

that recognizes that our military needs must be given a higher priority in a dangerous world, that our schools need to be improved if our kids are going to enjoy a bright future, that our seniors need to be protected against a looming social security and Medicare crisis, and that Americans who pay the taxes should be given tax relief, not more rhetoric about why Washington needs more money.

Bolstering national security, education excellence, strengthening retirement security, tax relief for working Americans, Republicans have the BEST agenda.

#### THE PATIENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS

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

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Madam Speaker, I am continually amazed by the misinformation spread about the Patients' Bill of Rights. I know the businesses in my district believe this Patients' Bill of Rights would allow enrollees to sue their employers for denied benefits, but nothing could be further from the truth. In fact, the Patients' Bill of Rights contains explicit provisions stating that employers cannot be sued for decisions made by health insurers.

I hope that the American people this time will see through the smokescreen being thrown up by too many groups who have too much interest in killing this legislation. The more time goes by, we risk losing this opportunity altogether. The powerful forces lined up against this legislation will accept another delay to give them the chance to marshall their forces.

We have plenty of time to pass an irresponsible tax cut, time to prevent the Department of Labor from protecting people against workplace injuries, time to name buildings and courthouses, but evidently we do not have the time to protect the very lives and limbs of our constituents.

After this Friday, this Chamber is out of session for 36 days. How many of those days will we fritter away on sound bites and legislation designed for special groups?

#### POLITICS AS USUAL WHEN IT COMES TO SPENDING THE MONEY OF THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA

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

Mr. KINGSTON. Madam Speaker, it is politics as usual when it comes to spending our money, the money of the people of America.

The Republican approach is three-fold. Number one, the Republican party wants to preserve 100 percent of the social security surplus as compared to 62 percent that the President wants to protect.

Now, we do this, we put aside \$1.9 trillion for social security and Medicare, and the second thing we do is we pay down the debt, \$2 trillion, as seen on this chart. The third thing we do, and only after social security, Medicare, and debt reduction, we return to American people their money for overpayment on taxes.

The President's attitude is somewhat epitomized in this statement: "We could give the surplus all back to you and hope you spend it right." Gee, whiz, people of America, Bill Clinton can spend your money better than you can spend it. Does that not make us feel good?

All I can say is, the people in America must not know how to spend money at all, judging by the responsibility exhibited over at the White House the past 2 years.

Let me say this, this is Americans' money. It ought to go back to them.

#### UNDER THE REPUBLICAN TAX CUT, WORKING AMERICANS GET THE SHAFT

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

Mr. SHERMAN. Madam Speaker, I ran down to this floor when I heard my colleague, the gentleman from California, refer to the Republican tax cut as fair and balanced. I thought, how could such a huge tax cut, aimed almost exclusively at the super wealthy and the giant corporations, be called balanced? And then I understood what he must have meant.

See, under this tax cut, the top 1 percent wealthiest Americans get ten times the tax relief as 100 million Americans, constituting the lower 40 percent of income earners. At the same time, this tax cut provides more tax relief to job-exporting corporations than it provides to over 50 million Americans.

Madam Speaker, that is the balance. Compared to the super wealthy, working Americans get the shaft. Compared to giant corporations, working families get the shaft. That is the only sense in which the Republican tax cut is balanced.

#### CONGRESS MUST PASS THE PATIENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS

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

Mr. HOEFFEL. Madam Speaker, we must pass the Patients' Bill of Rights. Our system of HMOs has run amok.

As evidence, I offer a survey of doctors conducted by one of the newspapers in my district, the Reporter, in Lansdale, Pennsylvania. Most of the doctors responding were not against the original idea of HMOs, they have just said the rules have gone haywire.

Eighty-seven percent of the doctors responding have had conflicts with

HMOs. Fifty-eight percent of those say the conflicts have been serious, and happen frequently. Seventy percent of the doctors say they do not have sufficient control over treatment.

As damning as the numbers are, the doctor's comments say even more. Dr. Ruth Schiller, a Harleysville, Pennsylvania, pediatrician, says that "HMOs are worse in the sense that I cannot make all of the decisions for appropriate care."

Another doctor said, "The American people need to wake up. Their lives are in danger with HMO control. Doctors have to put away their medical books and do what the HMO manual says for their patients."

