

Napolitano	Salmon	Taylor (MS)
Neal	Sanchez	Thompson (CA)
Oberstar	Sanders	Thompson (MS)
Obey	Sandlin	Thurman
Oliver	Sanford	Tierney
Owens	Sawyer	Toomey
Pallone	Schaffer	Towns
Pascarell	Schakowsky	Turner
Pastor	Scott	Udall (CO)
Paul	Sensenbrenner	Udall (NM)
Payne	Sherman	Upton
Pelosi	Sisisky	Velazquez
Peterson (MN)	Skelton	Vento
Phelps	Slaughter	Visclosky
Pickett	Smith (WA)	Waters
Pomeroy	Snyder	Watt (NC)
Price (NC)	Spratt	Waxman
Rahall	Stabenow	Weiner
Rangel	Stark	Wexler
Rivers	Stenholm	Weygand
Roemer	Strickland	Wise
Rothman	Stupak	Woolsey
Roybal-Allard	Tancredo	Wu
Rush	Tanner	Wynn
Sabo	Tauscher	

NOT VOTING—7

Bilbray	McDermott	Reyes
Kleczka	Mollohan	
Lantos	Peterson (PA)	

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby 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.

91.31 SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE REPORT—H.R. 2587

Mr. ISTOOK submitted a conference report (Rept. No. 106-299) on the bill (H.R. 2587) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

91.32 FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A further message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 167. Concurrent resolution authorizing the Architect of the Capitol to permit temporary construction and other work on the Capitol Grounds that may be necessary for construction of a building on Constitution Avenue Northwest, between 2nd Street Northwest and Louisiana Avenue Northwest.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the committee on conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2488) "An Act to provide for reconciliation pursuant to sections 105 and 211 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2000."

The message also announced that the Senate has passed a bill and a concurrent resolution of the following titles in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1543. An Act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to release and protect the release of tobacco production and marketing information.

S. Con. Res. 51. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment or recess of the Senate and a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives.

91.33 PERMISSION TO FILE REPORT

On motion of Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Commerce was granted permission until midnight, Tuesday, September 7, 1999, to file reports on the bills (H.R. 1714) to facilitate the use of electronic records and signatures in interstate or foreign commerce; (H.R. 1858) to promote electronic commerce through improved access for consumers to electronic databases, including securities market information databases; (H.R. 486) to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to require the Federal Communications Commission to preserve low-power television stations that provide community broadcasting, and for other purposes; (H.R. 2130) to amend the Controlled Substances Act to add gamma hydroxybutyric acid and ketamine to the schedules of control substances, to provide for a national awareness campaign, and for other purposes; and (H.R. 2506) to amend title IX of the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research.

91.34 ORDER OF BUSINESS— CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1905

On motion of Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That it may be in order at any time on the legislative day of August 5, 1999, to consider the conference report to accompany H.R. 1905, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000; the conference report be considered as read and all points of order against its consideration be waived, and; the previous question be ordered to final adoption without intervening motion except 20 minutes of debate, equally divided and controlled by the Chairman and Ranking Minority Member of the Committee on Appropriations or their designees and one motion to recommit.

91.35 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2684

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 275):

*Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2684) making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order against

provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: beginning with "Provided" on page 70, line 15, through "Act:" on line 22; and page 93, lines 1 through 6. Where points of order are waived against part of a paragraph, points of order against a provision in another part of such paragraph may be made only against such provision and not against the entire paragraph. Before consideration of any other amendment it shall be in order to consider the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, which may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, may amend portions of the bill not yet read for amendment, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. Points of order against the amendment printed in the report for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for further amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, moved the previous question on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House now order the previous question?

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

Mr. MOAKLEY 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 6, rule XX, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas ..... 217  
Nays ..... 208

91.36 [Roll No. 388] YEAS—217

Aderholt	Barrett (NE)	Bilirakis
Archer	Bartlett	Bliley
Armey	Barton	Blunt
Bachus	Bass	Boehkert
Baker	Bateman	Boehner
Ballenger	Bereuter	Bonilla
Barr	Biggert	Bono

