

BIG BROTHER IS BACK

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

Mr. CHABOT. Madam Speaker, they are at it again. We learned this morning from The Washington Post that those big government loving bureaucrats in the Clinton administration are up to their old tricks again. When we last heard from our friends in the Federal health care data collection business, they were attempting to carry out a little known provision in the law that would require every single American to have a special identification number so that their medical records could be tracked by the government.

Now we learn that the administration seeks to create a new database that would collect personal information about millions of Americans who receive in-home benefits under the Medicare program. Under the guise of improving service, the Clinton administration intends to conduct a 19-page assessment of each patient, including questions concerning the patient's sense of failure, or socially inappropriate behavior.

Enough already. Let us put a stop to this nonsense before it begins. Let us protect the privacy of millions of Americans. Let us once again say no to Big Brother.

MEDICARE

(Ms. DELAURO asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. DELAURO. Madam Speaker, I hold in my hand a letter to the Speaker of the House imploring him to devote 15 percent of the budget surplus to strengthen Medicare. This letter has been signed by 201 Democrats. We speak with a unified message: Do not jeopardize Medicare for political tax breaks.

In the most recent Republican budget, not one penny of the surplus is used to shore up Medicare. Medicare is projected to be bankrupt in the year 2008. That is only 9 years away. The Democratic plan to use 15 percent of the surplus would extend the life of Medicare by a decade, giving us time to reform the program so that it endures the coming strain of the retiring baby boom generation and allows us to put a prescription drug benefit together.

The Republican plan is irresponsible. It puts short-term political gain ahead of long-term fiscal responsibility and, in the process, jeopardizes seniors' health and their retirement security.

Today 99 percent of America's seniors are covered by Medicare. Social Security and Medicare have combined to give our seniors independence, dignity and security in their retirement. Let us strengthen them and not dismantle them.

THE FOREST SERVICE MORATORIUM IS AN ATTACK ON ACCESS TO OUR PUBLIC FORESTS

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

Mr. HILL of Montana. Madam Speaker, the Forest Service roads moratorium now in effect, defies the good common sense required to maintain our Nation's force.

In essence, the administration is saying that we are going to take a time-out in managing our forests. In the meantime, of course, the problems will not wait. They only become more serious.

This moratorium is also an attack on access to our public forests. It is nothing more than a sweeping mandate from Washington. This mandate is not designed to study our forests roads but, rather, to keep the American citizen out of their forests.

A representative from the most respected sportsmen's group in Washington, the Safari Club, called this decision bad for sportsmen and other recreational users, so bad that it must have the dedicated professionals in the Forest Service shaking their heads.

The Forest Service reports that 93 percent of forest road use is for recreational purposes, and now they are trying to lock up the very roads where we recreate.

It makes no sense. I cannot understand how an agency that is directed to manage our forests is walking away and washing its hands of such a serious issue.

This is a bad policy, Madam Speaker. It is bad for America. It is bad for the economy. It is bad for the forests and it is bad for the citizens.

The question is, who is it good for?

RAIDING THE SOCIAL SECURITY TRUST FUND TO SPEND MONEY ON 120 NEW GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS

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

Mr. WELLER. Madam Speaker, back home, when I am back home in the south side of Chicago, in the south suburbs, I get asked some pretty basic questions by the folks back home. I had a really pretty good one asked to me just this past week.

They say, it is our understanding that there is this \$2.6 trillion surplus of extra tax revenue. If we have all this extra money in Washington, why does President Clinton, the Clinton-Gore Democrats, propose a \$176 billion tax increase, and why do the Clinton-Gore Democrats, why do they propose raiding the Social Security trust fund by \$250 billion to spend money on 120 new government programs?

That is an important question because on the Republican side, we say

we do not need \$176 billion in tax increases. We say we do not want to raid the Social Security trust fund. In fact, this year we want to stop something that has been going on for 30 years. We believe it is time to wall off the Social Security trust fund and stop the raids that President Clinton wants to have on Social Security.

Let us stop the raids on Social Security. Let us wall off the Social Security trust fund.

RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS

The Speaker pro tempore (Mrs. EMERSON) laid before the House the following resignation as a member of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, March 10, 1999.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House,
The Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Having accepted an appointment to the Committee on the Judiciary, I must hereby regretfully resign from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Sincerely,

SPENCER BACHUS,
Member of Congress.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the resignation is accepted.

There was no objection.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. GOODLING. Madam Speaker, I offer a resolution (H. Res. 108) and I ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 108

Resolved, That the following named Members be, and they are hereby, elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on the Judiciary: Mr. SCARBOROUGH of Florida.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

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

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PARTNERSHIP ACT OF 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 100 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 800.

