

Mr. DELLUMS. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were yeas—235, nays 149, not voting 49, as follows:

[Roll No. 166]

YEAS—235

Abercrombie	Frelinghuysen	Moorhead
Allard	Frisa	Murtha
Archer	Frost	Myers
Armey	Funderburk	Myrick
Bachus	Gekas	Nethercutt
Ballenger	Geren	Neumann
Barr	Gilchrest	Ney
Barrett (NE)	Gillmor	Norwood
Bartlett	Gilman	Nussle
Barton	Goodlatte	Oberstar
Bass	Goodling	Ortiz
Bateman	Goss	Oxley
Bereuter	Graham	Packard
Bilbray	Green (TX)	Parker
Bilirakis	Greene (UT)	Petri
Bliley	Greenwood	Pombo
Blute	Gutknecht	Porter
Boehlert	Hall (TX)	Pryce
Bonilla	Hancock	Quillen
Bono	Hansen	Quinn
Brewster	Hastert	Radanovich
Browder	Hastings (WA)	Rangel
Brown (FL)	Hayworth	Regula
Bryant (TN)	Hefley	Richardson
Bunning	Hefner	Riggs
Burr	Heineman	Rogers
Burton	Hilleary	Rohrabacher
Buyer	Hobson	Rose
Callahan	Hoekstra	Roth
Calvert	Horn	Royce
Camp	Hostettler	Salmon
Campbell	Houghton	Saxton
Canady	Hunter	Schaefer
Chabot	Hutchinson	Schiff
Chambliss	Hyde	Seastrand
Chenoweth	Inglis	Sensenbrenner
Christensen	Istook	Shadegg
Chrysler	Johnson, E. B.	Shaw
Clayton	Johnson, Sam	Shuster
Clement	Kasich	Sisisky
Clinger	Kelly	Skeen
Coble	Kennedy (RI)	Smith (MI)
Coburn	Kim	Smith (TX)
Coleman	King	Smith (WA)
Collins (GA)	Kingston	Solomon
Combest	Klink	Souder
Cooley	Klug	Spence
Cox	Knollenberg	Stearns
Cramer	Kolbe	Stenholm
Crane	LaHood	Stockman
Crapo	Largent	Stump
Cremeans	Latham	Talent
Cubin	LaTourette	Tate
Davis	Lazio	Tauzin
de la Garza	Leach	Taylor (MS)
Deal	Lewis (CA)	Taylor (NC)
DeLay	Lewis (KY)	Tejeda
Diaz-Balart	Lightfoot	Thomas
Dixon	Linder	Thompson
Doolittle	Livingston	Thornberry
Dornan	LoBiondo	Torkildsen
Dreier	Longley	Trafficant
Duncan	Lucas	Vucanovich
Dunn	Manton	Walker
Edwards	Manzullo	Walsh
Ehlers	McCollum	Wamp
Ehrlich	McCrery	Waters
Emerson	McHale	Watts (OK)
English	McHugh	Weldon (FL)
Everett	McInnis	White
Ewing	McIntosh	Whitfield
Fawell	McKeon	Wicker
Flanagan	Meek	Wilson
Foley	Metcalf	Wolf
Forbes	Meyers	Young (AK)
Fowler	Mica	Young (FL)
Fox	Miller (FL)	
Franks (CT)	Mollohan	
Franks (NJ)	Montgomery	

NAYS—149

Ackerman	Gutierrez	Pallone
Andrews	Hamilton	Pastor
Baessler	Harman	Payne (NJ)
Baldacci	Hastings (FL)	Payne (VA)
Barcia	Hilliard	Pelosi
Barrett (WI)	Hinchey	Peterson (FL)
Becerra	Hoke	Peterson (MN)
Beilenson	Hoyer	Pickett
Bentsen	Jackson (IL)	Pomeroy
Bishop	Jackson-Lee	Poshard
Bonior	(TX)	Rahall
Borski	Jacobs	Reed
Boucher	Johnson (CT)	Rivers
Brown (CA)	Johnson (SD)	Roemer
Bryant (TX)	Johnston	Roybal-Allard
Bunn	Kanjorski	Rush
Cardin	Kennedy (MA)	Sabo
Castle	Kennelly	Sanders
Chapman	Kildee	Sanford
Clyburn	Klecza	Sawyer
Collins (MI)	LaFalce	Schumer
Condit	Lantos	Scott
Costello	Levin	Serrano
Coyne	Lewis (GA)	Shays
Cummings	Lincoln	Skaggs
Danner	Lipinski	Slaughter
DeFazio	Lofgren	Smith (NJ)
DeLauro	Lowey	Spratt
Dellums	Luther	Stark
Deutsch	Maloney	Stokes
Dingell	Martinez	Studds
Doggett	Martini	Thurman
Doyle	Mascara	Torres
Durbin	Matsui	Torricelli
Engel	McCarthy	Towns
Eshoo	McDermott	Upton
Evans	McKinney	Velazquez
Farr	McNulty	Vento
Fattah	Meehan	Visclosky
Fazio	Millender	Volkmer
Fields (LA)	McDonald	Ward
Filner	Minge	Watt (NC)
Flake	Mink	Waxman
Foglietta	Moran	Weller
Frank (MA)	Morella	Wise
Furse	Nadler	Woolsey
Ganske	Neal	Wynn
Gephardt	Obey	Yates
Gibbons	Olver	Zimmer
Gonzalez	Orton	
Gordon	Owens	

