

BASS, 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. 2330) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

LIMITING AMENDMENTS DURING FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2330, AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that during further consideration of H.R. 2330 in the Committee of the Whole pursuant to House Resolution 183, no further amendment to the bill may be offered except the following amendments, each of which shall be debatable for 10 minutes:

An amendment offered by Mrs. CLAYTON related to rental assistance, which may be offered at any time during consideration; an amendment offered by Mr. TRAFICANT related to Buy American; an amendment offered by Mr. ALLEN related to total cost of research and development and approvals of new drugs; an amendment offered by Ms. KAPTUR related to the biofuels; an amendment offered by Ms. KAPTUR related to BSE; an amendment offered by Ms. KAPTUR related to 4-H Program Centennial; an amendment offered by Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma related to watersheds and flood operations; an amendment offered by Mrs. MINK of Hawaii related to the Hawaii Agriculture Research Center; an amendment offered by Mrs. MINK of Hawaii related to the Oceanic Institute of Hawaii; an amendment offered by Mr. BLUMENAUER related to price supports; an amendment offered by Mr. ROYCE related to allocations under the market access program; an amendment offered by Mr. SMITH of Michigan related to the Food Security Act; an amendment offered by Mr. SMITH of Michigan related to the Agriculture Market Transition Act; an amendment offered by Mr. SMITH of Michigan related to the nitrogen-fixing ability of plants; an amendment offered by Mr. BACA related to Hispanic-serving institutions; an amendment offered by Ms. PELOSI related to HIV.

Two, the following additional amendments, each of which shall be debatable for 20 minutes:

An amendment offered by Mr. BROWN related to abbreviated applications for the approval of new drugs under section 505(j) of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act; an amendment offered by Mr. STUPAK or Mr. BOEHLERT related to elderly nutrition; an amendment offered by Mrs. CLAYTON related to socially disadvantaged farmers.

Three, the following additional amendments, each of which shall be debatable for 30 minutes:

An amendment offered by Mr. HINCHEY related to American Rivers Heritage; an amendment offered by Mr. KUCINICH related to transgenic fish; an amendment offered by Mr. GUTKNECHT related to drug importation.

Four, the following additional amendments, each of which shall be debatable for 40 minutes:

An amendment offered by Mr. SANDERS related to drug importation; an amendment offered by Mr. WEINER related to mohair.

Five, the following additional amendment, which shall be debatable for 60 minutes, and which may be brought up at any time during consideration:

An amendment offered by Mr. OLVER or Mr. GILCHREST related to Kyoto.

Each additional amendment may be offered only by the Member designated in this request, or a designee; shall be considered as read; shall be debatable for the time specified equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent; shall not be subject to amendment; and shall not be subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

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

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I only do so to advise the House what we are doing.

After the approval of this unanimous consent request, we will go back to the Committee of the Whole and we will have the votes that were rolled to this time. At the conclusion of that time, I believe we are to deal with the amendment of the gentlewoman from North Carolina (Mrs. CLAYTON) briefly. At that point then, the subcommittee chairman will move to rise; and we will have concluded the business for the day. We will return to this bill the day after we return from our July 4, Independence Day recess.

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

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

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I would just like to clarify what that means is that after the disposition of the Clayton amendment, we will have the three votes, that will be it for the evening. And then when we return after the July 4 recess, this bill will be the first order of business. We will take it up on Wednesday, and we will debate it to its conclusion?

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. OBEY. I yield to the gentleman from Florida.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, this bill would be considered on the day after we return from the recess.

Mr. OBEY. We mean Wednesday by that; do we not?

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Yes.

Mr. OBEY. That will be the first bill up, and it will be debated to its conclusion?

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. I would expect that it would be first, and I know of no reason why it will not be first.

Mr. OBEY. If I could also clarify the language of the unanimous consent request, the last paragraph reads, "Each additional amendment may be offered only by the Member designated in this request." By that word "additional," you mean the amendments previously cited, does not the gentleman?

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. OBEY. I yield to the gentleman from Texas.