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IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the

further consideration of the bill (H.R. 800) to provide for education flexibility partnerships, with Mr. WELLER (Chairman pro tempore) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. When the Committee of the Whole rose on Wednesday, March 10, 1999, the demand for a recorded vote on amendment No. 21 by the gentleman from Virginia (Mr. SCOTT) had been postponed and all time for consideration of the bill under the 5-minute rule had expired.

AMENDMENT NO. 21 OFFERED BY MR. SCOTT

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. There being no further amendments in order under the rule, the unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Virginia (Mr. SCOTT) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 21 offered by Mr. SCOTT:

In section 4(c) (of H.R. 800, as reported), after "Secretary", insert "or a State educational agency".

At the end of section 4(c)(1)(G) (of H.R. 800, as reported), strike "and".

After subparagraph (H) of section 4(c) (of H.R. 800, as reported), insert the following:

(I) in the case of a school that participates in a schoolwide program under section 1114 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, the eligibility requirements of such section if such a school serves a school attendance area in which less than 35 percent of the children are from low-income families; and

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 195, noes 223, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 40]

AYES—195

Abercrombie	Conyers	Green (TX)	Levin	Neal	Skelton	Smith (TX)	Taylor (NC)	Watts (OK)
Ackerman	Costello	Gutierrez	Lewis (GA)	Oberstar	Slaughter	Smith (WA)	Terry	Weldon (FL)
Allen	Coyne	Hall (OH)	Lofgren	Obey	Snyder	Souder	Thomas	Weldon (PA)
Andrews	Cramer	Hastings (FL)	Lowe	Olver	Spratt	Spence	Thornberry	Weller
Baird	Crowley	Hill (IN)	Luther	Owens	Stabenow	Stearns	Thune	Whitfield
Baldacci	Cummings	Hilliard	Maloney (CT)	Pallone	Stark	Stump	Tiahrt	Wicker
Baldwin	Danner	Hinchey	Maloney (NY)	Pascarel	Stehman	Sununu	Toomey	Wilson
Barcia	Davis (FL)	Hinojosa	Markey	Pastor	Strickland	Sweeney	Upton	Wolf
Barrett (WI)	Davis (IL)	Holden	Mascara	Payne	Stupak	Talent	Walden	Young (AK)
Bentsen	DeFazio	Holt	Matsui	Pelosi	Tanner	Tancredo	Walsh	Young (FL)
Bereuter	DeGette	Hooley	McCarthy (MO)	Peterson (MN)	Tauscher	Tauzin	Wamp	
Berkley	DeLauro	Hoyer	McCarthy (NY)	Phelps	Thompson (CA)	Taylor (MS)	Watkins	
Berman	Deutsch	Insllee	McDermott	Pickett	Thompson (MS)			
Berry	Dicks	Jackson (IL)	McGovern	Pomeroy	Thurman			
Bishop	Dingell	Jackson-Lee	McIntyre	Price (NC)	Tierney	NOT VOTING—15		
Blumenauer	Dixon	(TX)	McKinney	Rahall	Towns	Barrett (NE)	Cox	Kaptur
Bonior	Doggett	Jefferson	McNulty	Rivers	Traficant	Becerra	Delahunt	Martinez
Borski	Dooley	Johnson, E. B.	Meehan	Rodriguez	Turner	Bilbray	Fattah	McCryer
Boswell	Doyle	Jones (OH)	Meek (FL)	Roemer	Udall (CO)	Blagojevich	Frost	Rangel
Boucher	Edwards	Kanjorski	Meeks (NY)	Rothman	Velazquez	Capps	John	Reyes
Brady (PA)	Engel	Kennedy	Menendez	Royal-Allard	Vento			
Brown (CA)	Eshoo	Kildee	Millender-	Rush	Visclosky			
Brown (FL)	Etheridge	Kilpatrick	McDonald	Sabo	Waters			
Brown (OH)	Evans	Kind (WI)	Miller, George	Sanchez	Watt (NC)			
Capuano	Farr	Kleczka	Moakley	Sanders	Waxman			
Cardin	Filner	Ehrlich	Mollohan	Sandlin	Weiner			
Carson	Ford	Emerson	Moore	Sawyer	Wexler			
Clay	Frank (MA)	Kucinich	Moran (VA)	Schakowsky	Weygand			
Clayton	Gejdenson	LaFalce	Murtha	Scott	Wise			
Clement	Gephardt	Lampson	Nadler	Serrano	Woolsey			
Clyburn	Gonzalez	Lantos	Napolitano	Sherman	Wu			
Condit	Gordon	Larson		Shows	Wynn			
		Lee		Sisisky				

