

NOT VOTING—30

Archer	Ewing	McDade
Baker (LA)	Ford	Murtha
Berman	Gejdenson	Nethercutt
Bevill	Hastings (FL)	Peterson (FL)
Blumenauer	Hayes	Quillen
Boucher	Holden	Scarborough
Chapman	Hutchinson	Seastrand
Coleman	Laughlin	Studds
Collins (IL)	Lincoln	Torricelli
Doggett	Martinez	Young (FL)

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Mr. FARR of California changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

The resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

A 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 bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3845. An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendments to the bill (H.R. 3845) "An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. HATFIELD, Mr. KOHL, and Mr. INOUE to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 3517, MILITARY CONSTRUCTION APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mrs. VUCANOVICH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 3517) making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, with Senate amendments thereto, disagree to the Senate amendments, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. TORKILDSSEN). Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from Nevada?

There was no objection.

MOTION TO INSTRUCT OFFERED BY MR. HEFNER

Mr. HEFNER. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion to instruct conferees.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. HEFNER moves that in resolving the differences between the House and Senate, the managers on the part of the House at the

conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the bill H.R. 3517, be instructed not to provide funding for projects which have not been authorized.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under rule XXVIII, the gentleman from North Carolina [Mr. HEFNER] and the gentlewoman from Nevada [Mrs. VUCANOVICH] each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from North Carolina [Mr. HEFNER].

Mr. HEFNER. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I offer this motion to instruct to ensure that the conferees on the military construction bill adhere to the customary practice of agreeing to provide funding only for projects which are authorized.

Current assumptions on this bill will result in over \$800 million in projects begin added to the amount requested by the President. For years we on the Military Construction Subcommittee have emphasized funding for barracks, family housing projects, and other structures which improve the quality of life in the military. Unfortunately our colleagues in the other body have not always shared our priorities.

The Armed Services Committees are now in conference, and will, I believe end up funding a number of projects that will speed up the building of new barracks and family housing projects. Their agreement will authorize and the appropriations bill will fund these projects as well provide for projects to support operational and readiness requirements, and to meet our base closure commitments.

This total level of authorization and funding has been carefully arrived at and is the result of cooperation between the authorizing and Appropriations Committee. It has been a bipartisan exercise with a bipartisan result. Members on both sides have been treated fairly. There is no reason why the conferees on the appropriations bill should deviate from this agreement.

While I support adding funds to accelerate funding quality of life projects, I feel that adding over \$800 million to the President's request is enough in these difficult budget times given other domestic priorities.

Mr. Speaker, I urge the support of my motion to instruct.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mrs. VUCANOVICH. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of this motion to instruct conferees. We have worked in a bipartisan manner with the authorization committee to provide the many quality of life items contained in this bill. No individual project recommended in this bill may go forward without specific authorization. We are following the progress of the authorization conference closely and it is my understanding they are nearing completion. I urge my colleagues to support the gentleman's motion.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. HEFNER. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman from Nevada for her support.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the motion to instruct.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to instruct offered by the gentleman from North Carolina [Mr. HEFNER].

The motion was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the Chair appoints the following conferees: Mrs. VUCANOVICH and Messrs. CALLAHAN, MCDADE, MYERS of Indiana, PORTER, HOBSON, WICKER, LIVINGSTON, HEFNER, FOGLIETTA, TORRES, DICKS, and OBEY.

There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 3845, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mr. WALSH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 3845) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, with Senate amendments thereto, disagree to the Senate amendments, and agree to the conference asked by the Senate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York? The Chair hears none and, without objection, appoints the following conferees: Messrs. WALSH, BONILLA, KINGSTON, FRELINGHUYSEN, NEUMANN, PARKER, LIVINGSTON, DIXON, SERRANO, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. OBEY.

ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE FROM ANY DAY BETWEEN THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1996, AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 3, 1996, TO WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1996 AND ADJOURNMENT OR RECESS OF THE SENATE FROM ANY DAY BETWEEN THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1996, AND SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 1996, TO TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1996

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 203) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. CON. RES. 203

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring). That, in consonance with section 132(a) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946, when the House adjourns on the legislative day of Thursday,

August 1, 1996, Friday, August 2, 1996, or Saturday, August 3, 1996, pursuant to a motion made by the majority leader or his designee, it stand adjourned until noon on Wednesday, September 4, 1996, or until noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the Senate recesses or adjourns at the close of business on Thursday, August 1, 1996, Friday, August 2, 1996, Saturday, August 3, 1996, or Sunday, August 4, 1996, pursuant to a motion made by the majority leader or his designee in accordance with this resolution, it stand recessed or adjourned until noon on Tuesday, September 3, 1996, or until such time on that day as may be specified by the majority leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first.

Sec. 2. The Speaker of the House and the majority leader of the Senate, acting jointly after consultation with the minority leader of the House and the minority leader of the Senate, shall notify the Members of the House and Senate, respectively, to reassemble whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Does the gentleman from Massachusetts [Mr. FRANK] seek recognition?

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts. I would Mr. Speaker, if the resolution were debatable.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is correct, the resolution is not debatable.

The question is on the concurrent resolution.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts. 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 232, nays 167, not voting 34, as follows:

[Roll No. 368]

YEAS—232

Allard	Burton	Deal
Archer	Buyer	DeLay
Armey	Callahan	Diaz-Balart
Bachus	Calvert	Dickey
Baker (CA)	Camp	Doolittle
Ballenger	Campbell	Dornan
Barr	Canady	Dreier
Barrett (NE)	Castle	Duncan
Bartlett	Chabot	Dunn
Barton	Chambliss	Ehlers
Bass	Chenoweth	Ehrlich
Bateman	Christensen	English
Bereuter	Chrysler	Ensign
Bilbray	Clinger	Everett
Bilirakis	Coble	Fawell
Bliley	Collins (GA)	Fields (TX)
Blute	Combest	Flanagan
Boehlert	Condit	Foley
Boehner	Cooley	Forbes
Bonilla	Cox	Fowler
Bono	Crane	Fox
Brewster	Crapo	Franks (CT)
Brownback	Creameans	Franks (NJ)
Bryant (TN)	Cubin	Frelinghuysen
Bunn	Cunningham	Frisa
Bunning	Davis	Funderburk
Burr	de la Garza	Galleghy

Ganske	Lightfoot	Royce
Gekas	Linder	Salmon
Gilchrest	Livingston	Sanford
Gillmor	LoBiondo	Saxton
Gilman	Longley	Schaefer
Goodlatte	Lucas	Schiff
Goodling	Manzullo	Sensenbrenner
Goss	Martini	Shadegg
Graham	McCollum	Shaw
Greene (UT)	McCrery	Shays
Greenwood	McHugh	Shuster
Gutknecht	McInnis	Sisisky
Hancock	McIntosh	Skeen
Hansen	McKeon	Smith (MI)
Hastert	Metcalf	Smith (NJ)
Hastings (WA)	Meyers	Smith (TX)
Hayworth	Mica	Smith (WA)
Hefley	Miller (FL)	Solomon
Heineman	Molinari	Souder
Herger	Montgomery	Spence
Hilleary	Moorhead	Stearns
Hobson	Morella	Stockman
Hoekstra	Myers	Stump
Hoke	Myrick	Talent
Horn	Neumann	Tate
Hostettler	Ney	Tauzin
Houghton	Norwood	Taylor (NC)
Hunter	Oxley	Thomas
Hyde	Packard	Thornberry
Inglis	Parker	Tiahrt
Istook	Paxon	Torkildsen
Jacobs	Payne (VA)	Traficant
Johnson (CT)	Peterson (MN)	Upton
Johnson, Sam	Petri	Vucanovich
Jones	Pickett	Walker
Kasich	Pombo	Walsh
Kelly	Porter	Wamp
Kim	Portman	Watts (OK)
King	Pryce	Weldon (FL)
Kingston	Quinn	Weldon (PA)
Klug	Radanovich	Weller
Knollenberg	Ramstad	White
Kolbe	Rangel	Whitfield
LaHood	Regula	Wicker
Largent	Riggs	Wilson
Latham	Roberts	Wolf
LaTourette	Rogers	Young (AK)
Lazio	Rohrabacher	Zeliff
Leach	Ros-Lehtinen	Zimmer
Lewis (CA)	Roth	
Lewis (KY)	Roukema	

