

on House Resolution 287, by the yeas and nays; adoption of House Resolution 287, if ordered; and the motion to suspend the rules on H.R. 802, by the yeas and nays.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

**PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2017, DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2012**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on ordering the previous question on the resolution (H. Res. 287) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2017) making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, and for other purposes, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 235, nays 186, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 381]

YEAS—235

Adams	Crenshaw	Harris
Aderholt	Culbertson	Hartzler
Akin	Davis (KY)	Hastings (WA)
Alexander	Denham	Hayworth
Amash	Dent	Heck
Austria	DesJarlais	Hensarling
Bachmann	Diaz-Balart	Herger
Bachus	Dold	Herrera Beutler
Barletta	Dreier	Huelskamp
Bartlett	Duffy	Huizenga (MI)
Barton (TX)	Duncan (SC)	Hultgren
Bass (NH)	Duncan (TN)	Hunter
Benishkek	Ellmers	Hurt
Berg	Emerson	Issa
Biggert	Farenthold	Jenkins
Billray	Fincher	Johnson (IL)
Billirakis	Fitzpatrick	Johnson (OH)
Bishop (UT)	Flake	Johnson, Sam
Black	Fleischmann	Jones
Blackburn	Fleming	Jordan
Bonner	Flores	Kelly
Bono Mack	Forbes	King (IA)
Boustany	Fortenberry	King (NY)
Brady (TX)	Fox	Kingston
Brooks	Franks (AZ)	Kinzinger (IL)
Broun (GA)	Frelinghuysen	Kline
Buchanan	Gallely	Labrador
Bucshon	Gardner	Lamborn
Buerkle	Garrett	Lance
Burgess	Gerlach	Landry
Burton (IN)	Gibbs	Lankford
Calvert	Gibson	Latham
Camp	Gingrey (GA)	LaTourette
Campbell	Goodlatte	Latta
Canseco	Gosar	Lewis (CA)
Cantor	Gowdy	LoBiondo
Capito	Granger	Long
Carter	Graves (GA)	Luetkemeyer
Cassidy	Graves (MO)	Lummis
Chabot	Griffin (AR)	Lungren, Daniel
Chaffetz	Griffith (VA)	E.
Coble	Grimm	Mack
Coffman (CO)	Guinta	Marchant
Cole	Guthrie	Marino
Conaway	Hall	McCarthy (CA)
Cravaack	Hanna	McCaul
Crawford	Harper	McClintock

McCotter	Reed	Simpson
McHenry	Rehberg	Smith (NE)
McKeon	Reichert	Smith (NJ)
McKinley	Renacci	Smith (TX)
McMorris	Ribble	Southerland
Rodgers	Rigell	Stearns
Meehan	Rivera	Stivers
Mica	Roby	Stutzman
Miller (FL)	Roe (TN)	Sullivan
Miller (MI)	Rogers (AL)	Terry
Miller, Gary	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (PA)
Mulvaney	Rogers (MI)	Thornberry
Murphy (PA)	Rohrabacher	Tiberi
Neugebauer	Rokita	Tipton
Noem	Rooney	Turner
Nugent	Ros-Lehtinen	Upton
Nunes	Roskam	Walberg
Nunnelee	Ross (FL)	Walden
Olson	Royce	Walsh (IL)
Palazzo	Runyan	Webster
Paul	Ryan (WI)	West
Paulsen	Scalise	Westmoreland
Pearce	Schilling	Whitfield
Pence	Schmidt	Wilson (SC)
Petri	Schock	Wittman
Pitts	Schweikert	Wolf
Platts	Scott (SC)	Womack
Poe (TX)	Scott, Austin	Woodall
Pompeo	Sensenbrenner	Yoder
Posey	Sessions	Young (AK)
Price (GA)	Shimkus	Young (FL)
Quayle	Shuster	Young (IN)