A third doctor was afraid to sign his survey for fear of HMO retaliation. Something has gone wrong. "HMO" stands for How Much Outrage must the American people put up with? Pass the Patients' Bill of Rights.

#### FOREIGN OPERATIONS, EXPORT FINANCING, AND RELATED PROGRAMS APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2000

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. WILSON). Pursuant to House Resolution 263 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. 2606.

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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. 2606) making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes, with Mr. THORNBERRY in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN. When the Committee of the Whole rose on Monday, August 2, 1999, the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (MR. PAUL) had been postponed.

#### SEQUENTIAL VOTES POSTPONED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to House Resolution 263, proceedings will now resume on those amendments on which further proceedings were postponed in the following order: The amendment offered by the gentleman from Colorado (Mr. TANCREDO), amendment No. 9 offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. PAUL), and a further amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. PAUL).

The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for any electronic vote after the first vote in this series.

#### AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. TANCREDO

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the

gentleman from Colorado (Mr. TANCREDO) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment offered by Mr. TANCREDO: Page 116, after line 5, insert the following:

SEC. . None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be provided for the United Nations Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Program or the United Nations World Heritage Fund.

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California. Mr. Chairman, I ask unanimous consent to withdraw my request for a recorded vote.

The CHAIRMAN. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

So the amendment was agreed to.

AMENDMENT NO. 9 OFFERED BY MR. PAUL

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on amendment No. 9 offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. Paul) 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. 9 offered by Mr. PAUL:

At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

LIMITATION ON FUNDS FOR ABORTION, FAMILY PLANNING, OR POPULATION CONTROL EFFORTS

SEC. . None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be made available for—

(1) population control or population planning programs;

(2) family planning activities; or

(3) abortion procedures.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 145, noes 272, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 360]

AYES—145

Aderholt	Chenoweth	Graham
Archer	Coble	Green (WI)
Armey	Coburn	Gutknecht
Bachus	Collins	Hall (TX)
Baker	Combest	Hansen
Barr	Cook	Hastings (WA)
Barrett (NE)	Costello	Hayes
Bartlett	Crane	Hayworth
Barton	Cubin	Heffley
Bilirakis	Danner	Herger
Biley	Deal	Hill (MT)
Blunt	DeLay	Hilleary
Boehner	DeMint	Hoekstra
Bonilla	Dickey	Hostettler
Bono	Doolittle	Hunter
Bryant	Duncan	Hutchinson
Burr	Emerson	Hyde
Burton	English	Istoak
Buyer	Everett	Jenkins
Calvert	Fletcher	Johnson, Sam
Camp	Forbes	Jones (NC)
Canady	Fossella	Kasich
Cannon	Goode	King (NY)
Chabot	Goodlatte	Kingston
Chambliss	Goodling	LaHood

Largent	Peterson (MN)	Shimkus
Latham	Phelps	Show
Linder	Pitts	Shuster
Lipinski	Pombo	Spence
LoBiondo	Portman	Stearns
Lucas (KY)	Quinn	Stump
Lucas (OK)	Radanovich	Talent
Manzullo	Rahall	Tancredo
McCullom	Reynolds	Taylor (MS)
McCrary	Riley	Taylor (NC)
McInnis	Rogan	Terry
McIntosh	Rogers	Thune
Metcalf	Ryan (WI)	Tiahrt
Mica	Ryun (KS)	Vitter
Miller, Gary	Salmon	Wamp
Moran (KS)	Sanford	Watkins
Myrick	Saxton	Watts (OK)
Ney	Scarborough	Weldon (FL)
Norwood	Schaffer	Weller
Nussle	Sensenbrenner	Whitfield
Packard	Sessions	Wicker
Paul	Shadegg	
Pease	Sherwood	

