

full disclosure consistent with principles of openness in governmental operations, all records or documents (including legal memoranda, briefs, and motions) relating to any claims of executive privilege asserted by the President should be immediately made publicly available.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

Pursuant to House Resolution 436, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

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

Mr. DELAY 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.

It was decided in the affirmative	<table border="0"> <tr> <td>Yeas</td> <td>259</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nays</td> <td>157</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Answered present</td> <td>6</td> </tr> </table>	Yeas	259	Nays	157	Answered present	6
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49.10 [Roll No. 176] YEAS—259

Abercrombie	Dickey	Jenkins
Aderholt	Doolittle	John
Archer	Dreier	Johnson (CT)
Armey	Duncan	Johnson, Sam
Bachus	Dunn	Jones
Baesler	Ehlers	Kasich
Baker	Ehrlich	Kelly
Ballenger	Emerson	Kildee
Barcia	English	Kim
Barr	Ensign	King (NY)
Barrett (NE)	Etheridge	Kingston
Bartlett	Evans	Klug
Barton	Everett	Knollenberg
Bass	Ewing	Kolbe
Bereuter	Fawell	LaHood
Berry	Foley	Largent
Bilbray	Forbes	Latham
Bilirakis	Fossella	LaTourette
Bilely	Fowler	Lazio
Blunt	Fox	Leach
Boehlert	Franks (NJ)	Lewis (CA)
Boehner	Frelinghuysen	Lewis (KY)
Bonilla	Gallely	Linder
Bono	Ganske	Lipinski
Boswell	Gekas	Livingston
Brady (TX)	Gibbons	LoBiondo
Bryant	Gilchrest	Lucas
Bunning	Gillmor	Maloney (CT)
Burr	Gilman	Manzullo
Burton	Goode	McCarthy (NY)
Buyer	Goodlatte	McCollum
Callahan	Goodling	McCrary
Calvert	Goss	McDade
Camp	Graham	McHale
Campbell	Granger	McHugh
Canady	Green	McInnis
Cannon	Greenwood	McIntosh
Castle	Gutknecht	McIntyre
Chabot	Hall (TX)	McKeon
Chambliss	Hamilton	McKinney
Chenoweth	Hansen	Metcalf
Christensen	Hastert	Mica
Coble	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)
Coburn	Hayworth	Mink
Collins	Hefley	Moran (KS)
Combest	Herger	Morella
Condit	Hill	Myrick
Cook	Hilleary	Nethercutt
Cooksey	Hobson	Neumann
Cox	Hoekstra	Ney
Cramer	Holden	Northup
Crane	Horn	Norwood
Cubin	Hostettler	Nussle
Cunningham	Hulshof	Oxley
Danner	Hunter	Packard
Davis (VA)	Hutchinson	Pappas
Deal	Hyde	Parker
DeLay	Inglis	Pascarell
Diaz-Balart	Istook	Paul

Paxon	Sanford	Stump
Pease	Saxton	Sununu
Peterson (MN)	Scarborough	Talent
Peterson (PA)	Schaefer, Dan	Tauzin
Petri	Schaffer, Bob	Taylor (MS)
Pickering	Sensenbrenner	Taylor (NC)
Pitts	Sessions	Thomas
Pombo	Shadegg	Thornberry
Porter	Shaw	Thune
Portman	Shays	Tiahrt
Price (NC)	Sherman	Traficant
Pryce (OH)	Shimkus	Turner
Quinn	Shuster	Upton
Radanovich	Sisisky	Walsh
Ramstad	Skeen	Wamp
Redmond	Smith (MI)	Watkins
Regula	Smith (NJ)	Watts (OK)
Riggs	Smith (OR)	Weldon (FL)
Riley	Smith (TX)	Weldon (PA)
Roemer	Smith, Linda	Weller
Rogan	Snowbarger	White
Rogers	Solomon	Whitfield
Rohrabacher	Souder	Wicker
Ros-Lehtinen	Spence	Wolf
Roukema	Stabenow	Young (AK)
Royce	Stearns	Young (FL)
Ryun	Stenholm	
Salmon	Strickland	