NAYS—186

Ackerman	Engel	McNerney
Altmire	Eshoo	Meeks
Andrews	Farr	Michaud
Baca	Fattah	Miller (NC)
Baldwin	Filner	Miller, George
Barrow	Frank (MA)	Moore
Bass (CA)	Fudge	Moran
Becerra	Garamendi	Murphy (CT)
Berkley	Green, Al	Nadler
Berman	Green, Gene	Napolitano
Bishop (GA)	Grijalva	Neal
Bishop (NY)	Gutierrez	Olver
Blumenauer	Hanabusa	Owens
Boren	Hastings (FL)	Pallone
Boswell	Heinrich	Pascrell
Brady (PA)	Higgins	Pastor (AZ)
Bralely (IA)	Himes	Payne
Brown (FL)	Hinchev	Pelosi
Butterfield	Hinojosa	Perlmutter
Capps	Hiron	Peters
Capuano	Holden	Peterson
Cardoza	Holt	Pingree (ME)
Carnahan	Honda	Polis
Carney	Hoyer	Price (NC)
Carson (IN)	Inslee	Quigley
Castor (FL)	Israel	Rahall
Chandler	Jackson (IL)	Rangel
Chu	Jackson Lee	Reyes
Cicilline	(TX)	Richardson
Clarke (MI)	Johnson (GA)	Richmond
Clarke (NY)	Johnson, E. B.	Ross (AR)
Clay	Kaptur	Rothman (NJ)
Cleaver	Keating	Roybal-Allard
Clyburn	Kildee	Ruppersberger
Cohen	Kind	Rush
Connelly (VA)	Kissell	Ryan (OH)
Conyers	Kucinich	Sanchez, Linda
Cooper	Langevin	T.
Costa	Larsen (WA)	Sanchez, Loretta
Costello	Larson (CT)	Sarbanes
Courtney	Lee (CA)	Schakowsky
Critz	Levin	Schiff
Crowley	Lewis (GA)	Schrader
Cuellar	Lipinski	Scott (VA)
Cummings	Loeb sack	Scott, David
Davis (CA)	Lofgren, Zoe	Serrano
Davis (IL)	Lowe	Sewell
DeFazio	Lujan	Sherman
DeGette	Lynch	Shuler
DeLauro	Maloney	Sires
Deutch	Markey	Slaughter
Dicks	Matheson	Smith (WA)
Dingell	Matsui	Speier
Doggett	McCarthy (NY)	Stark
Donnelly (IN)	McCollum	Sutton
Doyle	McDermott	Thompson (CA)
Edwards	McGovern	Thompson (MS)
Ellison	McIntyre	Tonko

Towns	Waters	Wilson (FL)
Tsongas	Watt	Woolsey
Van Hollen	Waxman	Wu
Velázquez	Weiner	Yarmuth
Visclosky	Welch	

NOT VOTING—10

Giffords	Manzullo	Walz (MN)
Gohmert	Myrick	Wasserman
Gonzalez	Schwartz	Schultz
Lucas	Tierney	

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Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania and Ms. SEWELL changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE**

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives: MAY 27, 2011.

Hon. JOHN BOEHNER, Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of a letter received from Mr. Robert Brehm and Ms. Kimberly Galvin on behalf of Mr. Todd Valentine, Co-Executive Directors, New York State Board of Elections, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held May 24, 2011, the Honorable Kathy Courtney Hochul was elected Representative to Congress for the Twenty-Sixth Congressional District, State of New York.

With best wishes, I am Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS, Clerk.

STATE OF NEW YORK, STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS, Albany, NY, May 27, 2011.

Hon. KAREN L. HAAS, Clerk, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR Ms. HAAS: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Tuesday, May 24, 2011, for Representative in Congress from the Twenty-Sixth Congressional District of New York, show that Kathy Courtney Hochul received 50,890, Jane Corwin received 45,501, Jack Davis received 9,658 and Ian L. Murphy received 1,128 of the total number of votes cast for that office.

It would appear from these unofficial results that Kathy Courtney Hochul was elected as Representative in Congress from the Twenty-Sixth Congressional District of New York.

To the best of our knowledge and belief at this time, there is no contest to this election.

As soon as official results are certified to this office by all county boards in the Twenty-Sixth Congressional District in New York involved, an official Certification of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law.

Sincerely, ROBERT A. BREHM, KIMBERLY GALVIN.