NOT VOTING—49

Baker (CA)	Gallegly	Paxon
Baker (LA)	Gejdenson	Portman
Berman	Gunderson	Roberts
Bevill	Hall (OH)	Ros-Lehtinen
Boehner	Hayes	Roukema
Brown (OH)	Herger	Scarborough
Brownback	Holden	Schroeder
Clay	Jefferson	Skelton
Collins (IL)	Jones	Stupak
Conyers	Kaptur	Tanner
Cunningham	Laughlin	Thornton
Dickey	Markey	Tiahrt
Dicks	McDade	Weldon (PA)
Dooley	Menendez	Williams
Ensign	Miller (CA)	Zeliff
Fields (TX)	Moakley	
Ford	Molinari	

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The Clerk announced the following pairs:

On this vote:

Mr. Dicks for, with Mr. Moakley against.

Mr. Herger for, with Mrs. Collins of Illinois against.

Mr. Scarborough for, with Mr. Conyers against.

Mrs. KENNELLY and Mr. SANFORD changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. I would have voted "aye" on House Resolution 430 if I had been present for this vote.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

(Mr. BONIOR asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, I yield to the distinguished majority whip to inquire of the schedule for the rest of the week and for next week.

Mr. DELAY. I am pleased to announce that we have concluded our legislative business for the week.

On Monday, May 13, the House will not be in session. On Tuesday, May 14, the House will meet at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2 p.m. for legislative business. Members should note that we do not anticipate votes until after 5 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14.

Mr. Speaker, on Tuesday next, we will consider a number of bills under suspension of the rules. I will not read through the list at this time, but a complete schedule will be distributed to all Members' offices this afternoon.

After consideration of the suspensions, we will take up H.R. 3230, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1997, the rule for which was just passed today.

On Wednesday, May 15, the House will meet at 9 a.m. and recess immediately for the Former Members' Day annual meeting. We expect to resume legislative business by 10 a.m. and complete consideration of H.R. 3230, the National Defense Authorization bill.

On Thursday, May 16, the House will meet at 10 a.m. to consider the fiscal year 1997 budget resolution.

Mr. Speaker, we should finish legislative business and have Members on their way home by 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 16.

I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. BONIOR. I thank the gentleman for the information and would ask him if he plans to consider next week either of these two bills, the ballistic missile defense bill or the United Nations command and control bill.

Mr. DELAY. We do not anticipate consideration of either of those bills next week.

Mr. ROEMER. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. BONIOR. I yield to the gentleman from Indiana.

Mr. ROEMER. Mr. Speaker, I would just like to ask the distinguished gentleman from Texas a few questions. As we enter into the weekend and Mother's Day, certainly many of us are glad that we are out now to spend time in our home districts and see our families. We would just like to be able to next week have a certain schedule, so that it is not a repeat of this week when the gentleman told us that we would start votes at 2 and be out at 6 on Tuesday, and then we did not start votes until 7 and we were going until about 11.

Certainly on Tuesday of next week, from the distinguished majority leader's comments to us, he said we would come in at 12:30 and start votes at 5.

Does the gentleman know what time, then, that we will conclude business Tuesday night? Will it be 10 or 11? We certainly do not mind working hard Tuesday night, but if we could just have some certainty as to what the time is.

Mr. DELAY. If the gentleman will yield further, the gentleman's concerns are well founded. We found ourselves in circumstances that were beyond our control that caused us to work later than we anticipated this week. But I think the gentleman can count on, at least Tuesday night, going until 10 or 11 at night. We hope to get through the general debate on the defense bill and start votes somewhere around 5 and go until 10 or 11 Tuesday night.

Mr. ROEMER. If the gentleman will continue to yield, would the gentleman from Texas be open to starting much earlier in the morning Tuesday, instead of starting at 12:30, start working, like people in Indiana, about 7:30, 8 a.m. in the morning, and we get business going then to get into this complicated defense bill?

Mr. DELAY. I understand the gentleman's suggestion. I appreciate the suggestion. I do not think other Members would, in that we are trying to hold to the schedules as announced many weeks ago. And Members, particularly those Members from the West Coast, need the time to get here by 5 o'clock Tuesday night or they would have to fly the "red eye" Monday night.