Brady (TX)	Hefley	Quinn
Bryant	Heger	Radanovich
Burr	Hill (MT)	Ramstad
Burton	Hilleary	Regula
Buyer	Hobson	Reynolds
Callahan	Hoekstra	Riley
Calvert	Horn	Rogan
Camp	Hostettler	Rogers
Campbell	Houghton	Rohrabacher
Canady	Hulshof	Ros-Lehtinen
Cannon	Hunter	Roukema
Castle	Hutchinson	Royce
Chabot	Hyde	Ryan (WI)
Chambliss	Isakson	Ryun (KS)
Chenoweth	Istook	Salmon
Coble	Jenkins	Sanford
Coburn	Johnson (CT)	Saxton
Collins	Johnson, Sam	Scarborough
Combest	Jones (NC)	Schaffer
Cook	Kasich	Sensenbrenner
Cooksey	Kelly	Sessions
Cox	King (NY)	Shadegg
Crane	Kingston	Shaw
Cubin	Knollenberg	Shays
Cunningham	Kolbe	Sherwood
Davis (VA)	Kuykendall	Shimkus
Deal	LaHood	Shuster
DeLay	Largent	Simpson
DeMint	Latham	Skeen
Diaz-Balart	LaTourette	Smith (MI)
Dickey	Lazio	Smith (NJ)
Doolittle	Lewis (CA)	Smith (TX)
Dreier	Lewis (KY)	Souder
Duncan	LoBiondo	Spence
Dunn	Lucas (OK)	Stearns
Ehlers	Manzullo	Stump
Ehrlich	McCollum	Sununu
Emerson	McCrery	Sweeney
English	McHugh	Talent
Everett	McInnis	Tancredo
Ewing	McIntosh	Tauzin
Fletcher	McKeon	Taylor (NC)
Foley	Metcaif	Terry
Fossella	Mica	Thomas
Fowler	Miller (FL)	Thornberry
Franks (NJ)	Miller, Gary	Thune
Frelinghuysen	Miller (KS)	Tiahrt
Galleghy	Morella	Toomey
Ganske	Myrick	Upton
Gekas	Nethercutt	Vitter
Gibbons	Ney	Walden
Gilchrest	Northup	Walsh
Gillmor	Norwood	Wamp
Gilman	Nussle	Watkins
Goodlatte	Ose	Watts (OK)
Goodling	Oxley	Weldon (FL)
Goss	Packard	Weldon (PA)
Graham	Paul	Weller
Granger	Pease	Whitfield
Green (WI)	Petri	Wicker
Greenwood	Pickering	Wilson
Gutknecht	Pitts	Wolf
Hansen	Pombo	Young (AK)
Hastings (WA)	Porter	Young (FL)
Hayes	Portman	
Hayworth	Pryce (OH)	

NAYS—208

Abercrombie	Condit	Frost
Ackerman	Conyers	Gejdenson
Allen	Costello	Gephardt
Andrews	Coyne	Gonzalez
Baird	Cramer	Goode
Baldacci	Crowley	Gordon
Baldwin	Cummings	Green (TX)
Barcia	Danner	Gutierrez
Barrett (WI)	Davis (FL)	Hall (OH)
Becerra	Davis (IL)	Hall (TX)
Bentsen	DeFazio	Hastings (FL)
Berkley	DeGette	Hill (IN)
Berman	Delahunt	Hilliard
Berry	DeLauro	Hinchev
Bishop	Deutsch	Hinojosa
Blagojevich	Dicks	Hoefl
Blumenauer	Dingell	Holden
Bonior	Dixon	Holt
Borski	Doggett	Hooley
Boswell	Dooley	Hoyer
Boucher	Doyle	Inslee
Boyd	Edwards	Jackson (IL)
Brady (PA)	Engel	Jackson-Lee
Brown (FL)	Eshoo	(TX)
Brown (OH)	Etheridge	Jefferson
Capps	Evans	John
Capuano	Farr	Johnson, E. B.
Cardin	Fattah	Jones (OH)
Carson	Filner	Kanjorski
Clayton	Forbes	Kaptur
Clement	Ford	Kennedy
Clyburn	Frank (MA)	Kildee