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Speaker, that is correct.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

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

There was no objection.

AGRICULTURE, RURAL DEVELOPMENT, FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 183 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. 2330.

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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. 2330) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, with Mr. BASS (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 earlier today, a request for a recorded vote on the amendment by the gentleman from New York (Mr. ENGEL) had been postponed and the bill was open for amendment from page 49 line 9 through page 57 line 15.

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MRS. CLAYTON

Mrs. CLAYTON. Mr. Chairman, I offer an amendment.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The Clerk will designate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment offered by Mrs. CLAYTON:

In title III, in the item relating to "Rural Housing Insurance Fund Program Account" add at the end the following:

Of the amounts made available under this heading in chapter 1 of title II of Public Law 106-246 (114 Stat. 540) for gross obligations for principal amount of direct loans authorized

by title V of the Housing Act of 1949 for section 515 rental housing, the Secretary of Agriculture may use up to \$5,986,197 for rental assistance agreements described in the item relating to "Rental Assistance Program" in such chapter: *Provided*, That such amount is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Control Act of 1985, as amended.

In making available for occupancy dwelling units in housing that is provided with funds made available under the heading referred to in the preceding paragraph, the Secretary of Agriculture may give preference to prospective tenants who are residing in temporary housing provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency as a result of an emergency.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The Chair would inquire of the gentlewoman from North Carolina (Mrs. CLAYTON), is this the amendment that the Committee of the Whole permitted the gentlewoman to offer?

Mrs. CLAYTON. Mr. Chairman, yes.

Mr. Chairman, the amendment I have offered amends title III of the Rural Housing Insurance Act. Mr. Chairman, this is an amendment that allows us to speak to the issue of rural housing, particularly rental housing, that are not available in our area. What this particular amendment does, it allows for monies that were not spent, that were allocated by this Congress during the floods, on the rental housing. It provides the opportunity to redirect some balance of dollars available. It simply gives authority of those monies to use up to \$5.9 million of the balance it has. Originally in the year 2000, the Supplemental Appropriation Act provided \$32 million to section 515 and \$13.6 million for 1,000 units in section 521.

At the end of this year, they spent \$20 million. There remains \$12 million unspent.

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

Mrs. CLAYTON. I yield to the gentleman from Texas.

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Chairman, I apologize for the confusion that we had a few minutes ago, and we would be delighted to accept the amendment of the gentlewoman from North Carolina.

Mrs. CLAYTON. Without me explaining it, the gentleman will accept it? I like that.

Mr. Chairman, I shall not go further as I understand that he is willing to accept my amendment, which gives the opportunity for the five States to now have rental assistance so senior citizens and single family members can have an apartment. I am delighted.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The question is on the amendment offered by the gentlewoman from North Carolina (Mrs. CLAYTON).

The amendment was agreed to.

SEQUENTIAL VOTES POSTPONED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, proceedings will now resume on those amendments on which further proceedings were postponed in the fol-

lowing order: amendment by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BROWN); amendment by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BROWN); amendment by the gentleman from New York (Mr. ENGEL).

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

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. BROWN OF OHIO

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BROWN) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will designate the amendment.

The Clerk designated the amendment.

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 324, noes 89, not voting 20, as follows:

[Roll No. 208]