It is an announced schedule, it has been preannounced. Members have already planned their schedules back in their districts, and I think it would be very difficult to start earlier.

Mr. ROEMER. I thank the gentleman.

Mr. BONIOR. I have another question on the schedule. There have been discussions and rumors on the floor that the 3 days at the end of the week, the last week of May, the 29th, 30th and 31st, might be days that the House may not meet.

Can the gentleman enlighten us on the schedule in the latter part of the Memorial Day weekend schedule?

Mr. DELAY. If the gentleman will yield further, right now we are hoping to get our work done on the appropriations bills, and those 3 days, at least at this point, we are planning on using to pass appropriations bills. So we anticipate working those 3 days.

Mr. ENGEL. Mr. Speaker, will the gentlemen yield?

Mr. BONIOR. I yield to the gentleman from New York.

Mr. ENGEL. I thank the gentleman for yielding. I would like to ask the gentleman from Texas a little more clarification about Tuesday night.

Does he anticipate votes Tuesday night on the Defense Authorization Act as well as the others?

Mr. DELAY. If the gentleman will yield further, that is correct. There

will be amendments to the Defense Authorization Act as laid out in the rule, and we anticipate votes on those amendments.

Mr. ENGEL. On Tuesday night?

Mr. DELAY. On Tuesday night, starting about 5. The votes could come as soon as 5.

Mr. ENGEL. So not just votes Tuesday night on the suspensions, votes also on the Defense bill?

Mr. DELAY. That is correct.

Mr. ENGEL. I thank the gentleman.

Mr. BONIOR. I thank the gentleman from Texas.

ADJOURNMENT TO TUESDAY, MAY 14, 1996

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14, 1996, for morning hour debates.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATHAM). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

DISPENSING WITH CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

HOUR OF MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 1996

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns on Tuesday, May 14, 1996, it adjourn to meet at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, May 15, for the purpose of receiving in this Chamber former Members of Congress.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF 60-MINUTE SPECIAL ORDER IN TRIBUTE TO MEDAL OF HONOR WINNER ADMIRAL JOHN BULKELEY AND AVAILABILITY OF TAPE

(Mr. DORNAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DORNAN. Mr. Speaker, two items. No. 1, on the first special order tonight, and I will be doing an hour tribute to a man who was a legend in his life, a living Navy legend up until a few weeks ago, Admiral John Duncan Bulkeley, Medal of Honor winner, the man who took General MacArthur off Corregidor. Fifty-five years on Navy

active duty and not a single member of this administration showed up at his funeral.

Ron Brown, a pleasant chap, got a week of orations and eulogies. Nothing for this Medal of Honor winner. No Senators, no other Congressmen but myself, no Secretaries of the Navy or former Secretaries of the Navy. It was just astounding to me that this great man was all but ignored. I am doing a 1-hour tribute to him today.

Also in my office is available for any Member who wants it, any Senator who wants it, a short tape, 5 or 6 minutes, about a near orgy held in the Federal Building down Constitution, and permission was given by some people on this Hill. See this tape to see what is happening with Federal buildings and homosexual galas.

MINIMUM WAGE AND PENTAGON PORK

(Ms. MCKINNEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. MCKINNEY. Mr. Speaker, we've just passed the rule for the Defense Authorization bill.

Soon we will be voting on the Department of Defense's authorization bill. In that bill, Republican leaders have decided to give the Pentagon \$13 billion more than it asked for. At the same time, however, the Republican leadership insists on making deep cuts in Medicare, Medicaid, education, and the environment in their new budget.

This, we are told, is necessary to balance the budget. But if that's the case, then why does the largest bureaucracy in the world—the Pentagon—need a \$13 billion raise?

How is it that the Pentagon gets a \$13 billion increase, but that low wage American workers can't get a .45 cent increase in their hourly wage?

Mr. Speaker, we can and should balance the budget. But we should do it by cutting corporate welfare and reducing our bloated military budget. And to my Republican colleagues I say, if you want to go after wasteful spending, Pentagon pork is a good place to start.

UNITED STATES HOUSING ACT OF 1996

The text of the bill (H.R. 2406), as passed by the House on May 9, 1996, is as follows:

Resolved, That the bill from the Senate (S. 1260) entitled "An Act to reform and consolidate the public and assisted housing programs of the United States, and to redirect primary responsibility for these programs from the Federal Government to States and localities, and for other purposes", do pass with the following amendments: Strike out all after the enacting clause, and insert:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE AND TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) *SHORT TITLE*.—This Act may be cited as the "United States Housing Act of 1996".

(b) *TABLE OF CONTENTS*.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title and table of contents.