NOES—272

Abercrombie	Etheridge	Lewis (GA)
Ackerman	Evans	Lofgren
Allen	Ewing	Lowey
Andrews	Farr	Luther
Baird	Fattah	Maloney (CT)
Baldacci	Filner	Maloney (NY)
Baldwin	Foley	Markey
Ballenger	Ford	Martinez
Barcia	Fowler	Mascara
Barrett (WI)	Franks (NJ)	Matsui
Bass	Frelinghuysen	McCarthy (MO)
Bateman	Frost	McCarthy (NY)
Becerra	Gallegly	McGovern
Bentsen	Ganske	McHugh
Bereuter	Gejdenson	McIntyre
Berkley	Gekas	McKeon
Berman	Gephart	McKinney
Berry	Gibbons	McNulty
Biggert	Gilchrest	Meehan
Bishop	Gillmor	Meek (FL)
Blagojevich	Gilman	Meeks (NY)
Blumenauer	Gonzalez	Menendez
Boehlert	Gordon	Millender
Bonior	Goss	McDonald
Borski	Granger	Miller (FL)
Boswell	Green (TX)	Miller, George
Boucher	Greenwood	Minge
Boyd	Gutierrez	Mink
Brady (PA)	Hall (OH)	Moakley
Brady (TX)	Hastings (FL)	Moore
Brown (FL)	Hill (IN)	Moran (VA)
Brown (OH)	Hilliard	Morella
Callahan	Hinojosa	Murtha
Campbell	Hobson	Nadler
Capps	Hoefel	Napolitano
Capuano	Holden	Neal
Cardin	Holt	Nethercutt
Carson	Hooley	Northup
Castle	Horn	Oberstar
Clay	Houghton	Obey
Clayton	Hoyer	Olver
Clement	Hulshof	Ortiz
Clyburn	Inslee	Ose
Condit	Isakson	Oxley
Conyers	Jackson (IL)	Pallone
Cooksey	Jackson-Lee (TX)	Pascrall
Cox	Jefferson	Pastor
Coyne	John	Payne
Cramer	Johnson, E. B.	Pelosi
Crowley	Jones (OH)	Pickett
Cummings	Kanjorski	Pomeroy
Davis (FL)	Kaptur	Porter
Davis (IL)	DeFazio	Price (NC)
Davis (VA)	Kennedy	Ramstad
DeFazio	DeGette	Rangel
Dingell	Kildee	Regula
Dixons	Delahunt	Reyes
DeLauro	DeLauro	Rivers
Deutsch	Deutsch	Rodriguez
Dicks	Diaz-Balart	Klink
Dingell	Dicks	Knollenberg
Dixons	Dixons	Kolbe
Dodgett	Dodgett	Ros-Lehtinen
Dooley	Dooley	Kucinich
Doyle	Doyle	Rothman
Dreier	Dreier	Roukema
Dreier	Dreier	Royal-Allard
Dunn	Dunn	Rush
Edwards	Edwards	Sabot
Ehrlich	Ehrlich	Sanchez
Ehlers	Ehlers	Sanders
Engel	Engel	Sandlin
Eshoo	Eshoo	Sawyer
		Schakowsky

Scott	Stupak	Vento
Serrano	Sununu	Visclosky
Shuster	Sweeney	Walden
Souder	Shays	Walsh
Spence	Sherman	Waters
Stearns	Simpson	Tauzin
Stump	Sisisky	Watt (NC)
Talent	Skeen	Waxman
Tancredo	Thompson (CA)	Weiner
Taylor (MS)	Skelton	Thornberry
Taylor (NC)	Slaughter	Thurman
Terry	Smith (MI)	Tierney
Thune	Smith (TX)	Toomey
Tiahrt	Smith (WA)	Towns
Vitter	Snyder	Traficant
Wamp	Spratt	Turner
Watkins	Stabenow	Udall (CO)
Watts (OK)	Stark	Udall (NM)
Weldon (FL)	Stenholm	Upton
	Strickland	Velazquez

NOT VOTING—16

Bilbray	McDermott	Smith (NJ)
Cunningham	Mollohan	Thompson (MS)
Frank (MA)	Owens	Wolf
Hinchey	Peterson (PA)	Young (AK)
Johnson (CT)	Pickering	
Lantos	Pryce (OH)	

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Messrs. PASCRELL, SMITH of Washington, CUMMINGS, PORTER, ACKERMAN, BARCIA, LAFALCE, STUPAK, SKELTON, KUCINICH, and Ms. SLAUGHTER changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

Messrs. COMBEST, REYNOLDS, MCCOLLUM, CHAMBLISS, DOLITTLE, ARCHER, EVERETT, CALVERT, GOODLING, LIPINSKI, HYDE, TERRY, ROGAN, BARRETT of Nebraska, METCALF, SAM JOHNSON of Texas, SHERWOOD, COSTELLO, PHELPS, Mrs. BONO, and Mrs. CUBIN changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mrs. NORTHUP. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 360, I inadvertently voted incorrectly. I intended to vote "aye."