AYES—324

Abercrombie	Davis (IL)	Hooley	McCarthy (NY)	Price (NC)	Stark
Ackerman	Davis, Jo Ann	Horn	McCullum	Pryce (OH)	Stearns
Aderholt	Davis, Tom	Hoyer	McCrary	Quinn	Stenholm
Allen	DeFazio	Hulshof	McDermott	Rahall	Strickland
Andrews	DeGette	Hunter	McGovern	Ramstad	Stupak
Baca	Delahunt	Hutchinson	McHugh	Rangel	Sununu
Bachus	DeLauro	Hyde	McIntyre	Regula	Tancredo
Baird	Deutsch	Inslee	McKeon	Rehberg	Tanner
Baker	Dicks	Israel	McKinney	Reyes	Tauscher
Baldacci	Dingell	Jackson (IL)	McNulty	Reynolds	Tauzin
Baldwin	Doggett	Jackson-Lee	Meek (FL)	Rivers	Taylor (MS)
Barcina	Dooley	(TX)	Meeks (NY)	Rodriguez	Taylor (NC)
Barrett	Doyle	Jefferson	Menendez	Roemer	Terry
Bartlett	Duncan	Jenkins	Mica	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (CA)
Bass	Edwards	John	Millender	Rogers (MI)	Thompson (MS)
Becerra	Ehrlich	Johnson (CT)	McDonald	Rohrabacher	Thune
Bentsen	Emerson	Johnson (IL)	Miller, George	Ross	Thurman
Bereuter	Engel	Johnson, E. B.	Mink	Rothman	Tiahrt
Berkley	English	Jones (NC)	Mollohan	Royal-Allard	Tiberi
Berman	Eshoo	Jones (OH)	Moore	Royce	Tierney
Berry	Etheridge	Kanjorski	Moran (KS)	Rush	Toomey
Bilirakis	Evans	Kaptur	Moran (VA)	Ryan (WI)	Towns
Bishop	Farr	Kelly	Napolitano	Sabu	Traficant
Blagojevich	Fattah	Kennedy (MN)	Neal	Sanchez	Turner
Blumenauer	Filner	Kennedy (RI)	Ney	Sanders	Udall (CO)
Boehlert	Fletcher	Kildee	Northup	Napolitano	Udall (NM)
Bono	Foley	Kilpatrick	Nussle	Sandlin	Upton
Borski	Forbes	Kind (WI)	Oberstar	Sawyer	Watson (CA)
Boswell	Ford	King (NY)	Pallone	Saxton	Watson (NC)
Boucher	Frank	Kingston	Pascarella	Schakowsky	Velazquez
Boyd	Frost	Kirk	Peterson (MN)	Schiff	Visclosky
Brady (PA)	Gallegly	Kleckzka	Petri	Solis	Walden
Brady (TX)	Ganske	Kolbe	Pickering	Spratt	Wamp
Brown (FL)	Gephardt	Kucinich	Pomeroy	Shimkus	Waters
Brown (OH)	Gilchrest	LaFalce	AYES—324	Shows	Watson (CA)
Calvert	Gillmor	LaHood	Pastor	Simmons	Whitfield
Camp	Gilman	Lampson	Paul	Skelton	Wicker
Cannon	Gonzalez	Langevin	Payne	Slaughter	Wilson
Capito	Goode	Lantos	Pelosi	Peterson (MN)	Smith (MI)
Capps	Goodlatte	Larsen (WA)	Peterson (PA)	Smith (NJ)	Smith (WA)
Capuano	Graham	Larson (CT)	Pickering	Snyder	Smith (WA)
Cardin	Green (TX)	LaTourette	Pomeroy	Solis	Young (AK)
Carson (IN)	Green (WI)	Leach	NOES—89	AYES—324	NOES—89
Carson (OK)	Gutierrez	Lee	Pastor	Pastor	Pastor
Castle	Gutknecht	Levin	Akin	Flake	Nethercutt
Clay	Hansen	Lewis (GA)	Armeny	Frelinghuysen	Norwood
Clayton	Harmar	Lewis (KY)	Jenkins	Gekas	Osborne
Clement	Hart	Lipinski	Johnson (CT)	Ballenger	Otter
Clyburn	Hastings (FL)	LoBiondo	Johnson (IL)	Barr	Gibbons
Condit	Hefley	Lofgren	Johnson (IL)	Biggert	Oxley
Conyers	Hill	Lowey	Johnson (IL)	Blunt	Pence
Cooksey	Hildeary	Lucas (KY)	Johnson, E. B.	Granger	Pitts
Costello	Hilliard	Luther	Jones (NC)	Boehner	Pombo
Cox	Hinchey	Maloney (CT)	Jones (OH)	Bonilla	Portman
Coyne	Hinojosa	Maloney (NY)	Kanjorski	Brown (SC)	Radanovich
Cramer	Hobson	Manzullo	Kaptur	Brown (SC)	Riley
Crowley	Hoeffel	Markey	King (NY)	Buyer	Ryun (KS)
Cummings	Hoekstra	Mascara	Kilpatrick	Cantor	Scarborough
Cunningham	Holden	Matheson	Kolbe	Chabot	Schrock
Davis (CA)	Holt	Matsui	Lantos	Coble	Sessions
Davis (FL)	Honda	McCarthy (MO)	Larsen (WA)	Collins	Isakson

