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The House met at 10 a.m.

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer:

Lord God of history and ever-present, Your call to Abram to leave his place and to move to a place You would show him is truly a call of faith.

Lord, You know it is not easy for us to unplug ourselves or for us to deal with the unknown. There is an inner resistance in all of us to change. We find security in the familiar. Contentment seems to breathe an air of blessedness in being where we are, how we are, and who we are. Yet Your call of faith, O Lord, is a call to change and a constant conversion of heart until we are completely one in You and with You.

Be with all the Members of the United States House of Representa-

tives, the President, and all who serve in government.

Help them to be people of faith and true leaders. May they never be afraid to change themselves or to change the course of history as a response to Your holy inspiration. Give them courage to act upon what they believe, to follow their convictions, and lead others in the ways of faith.

O Lord, in a world of constant change, You alone are reliable now and forever. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. PENCE. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

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

Mr. PENCE. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

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The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 349, nays 48, answered “present” 1, not voting 34, as follows:

[Roll No 459]

YEAS—349

Abercrombie	Emerson	Larson (CT)
Ackerman	English	Latham
Akin	Eshoo	LaTourette
Allen	Evans	Leach
Andrews	Everett	Lee
Arney	Farr	Levin
Baca	Fattah	Lewis (CA)
Bachus	Ferguson	Lewis (GA)
Baker	Flake	Lewis (KY)
Baldacci	Fletcher	Linder
Baldwin	Foley	Lipinski
Ballenger	Forbes	Lofgren
Barcia	Frank	Lowe
Barr	Frelinghuysen	Lucas (KY)
Barrett	Frost	Lucas (OK)
Bartlett	Gallely	Luther
Barton	Ganske	Lynch
Bass	Gekas	Maloney (CT)
Becerra	Gephardt	Maloney (NY)
Bereuter	Gibbons	Manzullo
Berkley	Gilchrest	Markey
Berman	Gilman	Mascara
Berry	Gonzalez	Matsui
Biggert	Goodlatte	McCarthy (MO)
Bilirakis	Gordon	McCarthy (NY)
Bishop	Goss	McCollum
Blagojevich	Graham	McCrery
Blumenauer	Granger	McGovern
Blunt	Graves	McHugh
Boehlert	Green (TX)	McInnis
Boehner	Green (WI)	McIntyre
Bonilla	Greenwood	McKeon
Bonior	Grucci	McKinney
Bono	Gutierrez	Meehan
Boswell	Hall (TX)	Meeks (NY)
Boyd	Hansen	Menendez
Brady (TX)	Harman	Mica
Brown (FL)	Hart	Millender-
Brown (OH)	Hastings (WA)	McDonald
Brown (SC)	Hayes	Miller, Dan
Bryant	Hayworth	Miller, Gary
Burr	Herger	Miller, Jeff
Burton	Hill	Mink
Buyer	Hilleary	Mollohan
Callahan	Hobson	Moran (VA)
Calvert	Hoeffel	Morrell
Camp	Holden	Murtha
Cantor	Holt	Napolitano
Capito	Honda	Neal
Capps	Hooley	Nethercutt
Cardin	Horn	Ney
Carson (OK)	Hostettler	Northup
Castle	Houghton	Norwood
Chabot	Hoyer	Nussle
Chambliss	Hulshof	Ortiz
Clayton	Hunter	Osborne
Clement	Inslee	Ose
Clyburn	Isakson	Otter
Coble	Israel	Owens
Collins	Issa	Oxley
Combust	Istook	Pascarell
Condit	Jackson (IL)	Pastor
Cox	Jackson-Lee	Paul
Cramer	(TX)	Payne
Crenshaw	Jefferson	Pelosi
Crowley	Jenkins	Pence
Davis (CA)	John	Peterson (PA)
Davis (FL)	Johnson (IL)	Petri
Davis (IL)	Johnson, Sam	Phelps
Davis, Jo Ann	Jones (NC)	Pickering
Davis, Tom	Jones (OH)	Pitts
Deal	Kanjorski	Platts
DeGette	Kaptur	Pombo
Delahunt	Keller	Pomeroy
DeLauro	Kelly	Portman
DeLay	Kennedy (RI)	Price (NC)
DeMint	Kerns	Pryce (OH)
Deutsch	Kildee	Putnam
Diaz-Balart	Kilpatrick	Radanovich
Dicks	Kind (WI)	Rahall
Dingell	King (NY)	Rangel
Doggett	Kingston	Regula
Dooley	Kirk	Rehberg
Doolittle	Kleczka	Reynolds
Doyle	Knollenberg	Riley
Dreier	Kolbe	Rivers
Duncan	LaHood	Rodriguez
Dunn	Lampson	Roemer
Edwards	Langevin	Rogers (KY)
Ehlers	Lantos	Rogers (MI)
Ehrlich	Largent	Rohrabacher

Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Roukema
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Rush
Ryan (WI)
Ryun (KS)
Sanders
Sandlin
Sawyer
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schrock
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Sessions
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Sherwood
Shimkus
Shows
Shuster

Simmons
Simpson
Skeen
Skelton
Smith (MI)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Stenholm
Strickland
Stump
Sununu
Sweeney
Tanner
Tauscher
Tauzin
Taylor (NC)
Terry
Thomas
Thornberry
Thune

Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Toomey
Traficant
Turner
Upton
Velazquez
Vitter
Walden
Walsh
Wamp
Watkins (OK)
Watson (CA)
Watt (NC)
Watts (OK)
Waxman
Weiner
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Wilson
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Young (FL)

under a medical care program of the Indian Health Service or of a tribal organization are included in the optional medicaid eligibility category of breast or cervical cancer patients added by the Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 21, 2001.

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

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of a letter received from Ms. Susan K. Inman, Director of Elections, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held November 20, 2001, the Honorable John Boozman was elected Representative in Congress for the Third Congressional District, State of Arkansas.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

JEFF TRANDAH, *Clerk.*

Attachment.

STATE OF ARKANSAS,
SECRETARY OF STATE,

Little Rock, AR, November 21, 2001.

Hon. JEFF TRANDAH,
Clerk, House of Representatives, the Capitol,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. TRANDAH: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Tuesday, November 20, 2001, for Representative in Congress from the Third Congressional District of Arkansas, show that John Boozman received 52,894 or 55.55% of the total number of votes cast for that office.

It would appear from these unofficial results that John Boozman was elected as Representative in Congress from the Third Congressional District of Arkansas.

To the best of our knowledge and belief at this time, there is no contest to this election.

As soon as the official results are certified to this office by all County Boards of Election Commissioners involved, an official Certification of Election will be prepared for transmittal as required by law.

Sincerely,

SUSAN K. INMAN,
Director of Elections,
Arkansas Secretary of State.

PROVIDING FOR SWEARING IN OF MR. JOHN BOOZMAN, OF ARKANSAS, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from Arkansas (Mr. JOHN BOOZMAN) be permitted to take the oath of office today. His certificate of election has not yet arrived, but there is no contest, and no question has been raised with regard to his election.

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

There was no objection.

NAYS—48

Aderholt
Baird
Borski
Brady (PA)
Capuano
Costello
Crane
Etheridge
Filner
Gillmor
Gutknecht
Hastings (FL)
Hefley
Hilliard
Hinchey
Hinojosa

Hoekstra
Johnson, E. B.
Kennedy (MN)
Kucinich
Larsen (WA)
LoBiondo
Matheson
McDermott
McNulty
Miller, George
Moore
Moran (KS)
Oberstar
Obey
Oliver
Pallone

Peterson (MN)
Ramstad
Sabo
Scott
Slaughter
Stupak
Taylor (MS)
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thurman
Towns
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Visclosky
Weller
Wicker

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—1

Tancredo

NOT VOTING—34

Bentsen
Boucher
Cannon
Carson (IN)
Clay
Conyers
Cooksey
Coyne
Cubin
Culberson
Cummings
Cunningham

DeFazio
Engel
Ford
Fossella
Goode
Hall (OH)
Hyde
Johnson (CT)
LaFalce
Meek (FL)
Myrick
Nadler

Quinn
Reyes
Rothman
Sanchez
Schaffer
Souder
Waters
Wexler
Whitfield
Young (AK)

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So the Journal was approved.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER. Will the gentleman from California (Mr. ISSA) come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. ISSA led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Monahan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1741. An act to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to clarify that Indian women with breast or cervical cancer who are eligible for health services provided