

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATHAM). Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the pending business is the question of the Speaker's approval of the Journal of the last day's proceedings.

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

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. ETHERIDGE. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 382, noes 19, not voting 32, as follows:

[Roll No. 8]

AYES—382

Ackerman	Davis (CA)	Hill	Manzullo	Platts	Smith (TX)
Aderholt	Davis (FL)	Hilliard	Markey	Pombo	Smith (WA)
Akin	Davis (IL)	Hinchey	Mascara	Pomeroy	Snyder
Allen	Davis, Jo Ann	Hobson	Matheson	Portman	Solis
Andrews	Davis, Thomas	Hoefel	Matsui	Price (NC)	Souder
Armey	M.	Hoekstra	McCarthy (MO)	Pryce (OH)	Spence
Baca	Deal	Holden	McCarthy (NY)	Putnam	Spratt
Baker	DeGette	Holt	McCullom	Quinn	Stearns
Baldacci	Delahunt	Honda	McCrory	Radanovich	Stenholm
Baldwin	DeLauro	Hoooley	McGovern	Rahall	Strickland
Ballenger	DeMint	Horn	McHugh	Rangel	Stump
Barcia	Deutsch	Hostettler	McInnis	Regula	Sununu
Barr	Diaz-Balart	Houghton	McIntyre	Rehberg	Sweeney
Barrett	Dicks	Hoyer	McKeon	Reyes	Tancredo
Bartlett	Dingell	Hulshof	McKinney	Reynolds	Tanner
Barton	Doggett	Hunter	Menendez	Riley	Tauscher
Bass	Dooley	Hutchinson	Mica	Rivers	Tauzin
Bentsen	Doolittle	Hyde	Millender-McDonald	Rodriguez	Taylor (NC)
Bereuter	Doyle	Inslie	Miller (FL)	Meeks (NY)	Terry
Berkley	Dreier	Isakson	Miller, George	Menendez	Thomas
Berry	Duncan	Israel	Mink	Mica	Thornberry
Biggert	Dunn	Issa	Moakley	Miller (MI)	Thune
Bilirakis	Edwards	Istook	Moran (KS)	Rohrabacher	Thurman
Bishop	Ehlers	Jackson (IL)	Morella	Ros-Lehtinen	Taylor (NM)
Blagojevich	Ehrlich	Jackson-Lee	Murtha	Ross	Tiahrt
Blumenauer	Emerson	(TX)	Myrick	Rothman	Tiberi
Blunt	Engel	Jefferson	Nadler	Roukema	Tierney
Boehlert	English	Jenkins	Napolitano	Royal-Allard	Toomey
Bonilla	Eshoo	John	Neal	Roybal-Allard	Towns
Bonior	Etheridge	Johnson (CT)	Nethercutt	Royce	Traficant
Borski	Evans	Johnson (IL)	Ney	Ryan (WI)	Ryun (KS)
Boswell	Farr	Johnson, E. B.	Northup	Sawyer	Upton
Boucher	Fattah	Johnson, Sam	Norwood	Schakowsky	Velazquez
Boyd	Ferguson	Jones (OH)	Nussle	Scarpa	Visclosky
Brady (PA)	Flake	Kanjorski	Obey	Scarborough	Walden
Brady (TX)	Fletcher	Kaptur	Olver	Schiff	Walsh
Brown (FL)	Foley	Keller	Osborne	Shadegg	Wamp
Brown (OH)	Ford	Kelly	Ose	Shaw	Watkins
Brown (SC)	Fossella	Kennedy (MN)	Paul	Shuster	Watkins (NC)
Bryant	Frank	Kennedy (RI)	Payne	Shays	Watts (OK)
Burr	Frelinghuysen	Kerns	Pence	Sherman	Waxman
Burton	Frost	Kildee	Peterson (MN)	Sessions	Weber
Calvert	Gallegly	Kilpatrick	Peterson (PA)	Shimkus	Whitfield
Camp	Gekas	Kind (WI)	Pascrall	Pastor	Wicker
Cannon	Gibbons	King (NY)	Pawl	Shows	Wilson
Cantor	Gilchrest	Kingston	Pawlak	Shuster	Wolfe
Capito	Gillmor	Kleckza	Pawlak	Shays	Weldon (FL)
Capps	Gilman	Knollenberg	Pawlak	Sherman	Weldon (PA)
Cardin	Gonzalez	Kolbe	Pawlak	Simpson	Wexler
Carson (OK)	Goode	LaFalce	Pawlak	Simmons	Wicks
Castle	Goodlatte	LaHood	Pawlak	Simpson	Wolsey
Chabot	Gordon	Lampson	Pawlak	Siski	Wu
Chambliss	Goss	Langevin	Pawlak	Skelton	Wynn
Clay	Graham	Largent	Pawlak	Slaughter	Young (AK)
Clayton	Granger	Larsen (WA)	Pawlak	Smith (MI)	Young (FL)
Clement	Graves	Larson (CT)	Pawlak	Smith (NJ)	Young (PA)
Clyburn	Green (TX)	Latham	Pawlak	NOT VOTING—19	
Coble	Green (WI)	LaTourette	Pawlak		
Collins	Greenwood	Lee	Pawlak		
Combest	Grucci	Levin	Pawlak		
Condit	Gutknecht	Lewis (CA)	Pawlak		
Conyers	Hall (OH)	Lewis (KY)	Pawlak		
Cooksey	Hall (TX)	Linder	Pawlak		
Cox	Hansen	Lipinski	Pawlak		
Coyne	Harman	LoBiondo	Pawlak		
Cramer	Hart	Lofgren	Pawlak		
Crenshaw	Hastings (FL)	Lowey	Pawlak		
Crowley	Hastings (WA)	Lucas (KY)	Pawlak		
Cubin	Hayes	Lucas (OK)	Pawlak		
Culberson	Hayworth	Luther	Pawlak		
Cummings	Hefley	Maloney (CT)	Pawlak		
Cunningham	Herger	Maloney (NY)	Pawlak		

