—12

Cooksey
Cubin
Gonzalez
Johnson, Sam
Markey
McDade
Neal
Riley
Schiff
Stark
Stokes
Yates

So the conference report was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said conference report was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶128.8 SUSPENSION OF THE RULES NOTICE

Mr. GOSS, pursuant to section 2 of House Resolution 305, at 10:51 a.m. announced the Speaker will recognize Members for motions to suspend the rules under clause 2 of rule XXVII, with respect to the following bills and resolution that may be considered today: H.R. 2534, Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Reauthorization Act of 1997; H. Res. 122, Expressing the Sense of the House of Representatives Regarding Tactile Curvature for the Blind and Visually Impaired; H.R. 2614, Reading Excellence Act; S. 813, Veterans' Cemetery Protection Act of 1997; S. 1139, Small Business Reauthorization Act of 1997; S. 714, Extension and Improvement of the Native American Veteran Housing Loan Pilot Program; H.R. 2513, Taxpayer Relief Act Amendments; S. 1377, American Legion Incorporation Amendment; and H.R. 2813, Medal of Honor Award to Robert R. Ingram.

¶128.9 CHARTER SCHOOLS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAHOOD, pursuant to House Resolution 288 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2616) to amend titles VI and X of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve and expand charter schools.

Mr. SNOWBARGER, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, resumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,