NOES—223

Aderholt	Fossella	Lucas (OK)	Aderholt	Fossella	Lucas (OK)			
Archer	Fowler	Manzullo	Archer	Fowler	Manzullo			
Armey	Franks (NJ)	McCollum	Armey	Franks (NJ)	McCollum			
Bachus	Frelenghuisen	McHugh	Bachus	Frelenghuisen	McHugh			
Baker	Gallely	McInnis	Baker	Gallely	McInnis			
Ballenger	Ganske	McIntosh	Ballenger	Ganske	McIntosh			
Barr	Gekas	McKeon	Barr	Gekas	McKeon			
Bartlett	Gibbons	Metcalf	Bartlett	Gibbons	Metcalf			
Barton	Gilchrest	Mica	Barton	Gilchrest	Mica			
Bass	Gillmor	Miller (FL)	Bass	Gillmor	Miller (FL)			
Bateman	Gilman	Miller, Gary	Bateman	Gilman	Miller, Gary			
Biggert	Goode	Moran (KS)	Biggert	Goode	Moran (KS)			
Bilirakis	Goodlatte	Morella	Bilirakis	Goodlatte	Morella			
Biley	Goodling	Myrick	Biley	Goodling	Myrick			
Blunt	Goss	Nethercutt	Blunt	Goss	Nethercutt			
Boehlert	Graham	Ney	Boehlert	Graham	Ney			
Boehner	Granger	Northup	Boehner	Granger	Northup			
Bonilla	Green (WI)	Norwood	Bonilla	Green (WI)	Norwood			
Bono	Greenwood	Nussle	Bono	Greenwood	Nussle			
Boyd	Gutknecht	Ose	Boyd	Gutknecht	Ose			
Brady (TX)	Hall (TX)	Oxley	Brady (TX)	Hall (TX)	Oxley			
Bryant	Hansen	Packard	Bryant	Hansen	Packard			
Burr	Hastings (WA)	Paul	Burr	Hastings (WA)	Paul			
Burton	Hayes	Pease	Burton	Hayes	Pease			
Buyer	Hayworth	Peterson (PA)	Buyer	Hayworth	Peterson (PA)			
Callahan	Heffley	Petri	Callahan	Heffley	Petri			
Calvert	Herger	Pickering	Calvert	Herger	Pickering			
Campbell	Hill (MT)	Pitts	Campbell	Hill (MT)	Pitts			
Canady	Hilleary	Pombo	Canady	Hilleary	Pombo			
Cannon	Hobson	Porter	Cannon	Hobson	Porter			
	Hoefel	Portman		Hoefel	Portman			
	Hoekstra	Pryce (OH)		Hoekstra	Pryce (OH)			
	Chabot	Quinn		Chabot	Quinn			
	Chambliss	Radanovich		Chambliss	Radanovich			
	Chenoweth	Ramstad		Chenoweth	Ramstad			
	Coble	Regula		Coble	Regula			
	Coburn	Reynolds		Coburn	Reynolds			
	Collins	Riley		Collins	Riley			
	Crane	Rogers		Crane	Rogers			
	Isakson	Ros-Lehtinen		Isakson	Ros-Lehtinen			
	Istook	Roukema		Istook	Roukema			
	Jenkins	Royce		Jenkins	Royce			
	Johnson (CT)	Ryan (WI)		Johnson (CT)	Ryan (WI)			
	Johnson, Sam	Ryun (KS)		Johnson, Sam	Ryun (KS)			
	Davis (VA)	Sakich		Davis (VA)	Sakich			
	Deal	Sessions		Deal	Sessions			
	Kasich	Shadegg		Kasich	Shadegg			
	DeLay	Shaw		DeLay	Shaw			
	Duncan	Sherwood		Duncan	Sherwood			
	Dunn	Shimkus		Dunn	Shimkus			
	DeMint	Shuster		DeMint	Shuster			
	King (NY)	Simpson		King (NY)	Simpson			
	Kingston	Skeen		Kingston	Skeen			
	Laxton	Smith (MI)		Laxton	Smith (MI)			
	LaTourette	Smith (NJ)		LaTourette	Smith (NJ)			
	Lazlo			Lazlo				
	Leach			Leach				
	Kuykendall			Kuykendall				
	Kolbe			Kolbe				
	Kulnenberg			Kulnenberg				
	Kolbe			Kolbe				
	Kuchinich			Kuchinich				
	LaHood			LaHood				
	Lampson			Lampson				
	Lantos			Lantos				
	Fletcher			Fletcher				
	Ewing			Ewing				
	Linder			Linder				
	LoBiondo			LoBiondo				

Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. TERRY, and Mrs. CUBIN changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

Ms. STABENOW and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 40, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

The CHAIRMAN. The question is on the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended, was agreed to.