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN

The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to House Resolution 263, the Chair announces that he will reduce to a minimum of 5 minutes the period of time within which a vote by electronic device will be taken on the additional amendment on which the Chair has postponed further proceedings.

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. PAUL

The CHAIRMAN. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. PAUL) 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 offered by Mr. PAUL:

Page 116, after line 5, insert the following:

LIMITATION ON FUNDS FOR EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES, OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION, AND THE TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

SEC. . None of the funds made available pursuant to this Act for the Export-Import Bank of the United States, the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, or the Trade and Development Agency, may be used to enter into any new obligation, guarantee, or agreement on or after the date of the enactment of this Act.

## RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 58, noes 360, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 361]

## AYES—58

Armey	Hayworth	Radanovich	Latham	Olver	Smith (TX)
Barr	Hefley	Rogan	LaTourette	Ortiz	Smith (WA)
Bartlett	Hilleary	Rohrbacher	Lazio	Ose	Snyder
Bono	Hoekstra	Royce	Leach	Oxley	Souder
Burton	Hostettler	Ryun (KS)	Lee	Packard	Spence
Campbell	Hunter	Sanders	Lewis (CA)	Pallone	Spratt
Cannon	Istook	Sanford	Lewis (GA)	Pascarella	Stabenow
Chabot	Jones (NC)	Scarborough	Lipinski	Pastor	Stark
Chenoweth	Kasich	Schaffer	LoBiondo	Payne	Stearns
Coble	Kingston	Sessions	Lofgren	Pelosi	Stenholm
Coburn	Linder	Shadegg	Lowey	Peterson (MN)	Strickland
Collins	McInnis	Smith (MI)	Lucas (KY)	Pickett	Pitts
Condit	McIntosh	Stupak	Lucas (OK)	Pitts	Sununu
Cox	McIntyre	Tancredo	Luther	Pomeroy	Talent
DeFazio	McKinney	Terry	Maloney (CT)	Porter	Tanner
DeMint	Miller (FL)	Thune	Maloney (NY)	Portman	Tauscher
Doolittle	Myrick	Visclosky	Manzullo	Price (NC)	Tauzin
Duncan	Paul	Wamp	Markey	Quinn	Taylor (MS)
Goode	Pease		Mascara	Ramstad	Taylor (NC)
Hayes	Pombo		Matsui	Rangel	Thomas
			McCarthy (MO)	Regula	Thompson (CA)
			McCarthy (NY)	Reyes	Thurman
			McCollum	Reynolds	Tiaht
			McCrary	Riley	Tierney
			McGovern	Rivers	Toomey
			McHugh	Rodriguez	Traficant
			McKeon	Roemer	Turner
			McNulty	Rogers	Udall (CO)
			Meehan	Ros-Lehtinen	Udall (NM)
			Meek (FL)	Rothman	Upton
			Meeks (NY)	Roukema	Velazquez
			Menendez	Royal-Allard	Vento
			Metcalf	Rush	Vitter
			Mica	Ryan (WI)	Walder
			Millender-	Sabo	Walsh
			McDonald	Salmon	Waters
			Miller, Gary	Sanchez	Watkins
			Miller, George	Sandlin	Watt (NC)
			Minge	Sawyer	Watts (OK)
			Mink	Saxton	Waxman
			Moakley	Schakowsky	Weiner
			Moore	Scott	Weldon (FL)
			Moran (KS)	Sensenbrenner	Weldon (PA)
			Moran (VA)	Shaw	Weller
			Morella	Shays	Wexler
			Murtha	Sherman	Weygand
			Nadler	Sherwood	Whitfield
			Napolitano	Shimkus	Wicker
			Neal	Shows	Wilson
			Nethercutt	Shuster	Wise
			Ney	Simpson	Wolf
			Northup	Sisisky	Woolsey
			Norwood	Skeen	Wu
			Nussle	Skelton	Wynn
			Oberstar	Slaughter	Young (FL)
			Obey	Smith (NJ)	