DeLay	DeMint	DeMint	DeLay	DeLay	DeLay
Doolittle	Doolittle	Doolittle	Doolittle	Doolittle	Doolittle
Dreier	Dreier	Dreier	Dreier	Dreier	Dreier
Dunn	Dunn	Dunn	Dunn	Dunn	Dunn
Ehlers	Ehlers	Ehlers	Ehlers	Ehlers	Ehlers
Ferguson	Ferguson	Ferguson	Ferguson	Ferguson	Ferguson
Barton	Gordon	Gordon	Gordon	Gordon	Gordon
Bonior	Hall (OH)				
Burton	Houghton	Houghton	Houghton	Houghton	Houghton
Callahan	Largent	Largent	Largent	Largent	Largent
Diaz-Balart	Meehan	Meehan	Meehan	Meehan	Meehan
Everett	Platts	Platts	Platts	Platts	Platts
Fossella	Putnam	Putnam	Putnam	Putnam	Putnam

NOT VOTING—20

Gordon	Ros-Lehtinen
Hall (OH)	Roukema
Houghton	Schaffer
Largent	Smith (TX)
Meehan	Thomas
Platts	Weldon (PA)

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Mr. BARR of Georgia changed his vote from "aye" to "no."

Messrs. SENSENBRENNER, JOHN-SON of Illinois, WAMP, HYDE, KING-STON, QUINN, HEFLEY, JENKINS,

Millender	Riley
McDonald	Rivers
Miller, George	Rodriguez
Mink	Roemer
Mollohan	Rogers (KY)
Moore	Rogers (MI)
Moran (KS)	Rohrabacher
Moran (VA)	Ross
Morella	Rothman
Murtha	Royal-Ballard
Myrick	Royce
Nadler	Rush
Napolitano	Ryan (WI)
Neal	Sabo
Ney	Sanchez
Nussle	Sanders
Oberstar	Sandlin
Obey	Sawyer
Olver	Saxton
Ortiz	Scarborough
Owens	Schakowsky
Pallone	Schiff
Pascarella	Scott
Pastor	Sensenbrenner
Payne	Serrano
Pelosi	Shaw
Pence	Shays
Petri	Sherman
Phelps	Sherwood
Pickering	Shimkus
Pitts	Shows
Pomeroy	Simmons
Price (NC)	Skelton
Quinn	Slaughter
Rahall	Smith (NJ)
Ramstad	Smith (WA)
Rangel	Snyder
Reyes	Solis
Reynolds	Souder

NOES—115

Armey	Gallegly
Ballenger	Gibbons
Barr	Gillmor
Bereuter	Goode
Biggert	Goodlatte
Bilirakis	Goss
Blunt	Granger
Boehlert	Graves
Boehner	Greenwood
Bonilla	Hansen
Boyd	Hastings (WA)
Brown (SC)	Hayes
Bryant	Hayworth
Burr	Herger
Buyer	Hunter
Camp	Hutchinson
Cannon	Isakson
Cantor	Issa
Castle	Istook
Chabot	Jenkins
Chambliss	Johnson, Sam
Coble	Keller
Collins	Kerns
Combest	Kingston
Cooksey	Knoilenberg
Crane	Kolbe
Crenshaw	Latham
Cubin	Linder
Cunningham	Lucas (OK)
Deal	McCrery
DeLay	McKeon
DeMint	Mica
Doolittle	Miller (FL)
Dreier	Miller, Gary
Dunn	Nethercutt
Ehlers	Northup
Emerson	Norwood
Flake	Osborne
Frelinghuysen	Ose