The CHAIRMAN. Under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mrs. EMERSON) having assumed the chair, Mr. WELLER, Chairman pro tempore of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 800) to provide for education flexibility partnerships, pursuant to House Resolution 100, he reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

Is a separate vote demanded on any amendment to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute adopted by the Committee of the Whole? If not, the question is on the amendment.

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the passage of the bill.

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

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. GOODLING. Madam Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Postponed suspension votes after this vote will all be five-minute votes.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 330, noes 90, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 41]

AYES—330

Aderholt	Evans	Lucas (KY)
Allen	Everett	Lucas (OK)
Andrews	Ewing	Luther
Archer	Farr	Maloney (CT)
Armey	Fletcher	Maloney (NY)
Bachus	Foley	Manzullo
Baird	Forbes	Mascara
Baker	Ford	Matsui
Baldacci	Fossella	McCarthy (NY)
Baldwin	Fowler	McCullum
Ballenger	Franks (NJ)	McHugh
Barcia	Frelinghuysen	McInnis
Barr	Galleghy	McIntosh
Barrett (NE)	Ganske	McIntyre
Bartlett	Gejdenson	McKeon
Barton	Gekas	McNulty
Bass	Gephhardt	Metcalf
Bateman	Gibbons	Mica
Bentsen	Gilchrest	Miller, Gary
Bereuter	Gillmor	Mollohan
Berkley	Gilman	Moore
Berry	Gonzalez	Moran (KS)
Biggert	Goode	Moran (VA)
Bilirakis	Goodlatte	Morella
Bishop	Goodling	Murtha
Blagojevich	Gordon	Myrick
Bliley	Goss	Napolitano
Blumenauer	Graham	Nethercutt
Blunt	Granger	Ney
Boehlert	Green (TX)	Northup
Boehner	Green (WI)	Norwood
Bonilla	Greenwood	Nussle
Bono	Gutierrez	Ortiz
Boswell	Gutknecht	Ose
Boucher	Hall (OH)	Oxley
Boyd	Hall (TX)	Packard
Brady (TX)	Hansen	Pascrall
Brown (CA)	Hastert	Paul
Bryant	Hayes	Pease
Burr	Hayworth	Peterson (MN)
Burton	Hefley	Peterson (PA)
Buyer	Herger	Petri
Callahan	Hill (IN)	Phelps
Calvert	Hill (MT)	Pickering
Camp	Hilleary	Pickett
Campbell	Hinojosa	Pitts
Canady	Hobson	Pombo
Cannon	Hoefel	Pomeroy
Cardin	Hoekstra	Porter
Castle	Holden	Portman
Chabot	Hooley	Price (NC)
Chambliss	Horn	Pryce (OH)
Chenoweth	Hostettler	Quinn
Clement	Houghton	Radanovich
Coble	Hoyer	Rahall
Coburn	Hulshof	Ramstad
Collins	Hunter	Regula
Combest	Hutchinson	Reynolds
Condit	Hyde	Riley
Cook	Inslee	Rodriguez
Cooksey	Isakson	Istook
Cox	Jenkins	Jenkins
Cramer	Johnson (CT)	Johnson, Sam
Crane	Johnson (NC)	Jones (NC)
Cubin	Kanjorski	Kasich
Cunningham	Kasich	Kelly
Danner	Kasich	Kind (WI)
Davis (FL)	Kasich	King (NY)
Davis (VA)	Kasich	Kingston
Deal	Kelczka	Klein
DeGette	Klink	Knollenberg
DeLauro	Kolbe	Kolbe
DeLay	Kuykendall	Kuykendall
DeMint	LaHood	LaHood
Deutsch	Lampson	Sensenbrenner
Diaz-Balart	Lantos	Sessions
Dickey	Largent	Shadegg
Dicks	Larson	Shaw
Doggett	Latham	Shays
Dooley	LaTourette	Sherman
Doolittle	Lazio	Sherwood
Doyle	Leach	Shimkus
Dreier	Lindner	Shows
Duncan	Lipinski	Shuster
Dunn	Lobiondo	Simpson
Edwards	Lofgren	Sisisky
Ehlers	Lopez	Skeen
Ehrlich	Lopez	Skelton
Emerson	Lopez	
English	Lopez	
Eshoo	Lopez	
Etheridge	Lopez	