## NOES—360

Abercrombie	Cook	Gonzalez	Millender-	Sabo	Walsh
Ackerman	Cooksey	Goodlatte	McDonald	Salmon	Waters
Aderholt	Costello	Goodling	Miller, Gary	Sanchez	Watkins
Allen	Coyne	Gordon	Miller, George	Sandlin	Watt (NC)
Andrews	Cramer	Goss	Minge	Sawyer	Watts (OK)
Archer	Crane	Graham	Mink	Saxton	Waxman
Bachus	Crowley	Granger	Moakley	Schakowsky	Weiner
Baird	Cubin	Green (TX)	Moore	Scott	Weldon (FL)
Baker	Cummings	Green (WI)	Moran (KS)	Sensenbrenner	Weldon (PA)
Baldacci	Cunningham	Greenwood	Moran (VA)	Shaw	Weller
Baldwin	Danner	Gutierrez	Morella	Shays	Wexler
Ballenger	Davis (FL)	Gutknecht	Murtha	Sherman	Weygand
Barcia	Davis (IL)	Hall (OH)	Nadler	Sherwood	Whitfield
Barrett (NE)	Davis (VA)	Hall (TX)	Napolitano	Shimkus	Wicker
Barrett (WI)	Deal	Hansen	Neal	Shows	Wilson
Barton	DeGette	Hastings (FL)	Nethercutt	Shuster	Wise
Bass	Delahunt	Hastings (WA)	Ney	Simpson	Wolf
Bateman	DeLauro	Herger	Northup	Sisisky	Woolsey
Becerra	DeLay	Hill (IN)	Norwood	Skeen	Wu
Bentsen	Deutsch	Hill (MT)	Nussle	Skelton	Wynn
Bereuter	Diaz-Balart	Hilliard	Oberstar	Slaughter	Young (FL)
Berkley	Dickey	Hinajosa	Obey	Smith (NJ)	
Berman	Dicks	Hobson			
Berry	Dingell	Hoeffel			
Biggert	Dixon	Holden			
Bilirakis	Doggett	Holt			
Bishop	Dooley	Hooley			
Blagojevich	Doyle	Horn			
Bliley	Dreier	Houghton			
Blumenauer	Dunn	Hoyer			
Blunt	Edwards	Hulshof			
Boehlert	Ehlers	Hutchinson			
Boehner	Ehrlich	Hyde			
Bonilla	Emerson	Insllee			
Bonior	Engel	Isakson			
Borski	English	Jackson (IL)			
Boswell	Eshoo	Jackson-Lee (TX)			
Boucher	Etheridge	Jefferson			
Boyd	Evans	Jenkins			
Brady (PA)	Everett	John			
Brady (TX)	Ewing	Johnson, E.B.			
Brown (FL)	Farr	Johnson, Sam			
Brown (OH)	Fattah	Jones (OH)			
Bryant	Filner	Kanjorski			
Burr	Fletcher	Kaptur			
Buyer	Foley	Kelly			
Callahan	Forbes	Kennedy			
Calvert	Ford	Kennedy			
Camp	Fossella	Kildee			
Canady	Fowler	Kilpatrick			
Capps	Franks (NJ)	Kind (WI)			
Capuano	Frelinghuysen	King (NY)			
Cardin	Frost	Klecza			
Carson	Gallegly	Knollenberg			
Castle	Ganske	Kolbe			
Chambliss	Gejdenson	Kucinich			
Clay	Gekas	Kuykendall			
Clayton	Gephhardt	LaFalce			
Clement	Gibbons	LaHood			
Clyburn	Gilchrist	Lampson			
Combest	Gillmor	Largent			
Conyers	Gilman	Larson			

## NOT VOTING—15

So the amendment was rejected.  
The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Chairman, I move to strike the last word.

Mr. Chairman, I want to take a moment to briefly address the final passage of the Foreign Operations bill. The President has issued a veto threat on the bill both for its low funding level and the inclusion of the objectionable Mexico City language.

Members when they cast their vote today should do so with the thought that at some future date, they may be asked to sustain a presidential veto. At the present time, I plan to vote "aye" to move the bill along, but again advising Members that at a future date if the funding level is not increased and the objectionable language is not removed and the President vetoes the bill that we may be called upon it.

