us when I say we wish her the best of luck and Godspeed.

FAREWELL TO A TOUGH DEBATER

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

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, let me say on behalf of the New York congressional delegation that we probably have less problems after we leave this floor than any other delegation, because we have learned to work with each other, to respect each other, and to understand each other.

The gentlewoman from New York, Ms. Sue Molinari, is one of the champions on the Republican side, and yet we do not see it in the elevators, we do not see it when we have our meetings, we do not see it when we get back to New York, we are just people fighting for our great city and our great State.

Unlike the gentleman from New York [Mr. Schumer], she was one of the people that I least liked debating with, not because she was always that tough, but she was always smiling, always charming. It is difficult to fire your best shot when somebody is looking at you lovingly.

So I will not miss her on the television debates, and I am so glad that she will be moderating, rather than explaining those rough Republican views in such a soft, tender, loving way.

MOON OVER KOSOVO

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

Mr. ÉNGEL. Mr. Speaker, I want to add my voice to say good-bye, not really good-bye, but of course good-bye from Washington, to someone that I have worked very, very closely with. The gentlewoman from New York, Ms. SUSAN MOLINARI and I cochaired the Albanian Issues Caucus. We worked very closely together on a number of things. The gentleman from New York, Mr. BILL PAXON and I came to Congress together after serving in the New York State Assembly together. In fact, I served in the Assembly with Guy Molinari as well.

We know Susan is a very, very special person. When we went to Kosovo together that first time, it was the gentlemen from New York, Mr. BILL PAXON, and Mr. PETER KING, the gentlewoman from New York, Ms. SUSAN MOLINARI, and myself.

When Sue and Bill said they were getting married, I wondered if it was the Moon over Kosovo that brought them together, or the time we were in that hotel and there was no heat or hot water, we figured that might have had something to do with bringing the two of them together.

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We are going to miss you, but we know we are still going to see you. I want to remind you, SUSAN and BILL, that when you announced that you were getting married, I said the Bible says be fruitful and multiply and that I wished you a number of children.

I just want to remind everybody that I said my wish for BILL and SUSAN was that they would have many, many children and that their children would all grow up to be good Democrats.

GOODBYE TO THE HONORABLE SUSAN MOLINARI

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

Mr. PRYCÉ of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, at the risk of losing it on C-SPAN, at the risk of having Members miss their planes, I would just like to close this by saying how much this body will miss you, SUSAN, and how much I will miss you, too. Your wit and your charm and your grace and your grit and everything that I tried to learn from you, I hope we can sustain even in your absence.

You were the first Member that I met outside of Ohio. You taught me so much. I hope that you will still be around to keep us going. So do not be a stranger. Godspeed, SUSAN MOLINARI.

CLOSING REMARKS OF THE HONORABLE SUSAN MOLINARI

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

Ms. MOLINARI. Mr. Speaker, I will be very brief, at the risk of losing it.

To all my colleagues, it is a little difficult to put into words the feeling that I felt growing up on this floor. It has been 17 years since my dad took his oath of office and worked hard during that time to gain and sustain the trust of the men and women of the 14th and now the 13th Congressional District.

In my family, as in many of your families, this is a place of honor. It is a place where we are reminded every day that people trust us to make some of the most important decisions in their lives. It is an honor to walk in and out those doors every day and every night.

I do not leave here easily, because I believe very much in our cause. I believe very much in this Institution. I believe very much in the men and women who have gone before us on both sides of the aisle. I cherish the model that my dad has been for me in public service. As has been said, I met my husband, the love of my life, my best friend in this Institution, because when the cameras are off, oftentimes, between Members, between the aisle, good feelings and understanding and friendships do grow

friendships do grow.

And so to all my colleagues let me just say, to my girlfriends in particular, I love you all. I have developed some of the best friends I have ever made in my life and will continue to see them as friends for the rest of my

To all of you and to those of you in the press gallery, let me admit it and let me get it out there, I will have a bias in my reporting career. But it is this, when I report, it will be with the full knowledge and understanding in my heart and soul that the men and women on both sides of the aisle that serve in this Institution are some of the most honorable Members that have ever served this Nation. I thank them for that.

PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE FROM AUGUST 1, OR AUGUST 2, 1997, TO SEPTEM-BER 3, 1997, AND ADJOURNMENT OR RECESS OF THE SENATE FROM JULY 31, AUGUST 1, OR AUGUST 2, 1997, TO SEPTEMBER 2, 1997

Mr. GOSS. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 136) and I ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the concurrent resolution, as follows:

H. CON. RES. 136

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 Friday, August 1, 1997 or Saturday, August 2, 1997, pursuant to a motion made by the majority leader or his designee, it stand adjourned until noon on Wednesday, September 3, 1997, 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, July 31, 1997, Friday, August 1, 1997, or Saturday, August 2, 1997, pursuant to a motion made by the majority leader or his designee in accordance with this concurrent resolution, it stand recessed or adjourned until noon on Tuesday, September 2, 1997, 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 (Mr. Lahood). Pursuant to section 132 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946, as amended, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 403, nays 16, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 351] YEAS—403

Abercrombie Baesler Barrett (WI) Aderholt Bartlett Baker Allen Baldacci Barton Andrews Ballenger Bass Archer Barcia Bateman Barr Becerra Armey Barrett (NE) Bachus Bereuter

Berman Flake Livingston Foglietta LoBiondo Berry Bilbray Foley Lowey Bilirakis Forbes Lucas Bishop Ford Luther Blagojevich Fowler Maloney (NY) Bliley Fox Manton Frank (MA) Manzullo Blumenauer Blunt Franks (NJ) Markey Boehlert Frelinghuysen Martinez Boehner Frost Mascara Bonilla Furse Matsui Bonior Gallegly McCarthy (MO) Bono Ganske McCarthy (NY) Gejdenson Borski McCollum Boswell Gekas McCrery Gephardt Boucher McDermott Gibbons Boyd McGovern Brady Gilchrest McHale Brown (CA) Gillmor McHugh Brown (FL) Gilman McInnis Brown (OH) Goodlatte McIntosh Bryant Goodling McIntyre Bunning Gordon McKeon Burr McKinney Goss Burton Graham McNulty Buver Granger Meek Callahan Greenwood Menendez Calvert Gutierrez Metcalf Camp Campbell Hall (OH) Mica Hall (TX) Millender-Canady Hamilton McDonald Miller (FL) Cannon Hansen Mink Capps Harman Cardin Moakley Hastert Carson Hayworth Molinari Mollohan Castle Hefley Chabot Hefner Moran (KS) Chambliss Herger Moran (VA) Hill Morella Chenoweth Christensen Hilleary Murtha Hilliard Myrick Clayton Hinchev Nadler Clement Hinojosa Neal Hobson Clyburn Nethercutt Coble Hoekstra Neumann Coburn Holden Nev Northup Collins Horn Hostettler Combest Norwood Condit Houghton Nussle Oberstar Conyers Hulshof Cook Ortiz Cooksey Hunter Owens Costello Hutchinson Oxley Packard Cox Hyde Inglis Pallone Coyne Cramer Pappas Jackson (IL) Crane Parker Jefferson Pascrell Crapo Cummings Jenkins Pastor Danner John Paul Davis (FL) Johnson (CT) Paxon Davis (IL) Johnson (WI) Payne Davis (VA) Johnson, E. B. Pease Deal Johnson, Sam Pelosi DeGette Jones Peterson (MN) Kaniorski Delahunt Peterson (PA) DeLauro Kaptur Petri DeLay Kasich Pickering Kellv Pickett Dellums Kennedy (MA) Deutsch Pitts Diaz-Balart Kennedy (RI) Kennelly Pombo Pomerov Dickey Dicks Kildee Porter Dingell Kilpatrick Portman Dixon Kim Poshard Kind (WI) Doggett Price (NC) Dooley King (NY) Pryce (OH) Doolittle Kingston Quinn Doyle Kleczka Řadanovich Dreier Klink Rahall Ramstad Duncan Klug Knollenberg Rangel Redmond Ehlers Kolbe LaFalce Ehrlich Regula Emerson LaHood Reyes Engel Lampson Riggs English Lantos Riley Largent Latham Ensign Rivers Eshoo Rodriguez Etheridge LaTourette Roemer Lazio Evans Rogan Everett Leach Rogers Ewing Levin Rohrabacher Lewis (CA) Ros-Lehtinen Rothman Farr Fattah Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Fawell Roukema Fazio Linder Roybal-Allard Filner Lipinski Royce