28th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT—UNOFFICIAL RESULTS

[Recap]

PARTY	CANDIDATE	Part of Erie	Genesee	Livingston	Part of Monroe	Part of Niag-ara	Part of Orle-ans	Wyoming	Total
DEM	Kathy Courtney Hochul	20,953	3,052	3,016	8,018	7,495	1,269	1,993	45,796
WOR	Kathy Courtney Hochul	2,083	325	396	891	1,056	124	219	5,094
TOTAL	Kathy Courtney Hochul	23,036	3,377	3,412	8,909	8,551	1,393	2,212	50,890
REP	Jane L. Corwin	13,226	2,903	2,956	6,293	5,340	1,269	2,405	34,392
CON	Jane L. Corwin	2,815	786	707	2,288	1,363	280	592	8,831
IND	Jane L. Corwin	781	178	205	479	412	77	146	2,278
TOTAL	Jane L. Corwin	16,822	3,867	3,868	9,060	7,115	1,626	3,143	45,501
GRE	Ian L. Murphy	167	106	206	376	140	49	84	1,128
TEA	Jack Davis	2,801	1,277	673	1,681	2,167	384	675	9,658

26th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT—Unofficial Results

PARTY	CANDIDATE	100% Part of Erie	100% Genesee	100% Livingston	100% Part of Monroe	100% Part of Niag-ara	100% Part of Orle-ans	100% Wyoming	Total
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	BLANK & VOID	53	22	4	22	0	5	0	106
	SCATTERING	65	53	26	76	33	13	15	281
TOTALS		42,944	8,702	8,189	20,124	18,006	3,470	6,129	107,564

**SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE KATHLEEN C. HOCHUL, OF NEW YORK, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE**

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentlewoman from New York, the Honorable KATHLEEN COURTNEY HOCHUL, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

As pointed out, her certificate of election has not arrived, but there is no contest and no question has been raised with regard to her election.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. Will Representative-elect Hochul and the members of the New York delegation present themselves in the well.

All Members will rise and the Representative-elect will please raise her right hand.

Ms. HOCHUL appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office, as follows:

Do you solemnly swear that you will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that you will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that you take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that you will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which you are about to enter, so help you God.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations, you are now a Member of the 112th Congress.

**WELCOMING THE HONORABLE KATHLEEN C. HOCHUL TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the gentleman from New York is recognized for 1 minute.

There was no objection.

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, I ask that the gentleman from New York, PETER KING, join with me at this time.

It is a great honor for us at this time to present to you a young lady who did it the hard way. She's earned it. She's here with her husband, Bill, her mother, Pat, her dad, Jack. Bill and Katie, the children, are here. And symbolic of what a great country that we have during this time, a person with her credentials can go to the voters, and show that in this great country of ours, the people govern.

In order to give her the bipartisan support that she truly deserves, I would like to yield at this time to my friend, PETER KING.

Mr. KING of New York. I thank the gentleman for yielding. Let me just join all of you in welcoming Ms. HOCHUL to the House of Representatives.

Congresswoman, we look forward to working with you on behalf of our Nation and our State, and on behalf of all the Republicans in our delegation, we wish you the very best of luck.

Mr. RANGEL. I present to you Congresswoman KATHLEEN COURTNEY HOCHUL.

The SPEAKER. The gentlewoman from New York is recognized.

Ms. HOCHUL. Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Mr. RANGEL and Mr. KING.

It is truly an honor and a privilege to be here on the floor of the U.S. House

of Representatives where I will serve the people of the 26th District of the State of New York. I promise to work for them tirelessly every single day, and I will continue to fight for them with every breath I have.

And I look forward to working with each of you in the spirit of bipartisanship and cooperation as we work toward a brighter future and a stronger America.

This is a proud day for my family and for me as we begin this new chapter in our lives, a chapter I hope to fill with accomplishments that will serve the people of my district as well as all of your districts.

But before I begin this journey, I must thank the people who helped me get where I am today.

To the people of the 26th Congressional District, I am humbled by your support and the faith that you have placed in me. To my family—my husband of 27 years, Bill, you are my rock and my inspiration, honey; to my son, Billy; my daughter, Katie; my parents, Jack and Pat Courtney; my brothers and my sister, Sheila, who worked tirelessly throughout this entire campaign.

A special thanks to the New York congressional delegation, both our Senators and the dozens of Congressmen who supported us throughout this election.

Thanks go to my incredible campaign team and thousands and thousands of supporters and volunteers who worked tirelessly throughout this election, and to one of my great mentors, John LaFalce, whom I was honored to serve many years ago.