NAYS—167

Abercrombie	Fattah	Luther
Ackerman	Fazio	Maloney
Andrews	Fields (LA)	Manton
Baessler	Filner	Markey
Baldacci	Flake	Mascara
Barcia	Foglietta	Matsui
Barrett (WI)	Frank (MA)	McCarthy
Becerra	Frost	McDermott
Beilenson	Furse	McHale
Bentsen	Gephardt	McKinney
Bishop	Geren	McNulty
Bonior	Gibbons	Meehan
Borski	Gonzalez	Meek
Browder	Gordon	Menendez
Brown (CA)	Green (TX)	Millender
Brown (FL)	Gutierrez	McDonald
Brown (OH)	Hall (OH)	Minge
Bryant (TX)	Hall (TX)	Mink
Cardin	Hamilton	Moakley
Clay	Harman	Mollohan
Clayton	Hefner	Moran
Clement	Hilliard	Nadler
Clyburn	Hinche	Neal
Coburn	Hoyer	Oberstar
Collins (MI)	Jackson (IL)	Obey
Conyers	Jackson-Lee	Olver
Costello	(TX)	Ortiz
Coyne	Jefferson	Orton
Cramer	Johnson (SD)	Owens
Cummings	Johnson, E. B.	Pallone
Danner	Johnston	Pastor
DeFazio	Kanjorski	Payne (NJ)
DeLauro	Kaptur	Pomeroy
Dellums	Kennedy (MA)	Poshard
Deutsch	Kennedy (RI)	Rahall
Dicks	Kennelly	Reed
Dingell	Kildee	Richardson
Dixon	Klecza	Rivers
Dooley	Klink	Roemer
Doyle	LaFalce	Rose
Durbin	Lantos	Roybal-Allard
Edwards	Levin	Rush
Engel	Lewis (GA)	Sabo
Eshoo	Lipinski	Sanders
Evans	Lofgren	Sawyer
Farr	Lowey	Schroeder

Schumer	Tanner	Volkmer
Scott	Taylor (MS)	Ward
Serrano	Tejeda	Waters
Skaggs	Thompson	Watt (NC)
Skelton	Thornton	Waxman
Slaughter	Thurman	Wise
Spratt	Torres	Woolsey
Stark	Towns	Wynn
Stenholm	Velazquez	Yates
Stokes	Vento	
Stupak	Visclosky	

NOT VOTING—34

Baker (LA)	Gunderson	Nussle
Berman	Hastings (FL)	Pelosi
Bevill	Hayes	Peterson (FL)
Blumenauer	Holden	Quillen
Boucher	Hutchinson	Scarborough
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Coleman	Lincoln	Studds
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Doggett	McDade	Williams
Ewing	Miller (CA)	Young (FL)
Ford	Murtha	
Gejdenson	Nethercutt	

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Mr. YATES and Mr. HALL of Ohio changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 3448, SMALL BUSINESS JOB PROTECTION ACT 1996

Mr. ARCHER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 3448) to provide tax relief for small businesses, to protect jobs, to create opportunities, to increase the take home pay of workers, to amend the Portal-to-Portal Act of 1947 relating to the payment of wages to employees who use employer owned vehicles, and to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the minimum wage rate and to prevent job loss by providing flexibility to employers in complying with minimum wage and overtime requirements under that act, with Senate amendments thereto, disagree to the Senate amendments, and request a conference with the Senate thereon.

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

There was no objection.

MOTION TO INSTRUCT OFFERED BY MR. CLAY

Mr. CLAY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. CLAY moves that the managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the Senate amendments to the bill H.R. 3448 be instructed to report as soon as possible their resolution of the differences between the Houses, because the minimum wage is at its lowest real value in 40 years and because working families deserve a raise.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under rule XXVIII, the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. CLAY] and the gentleman from Pennsylvania [Mr. GOODLING] each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. CLAY].