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So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. ABERCROMBIE. Mr. Speaker, earlier today, I was unavoidably absent when three rollcall votes were taken. Had I been present, I would have voted:

Rollcall No. 6, H. Con. Res. 14, Permission for use of the Capitol Rotunda for a Ceremony as a part of the remembrance of victims of the Holocaust, "yes"; Rollcall No. 7, H. Con. Res.

15, Expressing sympathy for the victims of the earthquake in India on January 26, 2001, "yes"; and Rollcall No. 8, Approval of the Journal, "yes."

ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO COMMITTEE ON HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Speaker, I offer a resolution (H. Res. 24) and I ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration in the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON). The Clerk will report the resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

H. RES. 24

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

House Administration: Mr. Ehlers; Mr. Mica; Mr. Linder; Mr. Doolittle and Mr. Reynolds.

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

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS TO CERTAIN STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. FROST. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, I offer a privileged resolution (H. Res. 25) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 25

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

Committee on Agriculture: Mr. Stenholm of Texas, Mr. Condit of California, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Mr. Dooley of California, Mrs. Clayton of North Carolina, Mr. Hilliard of Alabama, Mr. Holden of Pennsylvania, Mr. Bishop of Georgia, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Mr. Baldacci of Maine, Mr. Berry of Arkansas, Mr. McIntyre of North Carolina, Mr. Etheridge of North Carolina, Mr. John of Louisiana, Mr. Boswell of Iowa, Mr. Phelps of Illinois, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. Hill of Indiana, and Mr. Baca of California;

Committee on Appropriations: Mr. Obey of Wisconsin, Mr. Murtha of Pennsylvania, Mr. Dicks of Washington, Mr. Sabo of Minnesota, Mr. Hoyer of Maryland, Mr. Mollohan of West Virginia, Ms. Kaptur of Ohio, Ms. Pelosi of California, Mr. Visclosky of Indiana, Mrs. Lowey of New York, Mr. Serrano of New York, Ms. DeLauro of Connecticut, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. Olver of Massachusetts, Mr. Pastor of Arizona, Mrs. Meek of Florida, Mr. Price of North Carolina, Mr. Edwards of Texas, Mr. Cramer of Alabama, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, Mr. Clyburn of South Carolina, Mr. Hinchey of New York, Ms. Roybal-Allard of California, Mr. Farr of California, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Ms. Kilpatrick of Michigan, and Mr. Boyd of Florida;

Committee on Armed Services: Mr. Skelton of Missouri, Mr. Sisisky of Virginia, Mr. Spratt of South Carolina, Mr. Ortiz of Texas, Mr. Evans of Illinois, Mr. Taylor of Mississippi, Mr. Abercrombie of Hawaii, Mr.