Smith, Linda Rush Towns Ryun Snowbarger Traficant Sabo Snyder Turner Salmon Solomon Upton Velazquez Sandlin Souder Sanford Spence Vento Visclosky Sawyer Spratt Saxton Stabenow Walsh Scarborough Stark Wamp Schaefer, Dan Waters Stearns Stenholm Schumer Watkins Watt (NC) Watts (OK) Scott Stokes Strickland Sensenbrenner Waxman Weldon (FL) Serrano Stump Sessions Stupak Shadegg Weldon (PA) Sununu Shaw Talent Weller Shays Tanner Wexler Shimkus Tauscher Weygand White Whitfield Shuster Tauzin Taylor (NC) Sisisky Skaggs Wicker Thomas Thompson Skelton Thornberry Wolf Slaughter Thune Woolsey Smith (MI) Thurman Wynn Smith (NJ) Tiahrt Yates Smith (OR) Young (FL) Tierney Smith (TX) Torres

NAYS-16

Cunningham Jackson-Lee Olver DeFazio (TX) Sanchez Goode Kucinich Schaffer, Bob Sherman Green Lofgren Taylor (MS) Hastings (FL) Minge Hooley Obey

NOT VOTING-15

Ackerman Gutknecht Miller (CA)
Bentsen Hastings (WA) Sanders
Cubin Maloney (CT) Schiff
Edwards McDade Smith, Adam
Gonzalez Meehan Young (AK)

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Mrs. NORTHUP changed her vote from "nay" to "yea."

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.

REMOVAL OF NAMES OF MEMBERS AS COSPONSORS OF H.R. 303

Mr. BILIRAKIS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to remove the names of the gentleman from Florida [Mr. CANADY], the gentleman from Massachusetts [Mr. OLVER] and the gentleman from Oklahoma [Mr. WATTS] as cosponsors of my bill, H.R. 303

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Florida? There was no objection.

WAIVING ENROLLMENT REQUIRE-MENTS WITH RESPECT TO TWO BILLS OF THE 105TH CONGRESS

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, I offer a joint resolution (H.J. Res. 90) waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to two specified bills of the 105th Congress, and I ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

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

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I would like to yield to the manager for a discussion.

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, the rule is self-explanatory. For Members who may not be aware, sections 106 and 107 of title 1 of the United States Code require that enrolled bills, measures that have been passed by the House and the Senate in the same form and require the President's signature to become law, that they be sent to the President on parchment.

So the joint resolution that I am seeking unanimous consent for, Mr. Speaker, waives that requirement.

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

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

There was no objection.

The Clerk read the joint resolution as follows:

H.J. RES. 90

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of sections 106 and 107 of title 1, United States Code, are waived with respect to the printing (on parchment or otherwise) of the enrollment of H.R. 2014 and of H.R. 2015 of the One Hundred Fifth Congress. The enrollment of each of those bills shall be in such form as the Committee on House Oversight of the House of Representatives certifies to be a true enrollment.

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to lay House Resolution 203 on the table.

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

There was no objection.

REQUEST FOR ORDER OF CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2264, DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1998

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that consideration of the bill (H.R. 2264) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes, may proceed according to the order that I have placed at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the order.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Solomon asks unanimous consent that consideration of H.R. 2264 proceed according to the following order:

(1) The Speaker may at any time, as though pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2264)