Slaughter	Tauscher	Wamp
Smith (MI)	Tauzin	Watkins
Smith (TX)	Taylor (MS)	Watts (OK)
Smith (WA)	Taylor (NC)	Weiner
Snyder	Terry	Weldon (FL)
Souder	Thomas	Weldon (PA)
Spence	Thompson (CA)	Weller
Spratt	Thorberry	Wexler
Stabenow	Thune	Weygand
Stearns	Tiaht	Whitfield
Stenholm	Toomey	Wicker
Strickland	Traficant	Wilson
Stump	Turner	Wise
Sununu	Udall (CO)	Wolf
Sweeney	Udall (NM)	Wu
Talent	Upton	Wynn
Tancredo	Walden	Young (AK)
Tanner	Walsh	Young (FL)

NOES—90

Abercrombie	Jackson-Lee	Oberstar
Ackerman	(TX)	Obe
Barrett (WI)	Jefferson	Olver
Berman	Johnson, E. B.	Owens
Bonior	Jones (OH)	Pallone
Borski	Kaptur	Pastor
Brady (PA)	Kennedy	Payne
Brown (FL)	Kildee	Pelosi
Brown (OH)	Kilpatrick	Rangel
Capuano	Kucinich	Rivers
Carson	LaFalce	Royal-Allard
Clay	Lee	Rush
Clayton	Levin	Sanchez
Clyburn	Lewis (GA)	Sawyer
Conyers	Lowey	Schakowsky
Costello	Markey	Scott
Coyne	McCarthy (MO)	Serrano
Crowley	McDermott	Stark
Cummings	McGovern	Stupak
Davis (IL)	McKinney	Thompson (MS)
DeFazio	Meehan	Thurman
Dingell	Meek (FL)	Tierney
Dixon	Meeks (NY)	Towns
Engel	Menendez	Velazquez
Filner	Millender-	Vento
Frank (MA)	McDonald	Viscosky
Hastings (FL)	Miller, George	Waters
Hilliard	Mink	Watt (NC)
Hinchey	Moakley	Waxman
Holt	Nadler	Woolsey
Jackson (IL)	Neal	

NOT VOTING—14

Becerra	Frost	Miller (FL)
Bilbray	Hastings (WA)	Minge
Capps	John	Reyes
Delahunt	Martinez	Smith (NJ)
Fattah	McCrery	

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Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. PALLONE changed their vote from “aye” to “no.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington. Madam Speaker, on rollcall No. 41, I was inadvertently detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. MINGE. Madam Speaker, during rollcall vote No. 41, on passage of the Educational Partnership Flexibility Act, H.R. 800, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “aye.”

Mr. MILLER of Florida. Madam Speaker, earlier today I was inadvertently detained away from the floor during the vote on final passage of H.R. 800. This was my only opportunity to question Attorney General Janet Reno about a heinous murder which occurred in my congressional district. The suspect fled to Mexico, and 15 months later we are still awaiting extradition of this suspect to the United States. Had I been present I would have voted “aye.”

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. GOODLING. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks on H.R. 800, the Education Flexibility Partnership Act of 1999.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. EMERSON). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Pennsylvania?

There was no objection.

AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE CORRECTIONS IN EN-GROSSMENT OF H.R. 800, EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PARTNER-SHIP ACT OF 1999

Mr. GOODLING. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that in the engrossment of the bill, H.R. 800, the Clerk be authorized to make technical corrections and conforming changes to the bill.

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

There was no objection.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will now put the question on the remaining motions to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed on Tuesday, March 9, 1999, in the order in which that motion was entertained.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

H.R. 808, by the yeas and nays;
H. Res. 32, by the yeas and nays;
H. Con. Res. 28, by the yeas and nays.
These will all be 5-minute votes.

THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF RE-ENACTMENT OF CHAPTER 12, TITLE 11, UNITED STATES CODE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 808, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. GEKAS) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 808, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 418, nays 1, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 42]

YEAS—418

Abercrombie	Baker	Barton
Ackerman	Baldacci	Bass
Aderholt	Baldwin	Bateman
Allen	Ballenger	Bentsen
Andrews	Barcia	Bereuter
Archer	Barr	Berkley
Armey	Barrett (NE)	Berman
Bachus	Barrett (WI)	Berry
Baird	Bartlett	Biggert