Meehan of Massachusetts, Mr. Underwood of Guam, Mr. Blagojevich of Illinois, Mr. Reyes of Texas, Mr. Allen of Maine, Mr. Snyder of Arkansas, Mr. Turner of Texas, Mr. Smith of Washington, Ms. Sanchez of California, Mr. Maloney of Connecticut, Mr. McIntyre of North Carolina, Mr. Rodriguez of Texas, Ms. McKinney of Georgia, Ms. Tauscher of California, Mr. Brady of Pennsylvania, Mr. Andrews of New Jersey, Mr. Hill of Indiana, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Ms. Davis of California, and Mr. Langevin of Rhode Island;

Committee on the Budget: Mr. Spratt of South Carolina, Mr. McDermott of Washington, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Mr. Bentzen of Texas, Mr. Davis of Florida, Mrs. Clayton of North Carolina, Mr. Price of North Carolina, Mr. Markey of Massachusetts, Mr. Kleczka of Wisconsin, Mr. Clement of Tennessee, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mr. Holt of New Jersey, Mr. Hoeffel of Pennsylvania, and Ms. Baldwin of Wisconsin;

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Mr. Dingell of Michigan, Mr. Waxman of California, Mr. Markey of Massachusetts, Mr. Hall of Texas, Mr. Boucher of Virginia, Mr. Towns of New York, Mr. Pallone of New Jersey, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mr. Gordon of Tennessee, Mr. Deutsch of Florida, Mr. Rush of Illinois, Ms. Eshoo of California, Mr. Stupak of Michigan, Mr. Engel of New York, Mr. Sawyer of Ohio, Mr. Wynn of Maryland, Mr. Green of Texas, Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. Strickland of Ohio, Ms. DeGette of Colorado, Mr. Barrett of Wisconsin, Mr. Luther of Minnesota, and Ms. Capps of California;

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Mr. Miller of California, Mr. Kildee of Michigan, Mr. Owens of New York, Mr. Payne of New Jersey, Ms. Mink of Hawaii, Mr. Andrews of New Jersey, Mr. Roemer of Indiana, Mr. Scott of Virginia, Ms. Woolsey of California, Ms. Rivers of Michigan, Mr. Fattah of Pennsylvania, Mr. Hinojosa, Ms. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Tierney of Massachusetts, Mr. Kind of Wisconsin, Ms. Sanchez of California, Mr. Ford of Tennessee, Mr. Kucinich of Ohio, Mr. Wu of Oregon, Mr. Holt of New Jersey, Ms. McCollum of Minnesota, and Ms. Solis of California.

Committee on Financial Services: Mr. LaFalce of New York, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Kanjorski of Pennsylvania, Ms. Waters of California, Ms. Maloney of New York, Mr. Gutierrez of Illinois, Ms. Velazquez of New York, Mr. Watt of North Carolina, Mr. Ackerman of New York, Mr. Bentzen of Texas, Mr. Maloney of Connecticut, Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mrs. Carson of Indiana, Mr. Sherman of California, Mr. Sandlin of Texas, Mr. Meeks of New York, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. Mascara of Pennsylvania, Mr. Inslee of Washington, Ms. Schakowsky of Illinois, Mr. Moore of Kansas, Mr. Gonzalez of Texas, Ms. Tubbs Jones of Ohio, and Mr. Capuano of Massachusetts;

Committee on Government Reform: Mr. Waxman of California, Mr. Lantos of California, Mr. Owens of New York, Mr. Towns of New York, Mr. Kanjorski of Pennsylvania, Ms. Mink of Hawaii, Ms. Maloney of New York, Ms. Norton of the District of Columbia, Mr. Fattah of Pennsylvania, Mr. Cummings of Maryland, Mr. Kucinich of Ohio, Mr. Blagojevich of Illinois, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Tierney of Massachusetts, Mr. Turner of Texas, Mr. Allen of Maine, Mr. Ford of Tennessee, and Ms. Schakowsky of Illinois;

Committee on House Administration: Mr. Fattah of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Davis of Florida;

Committee on International Relations: Mr. Lantos of California, Mr. Berman of California, Mr. Ackerman of New York, Mr. Faleomavaega of American Samoa, Mr.

Payne of New Jersey, Mr. Menendez of New Jersey, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Ms. McKinney of Georgia, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. Hilliard of Alabama, Mr. Sherman of California, Mr. Wexler of Florida, Mr. Rothman of New Jersey, Mr. Davis of Florida, Mr. Delahunt of Massachusetts, Mr. Meeks of New York, Ms. Lee of California, Mr. Crowley of New York and Mr. Hoeffel of Pennsylvania.