Kilpatrick	Moore	Sherman
Kind (WI)	Moran (VA)	Shows
Kleczka	Murtha	Sisisky
Klink	Nadler	Skelton
Kucinich	Napolitano	Slaughter
LaFalce	Neal	Smith (WA)
Lampson	Oberstar	Snyder
Larson	Obey	Spratt
Lee	Olver	Stabenow
Levin	Ortiz	Stark
Lewis (GA)	Owens	Stenholm
Lipinski	Pallone	Strickland
Lofgren	Pascrell	Stupak
Lowe	Pastor	Tanner
Lucas (KY)	Payne	Tauscher
Luther	Pelosi	Taylor (MS)
Maloney (CT)	Peterson (MN)	Thompson (CA)
Maloney (NY)	Phelps	Thompson (MS)
Markey	Pickett	Thurman
Martinez	Pomeroy	Tierney
Mascara	Price (NC)	Towns
Matsui	Rahall	Trafficant
McCarthy (MO)	Rangel	Turner
McCarthy (NY)	Reyes	Udall (CO)
McGovern	Rivers	Udall (NM)
McIntyre	Rodriguez	Velazquez
McKinney	Roemer	Vento
McNulty	Rothman	Visclosky
Meehan	Roybal-Allard	Waters
Meek (FL)	Rush	Watt (NC)
Meeks (NY)	Sabo	Waxman
Menendez	Sanchez	Weiner
Millender-McDonald	Sanders	Wexler
Miller, George	Sandlin	Weygand
Minge	Sawyer	Wise
Mink	Schakowsky	Woolsey
Moakley	Scott	Wu
	Serrano	Wynn

NOT VOTING—8

Bilbray	Leach	Mollohan
Clay	Linder	Peterson (PA)
Lantos	McDermott	

So the previous question on the resolution was ordered.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to said resolution?

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

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.

91.37 ORDER OF BUSINESS—FUTHER PROCEEDINGS ON THE MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES ON H.R. 1905

The Speaker pro tempore, Mr. QUINN, announced pursuant to clause 8(a)(2)(C) of rule XX, with the filing of the conference report on the bill (H.R. 1905) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes, proceedings will not resume on the motion to instruct conferees considered last evening on which further proceedings had been postponed.

91.38 LEGISLATIVE BRANCH APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, pursuant to the previous order of the House, called up the following conference report (Rept. No. 106-290):

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1905) "making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes", having met, after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their respective Houses as follows: Amendment numbered 1:

That the House recede from its disagreement to the amendment of the Senate numbered 1, and agree to the same with an amendment, as follows:

In lieu of the matter proposed, insert:

SENATE

EXPENSE ALLOWANCES

For expense allowances of the Vice President, \$10,000; the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, \$10,000; Majority Leader of the Senate, \$10,000; Minority Leader of the Senate, \$10,000; Majority Whip of the Senate, \$5,000; Minority Whip of the Senate, \$5,000; and Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees, \$3,000 for each Chairman; in all, \$56,000.

REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCES FOR THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

For representation allowances of the Majority and Minority Leaders of the Senate, \$15,000 for each such Leader; in all, \$30,000.

SALARIES, OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

For compensation of officers, employees, and others as authorized by law, including agency contributions, \$89,968,000, which shall be paid from this appropriation without regard to the below limitations, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

For the Office of the Vice President, \$1,721,000.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

For the Office of the President Pro Tempore, \$437,000.

OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

For Offices of the Majority and Minority Leaders, \$2,644,000.

OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS

For Offices of the Majority and Minority Whips, \$1,634,000.

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

For salaries of the Committee on Appropriations, \$6,525,000.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

For the Conference of the Majority and the Conference of the Minority, at rates of compensation to be fixed by the Chairman of each such committee, \$1,132,000 for each such committee; in all, \$2,264,000.

OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE MAJORITY AND THE CONFERENCE OF THE MINORITY

For Offices of the Secretaries of the Conference of the Majority and the Conference of the Minority, \$590,000.

POLICY COMMITTEES

For salaries of the Majority Policy Committee and the Minority Policy Committee, \$1,151,000 for each such committee; in all, \$2,302,000.

OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN

For Office of the Chaplain, \$277,000.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

For Office of the Secretary, \$14,202,000.

OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER

For Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper, \$34,794,000.

OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY

For Offices of the Secretary for the Majority and the Secretary for the Minority, \$1,246,000.

AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS AND RELATED EXPENSES

For agency contributions for employee benefits, as authorized by law, and related expenses, \$21,332,000.

OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL OF THE SENATE

For salaries and expenses of the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate, \$3,901,000.

OFFICE OF SENATE LEGAL COUNSEL

For salaries and expenses of the Office of Senate Legal Counsel, \$1,035,000.