The allocation of discretionary resources available in this bill is insuffi-

cient to make the investments that our citizens need and expect in implementing our foreign policy. With that thought in mind, I say to Members, it is a free vote, I will be voting "yes," but we may be calling upon you at a future date to sustain a presidential veto.

Mr. Chairman, I want to commend the distinguished chairman of the committee. He had too little money to work with, but he allocated it well. I also commend staff: Mark Murray and Carolyn Bartholomew on the Democratic side; and Charlie Flickner, John Shank, Chris Walker, Lori Maes and Nancy Tippins on the Republican side.

Mr. GILMAN. Mr. Chairman, will the gentlewoman yield?

Ms. PELOSI. I yield to the gentleman from New York, chairman of the authorizing committee.

Mr. GILMAN. I thank the gentlewoman for yielding.

Mr. Chairman, I rise to commend both the gentlewoman and the distinguished chairman of the Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs for an outstanding bill and for their hard work and to their staffs for bringing this to the floor in a very expeditious manner. They worked long and late last night to wind up this measure. I urge our colleagues to fully support this measure.

Ms. PELOSI. Reclaiming my time, Mr. Chairman, many people who follow this bill have heard me say this over and over again, but I want to make the point another time. Every person in America is familiar with President Kennedy's inaugural address when he said, "My fellow Americans, ask not what your country can do for you but what you can do for your country." The very next line in that speech, Mr. Chairman, says, "To the citizens of the world, ask not what America can do for you but what we can do working together for the freedom of mankind." That is a responsibility that we have in this bill. That is why we are disappointed the funding level is so low, but we want to move it forward in the hope that the funding level will be raised so that we can work together with the people of the world for the freedom of mankind.

The CHAIRMAN. There being no further amendments, under the rule the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. HANSEN) having assumed the chair, Mr. THORNBERRY, Chairman 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. 2606) making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 263, he reported the bill back to the House with sundry amendments 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? If not, the Chair will put them en gros.

The amendments were 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.

Pursuant to clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 385, nays 35, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 362]