Committee on the Judiciary: Mr. Conyers of Michigan, Mr. Frank of Massachusetts, Mr. Berman of California, Mr. Boucher of Virginia, Mr. Nadler of New York, Mr. Scott of Virginia, Mr. Watt of North Carolina, Ms. Lofgren of California, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Ms. Waters of California, Mr. Meehan of Massachusetts, Mr. Delahunt of Massachusetts, Mr. Wexler of Florida, Mr. Rothman of New Jersey, Ms. Baldwin of Wisconsin, and Mr. Weiner of New York;

Committee on Science: Mr. Hall of Texas, Mr. Gordon of Tennessee, Mr. Costello of Illinois, Mr. Barcia of Michigan, Ms. Johnson of Texas, Ms. Woolsey of California, Ms. Rivers of Michigan, Ms. Lofgren of California, Mr. Doyle of Pennsylvania, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. Etheridge of North Carolina, Mr. Lampson of Texas, Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Mr. Udall of Colorado, Mr. Wu of Oregon, Mr. Weiner of New York, Mr. Capuano of Massachusetts, Mr. Baird of Washington, Mr. Hoeffel of Pennsylvania, Mr. Moore of Kansas, and Mr. Baca of California;

Committee on Small Business: Ms. Velazquez of New York, Ms. Millender-McDonald of California, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Ms. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Pascrell of New Jersey, Mr. Hinojosa of Texas, Ms. Christensen of the Virgin Islands, Mr. Brady of Pennsylvania, Mr. Udall of New Mexico, Mr. Moore of Kansas, Ms. Tubbs-Jones, Mr. Gonzalez of Texas, Mr. Phelps of Illinois, Ms. Molipano of California, Mr. Baird of Washington, Ms. Berkley of Nevada, and Mr. Udall of Colorado;

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Mr. Oberstar of Minnesota, Mr. Rahall of West Virginia, Mr. Borski of Pennsylvania, Mr. Lipinski of Illinois, Mr. DeFazio of Oregon, Mr. Clement of Tennessee, Mr. Costello of Illinois, Ms. Norton of the District of Columbia, Mr. Nadler of New York, Mr. Menendez of New Jersey, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. Barcia of Michigan, Mr. Filner of California, Ms. Johnson of Texas, Mr. Mascara of Pennsylvania, Mr. Taylor of Mississippi, Ms. Millender-McDonald of California, Mr. Cummings of Maryland, Mr. Blumenauer of Oregon, Mr. Sandlin of Texas, Ms. Tauscher of California, Mr. Pascrell of New Jersey, Mr. Boswell of Iowa, Mr. McGovern of Massachusetts, Mr. Holden of Pennsylvania, Mr. Lampson of Texas, Mr. Baldacci of Maine, Mr. Berry of Arkansas, Mr. Baird of Washington, Ms. Berkley of Nevada, Mr. Carson of Oklahoma, Mr. Matheson of Utah, Mr. Honda of California, and Mr. Larsen of Washington;

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Mr. Evans of Illinois, Mr. Filner of California, Mr. Gutierrez of Illinois, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mr. Doyle of Pennsylvania, Mr. Peterson of Minnesota, Mrs. Carson of Indiana, Mr. Reyes of Texas, Mr. Snyder of Arkansas, Mr. Rodriguez of Texas, Mr. Shows of Mississippi, Ms. Berkley of Nevada, Mr. Hill of Indiana, and Mr. Udall of New Mexico;

Committee on Ways and Means: Mr. Rangel of New York, Mr. Stark of California, Mr. Matsui of California, Mr. Coyne of Pennsylvania, Mr. Levin of Michigan, Mr. Cardin of Maryland, Mr. McDermott of Washington, Mr. Kleczka of Wisconsin, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, Mr. Neal of Massachusetts, Mr. McNulty of New York, Mr. Jefferson of Louisiana, Mr. Tanner of Tennessee, Mr. Becerra of California, Ms. Thurman of Florida, Mr. Doggett of Texas, and Mr. Pomeroy of North Dakota.

Mr. FROST (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be considered as read and printed in the RECORD.

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

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

RESIGNATION FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following resignation from the House of Representatives:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, January 29, 2001.

Speaker J. DENNIS HASTERT,
*The U.S. House of Representatives,
The Capitol, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER, Attached herewith is a copy of my letter to Governor Tom Ridge of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania stating that my retirement and resignation from the United States Congress shall be effective at 2400 hours, Friday, February 2, 2001.

Sincerely,

BUD SHUSTER,
Member of Congress.

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, January 29, 2001.

Governor TOM RIDGE,
*Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Office of the Governor, Harrisburg, PA.*

DEAR GOVERNOR RIDGE, I hereby submit my letter of retirement and resignation from the United States Congress, effective at 2400 hours, Friday, February 2, 2001.

Sincerely,

BUD SHUSTER,
Member of Congress.

WISHING THE HON. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, MEMBER OF CONGRESS, HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the House be on record as wishing the distinguished gentleman from Missouri (Mr. GEPHARDT) a happy birthday and many happy returns.

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

There was no objection.

SPECIAL ORDERS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 3, 2001, and under a previous order of the House, the following Members will be recognized for 5 minutes each.

MAKING CALIFORNIA WHOLE AGAIN

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from California (Mr. FILNER) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. FILNER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to talk about my City of San