NAYS—157

Ackerman	Gordon	Neal
Allen	Hall (OH)	Oberstar
Andrews	Hastings (FL)	Olver
Baldacci	Hefner	Ortiz
Becerra	Hilliard	Owens
Bentsen	Hinchey	Pallone
Bishop	Hinojosa	Pastor
Blagojevich	Hooley	Payne
Blumenauer	Houghton	Pelosi
Bonior	Hoyer	Pickett
Borski	Jackson (IL)	Pomeroy
Boucher	Jackson-Lee	Poshard
Boyd	(TX)	Rahall
Brady (PA)	Jefferson	Rangel
Brown (CA)	Johnson, E.B.	Reyes
Brown (FL)	Kanjorski	Rodriguez
Brown (OH)	Kennedy (MA)	Rothman
Capps	Kennedy (RI)	Roybal-Allard
Cardin	Kennelly	Rush
Carson	Kilpatrick	Sabo
Clay	Klecza	Sanchez
Clayton	Klink	Sanders
Clement	Kucinich	Sandlin
Clyburn	LaFalce	Sawyer
Conyers	Lampson	Scott
Costello	Lantos	Serrano
Coyne	Lee	Skaggs
Cummings	Levin	Skelton
Davis (FL)	Lewis (GA)	Slaughter
Davis (IL)	Lofgren	Smith, Adam
DeFazio	Lowey	Snyder
DeGette	Luther	Spratt
Delahunt	Maloney (NY)	Stark
DeLauro	Manton	Stokes
Deutsch	Markey	Stupak
Dicks	Martinez	Tanner
Dingell	Mascara	Tauscher
Dixon	Matsui	Thompson
Doggett	McCarthy (MO)	Thurman
Dooley	McGovern	Tierney
Doyle	McNulty	Towns
Edwards	Meehan	Velazquez
Engel	Meeke (FL)	Vento
Eshoo	Menendez	Visclosky
Fattah	Millender	Waters
Fazio	McDonald	Watt (NC)
Filner	Miller (CA)	Waxman
Ford	Minge	Wexler
Frank (MA)	Moakley	Weygand
Frost	Mollohan	Wise
Furse	Moran (VA)	Woolsey
Gejdenson	Murtha	Wynn
Gephardt	Nadler	Yates

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—6

Barrett (WI)	Johnson (WI)	Obey
Berman	Kind (WI)	Rivers

NOT VOTING—11

Bateman	Gutierrez	Meeks (NY)
Crapo	Harman	Schumer
Farr	Kaptur	Torres
Gonzalez	McDermott	

So the resolution was agreed to.

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

49.11 PRESIDENTIAL COOPERATION IN INVESTIGATION

Mr. ARMEY, pursuant to House Resolution 436, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 433):

Whereas approximately 90 witnesses in the campaign finance investigation have either asserted a fifth amendment privilege or fled the country to avoid testifying in congressional investigations;

Whereas prominent among those who have asserted the fifth amendment privilege or fled the country to avoid testifying are former political appointees and friends of the President of the United States, such as former Associate Attorney General Webster Hubbell; former Department of Commerce political appointee John Huang; former Presidential trade commission appointee Charlie Trie; former senior Presidential aide Mark Middleton; longtime Presidential friends James and Mochtar Riady, as well as family, friends, and associates of some of these individuals;

Whereas when the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation Louis Freeh testified before the House Government Reform and Oversight Committee on December 9, 1997, he had the following exchange with the Chairman of the Committee:

Mr. Burton: Mr. Freeh, over 65 (at that time) people have invoked the Fifth Amendment or fled the country in the course of the committee's investigation. Have you ever experienced so many unavailable witnesses in any matter in which you have prosecuted or in which you have been involved?

Mr. Freeh: Actually, I have.

Mr. Burton: You have. Give me a run-down on that real quickly.

Mr. Freeh: I spent about 16 years doing organized crime cases in New York City, and many people were frequently unavailable.

Whereas never in the recent history of congressional investigations has Congress been faced with so many witnesses who have asserted fifth amendment privileges or fled the country to avoid testifying in a congressional investigation; and

Whereas the unavailability of witnesses has severely limited the public's right to know about campaign finance violations which occurred over the past several years and related matters: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That—

(1) the House of Representatives urges the President of the United States to immediately call upon his friends, former associates and appointees, and the associates of those individuals, who have asserted fifth amendment privileges or fled the country to avoid testifying in congressional investigations, to come forward and testify fully and truthfully before the relevant committees of Congress; and

(2) that the President of the United States should use all legal means at his disposal to compel people who have left the country to return and cooperate with the investigation.

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The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

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

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

A quorum not being present,