YEAS—385

Abercrombie	Costello	Greenwood	Lipinski	Pallone	Smith (NJ)
Ackerman	Cox	Gutierrez	LoBiondo	Pascarella	Smith (TX)
Aderholt	Coyne	Gutknecht	Lofgren	Pastor	Smith (WA)
Allen	Cramer	Hall (OH)	Lowey	Pease	Snyder
Andrews	Crane	Hastert	Lucas (KY)	Pelosi	Spence
Archer	Crowley	Hastings (FL)	Maloney (CT)	Peterson (MN)	Spratt
Armey	Cubin	Hastings (WA)	Maloney (NY)	Phelps	Stabenow
Bachus	Cummings	Hayes	Manzullo	Pickett	Strickland
Baird	Cunningham	Hayworth	Markey	Pitts	Stupak
Baker	Danner	Hill (IN)	Martinez	Pomeroy	Sununu
Baldacci	Davis (FL)	Hill (MT)	Mascara	Porter	Sweeney
Baldwin	Davis (IL)	Hilleary	Matsui	Portman	Talent
Ballenger	Davis (VA)	Hilliard	McCarthy (MO)	Price (NC)	Tancredo
Barcia	Deal	Hinchey	McCarthy (NY)	Quinn	Tauscher
Barrett (NE)	DeFazio	Hinojosa	McCormick	Ramstad	Tauzin
Barrett (WI)	DeGette	Hobson	McCryer	Rangel	Taylor (NC)
Bartlett	Delahunt	Hoefel	McGovern	Regula	Terry
Barton	DeLauro	Hoekstra	McHugh	Reyes	Thomas
Bass	DeLay	Holden	McIntosh	Reynolds	Thompson (CA)
Bateman	DeMint	Holt	McIntyre	Riley	Thornberry
Becerra	Deutsch	Hooley	McKeon	Rivers	Thune
Bentsen	Diaz-Balart	Horn	McKinney	Rodriguez	Thurman
Bereuter	Dickey	Hostettler	McNulty	Rogan	Tiahrt
Berkley	Dicks	Houghton	Meehan	Ros-Lehtinen	Tierney
Berman	Dingell	Hoyer	Meek (FL)	Rothman	Toomey
Berry	Dixon	Hulshof	Meeks (NY)	Roukema	Towns
Biggert	Doggett	Hunter	Menendez	Royal-Allard	Turner
Bilirakis	Dooley	Hutchinson	Metcalf	Royce	Udall (CO)
Bishop	Doyle	Hyde	Mica	Rush	Udall (NM)
Blagojevich	Dreier	Insllee	Millender-	Ryan (WI)	Upton
Bliley	Dunn	Isakson	McDonald	Ryun (KS)	Velazquez
Blumenauer	Edwards	Istook	Miller (FL)	Sabo	Vento
Blunt	Ehlers	Jackson (IL)	Miller (GA)	Salmon	Viscosky
Boehlert	Ehrlich	Jackson-Lee	Miller (TX)	Sanchez	Vitter
Boehner	Emerson	Jefferson	Miller, George	Sanders	Walden
Bonilla	Engel	Jenkins	Minge	Sandlin	Walsh
Bonior	English	John	Moakley	Sawyer	Wamp
Bono	Eshoo	Johnson, E.B.	Moore	Saxton	Waters
Borski	Etheridge	Johnson, Sam	Moran (KS)	Scarborough	Watkins
Boswell	Evans	Jones (OH)	Moran (VA)	Schaffer	Watt (NC)
Boucher	Everett	Kanjorski	Morella	Schakowsky	Watts (OK)
Boyd	Ewing	Farr	Murtha	Scott	Waxman
Brady (PA)	Fattah	Kasich	Myrick	Serrano	Weiner
Brady (TX)	Filner	Kelly	Nadler	Sessions	Weldon (FL)
Brown (FL)	Fletcher	Kilpatrick	McAfee	Shadegg	Weldon (PA)
Brown (OH)	Foley	Kildee	Neal	Shaw	Weller
Bryant	Forbes	Kilpatrick	Oberstar	Nethercutt	Shays
Burr	Ford	Kind (WI)	Oberstar	Shuster	Wexler
Burton	Fossella	King (NY)	Obey	Simpson	Weygand
Callahan	Fowler	Kingston	Olver	Sisisky	Whitfield
Calvert	Franks (NJ)	Kleckza	Ortiz	Skrein	Wicker
Campbell	Frelighuysen	Klink	Ose	Skelton	Wilson
Canady	Frost	Knollenberg	Oxley	Slaughter	Wise
Cannon	Gallegly	Kolbe	Packard	Smith (MI)	Wolf
Capps	Ganske	Kucinich			Woolsey
Capuano	Gejdenson	Kuykendall			
Cardin	Gekas	LaHood			
Carson	Gephhardt	Lampson			
Castle	Gibbons	Larson			
Chambliss	Gillmor	Latham			
Clay	Gilman	LaTourette			
Clayton	Gonzalez	Lazio			
Clement	Goodlatte	Leach			
Clyburn	Gordon	Lee			
Coble	Goss	Levin			
Collins	Graham	Lewis (CA)			
Conyers	Granger	Lewis (GA)			
Cook	Green (TX)	Lewis (KY)			
Cooksey	Green (WI)	Linder			

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NOT VOTING—14

Bilbray	Lantos	Pickering
Buyer	McDermott	Pryce (OH)
Frank (MA)	Mollohan	Radanovich
Gilchrest	Owens	Thompson (MS)
Johnson (CT)	Peterson (PA)	

□ 1128

Mr. BLAGOJEVICH changed his vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed

with an amendment in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 2587. An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the bill (H.R. 2587) "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, 2000, and for other purposes," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. KYL, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. DURBIN, and Mr. INOUE, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed a bill of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 335. An act to amend chapter 30 of title 39, United States Code, to provide for the nonavailability of certain deceptive matter relating to sweepstakes, skill contests, facsimile checks, administrative procedures, orders, and civil penalties relating to such matter, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 880) "An Act to amend the Clean Air Act to remove flammable fuels from the list of substances with respect to which reporting and other activities are required under the risk management plan program."

□ 1130

#### TWENTY-FIRST AMENDMENT ENFORCEMENT ACT

Mr. GOSS. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 272 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 272

*Resolved*. That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2031) to provide for injunctive relief in Federal district court to enforce State laws relating to the interstate transportation of intoxicating liquor. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule for a period not to exceed two hours. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. During consideration of the bill for amendment,