NOT VOTING—27

Baker	Farr	Meehan
Barton	Fattah	Platts
Bonior	Fossella	Putnam
Bono	Hall (OH)	Ros-Lehtinen
Burton	Houghton	Roukema
Callahan	Jefferson	Schaffer
Conyers	John	Smith (TX)
Diaz-Balart	Largent	Thomas
Everett	McInnis	Weldon (PA)

□ 1809

Ms. HART and Mr. SHAYS changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Mr. BONILLA. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD) having resumed the chair, Mr. GOODLATTE, 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. 2330) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed without amendment a concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 176. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate.

HEARTFELT THANKS TO ANNE HOLCOMBE, CINDY SEBO, AND VICKY STALLSWORTH

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

Mr. EHLERS. Mr. Speaker, I hope you will be kind on the time allotted, because I want to take a few moments to recognize a very special person who has worked in this Chamber for some time, who has graced this Chamber and has helped us a great deal, and she will soon be leaving, and that is Ms. Anne Holcombe, who is seated at the front desk.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. EHLERS. I yield to the gentleman from California.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. EHLERS), my friend, for yielding to me.

I join today in recognizing Anne Holcombe. This is her last day as the senior legislative clerk, so I, along with my colleagues, thought it appropriate that we take a 1 minute, since you enjoy them so much, Anne, a special order.

I know that you enjoy sitting here through special orders. If you had a chance of a 1 minute or a special order, I suspect that you might prefer a 1 minute.

Anne is moving to Charlotte, North Carolina to be closer to her family and to start a new chapter in her life.

I want to wish her well. Our colleague, the former Mayor of Charlotte, North Carolina, a distinguished member of the Committee on Rules, Sue Myrick, will become your representative here in the House.

Anne's professionalism on the dais has been a steady source of confidence

that the records of the House will always be in order, that is why we are all very sad to see her leave.

I cannot imagine why Anne would want to leave the House. I know that you greatly enjoy sitting here waiting until 3 o'clock in the morning until the committee that I am privileged to Chair reports a rule down here.

As I said, I know how much you enjoy special orders that often extend up to, under our great reform process, midnight we know, but you do, obviously, grace the dais extraordinarily well.

You have worked here for many years. Anne started in September of 1996, Mr. Speaker, as a legislative information specialist and was responsible for researching, editing, and maintaining the legislative database that we, in the House, as well as the general public, depend on for information about what is happening here in the Congress.

In October of 1997, Anne was promoted to assistant chief floor clerk, where she made sure that the words we spoke on the House floor were transposed into marvelous eloquence, of course, while still complying with the rules of the House.

Then in January of 2000, Anne was promoted again to senior legislative floor clerk. She has done a terrific job in serving this institution and her country very well.

Mr. Speaker, if the gentleman will continue to yield, I would also like to note that we also have two official reporters, one of whom is right here, who is actually finishing her last day, Cindy Sebo, who has worked long and hard, and also Vicky Stallsworth, who is also completing her last day here.

I guess the place is going to be empty when we come back. No one will be here to do any work. I hope very much that these positions are filled.

Let me say to all three that we wish them well in their future endeavors, and I thank my friend for yielding.

Mr. EHLERS. Mr. Speaker, reclaiming my time, I want to add my congratulations to all three of them and especially my heartfelt thanks. I have always made a point of trying to get to know the individuals who work in the front of this Chamber, who keep very long hours and transcribe everything we do and keep good order out of it.

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I am delighted that both of the reporters who are leaving us are here present so we can thank both Cindy and Vicky as well. I hope you spell your names properly as you transcribe this.

They work tirelessly. They are going on to other things and other lands. I cannot imagine why Vicky, who is moving to Fort Collins, Colorado; and Anne, who is moving to North Carolina, if you are going to leave Washington to find a better place, I can understand that; but I would certainly recommend Grand Rapids, Michigan,