# CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE

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Weldon (PA)

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#### IMPROVING ACCESS TO PHYSI-MEDICALLY CIANS IN UNDER-SERVED AREAS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 4858.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4858, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5 minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—veas 407, navs 7. not voting 20, as follows: [Roll No. 254]

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Baker	Davis (CA)	Herge
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Barr	DeFazio	Hoeff
Barrett	DeGette	Hoeks
Bartlett Barton	Delahunt DeLauro	Holde Holt
Bass	DeLay	Honda
Becerra	DeMint	Hoole
Bentsen	Deutsch	Horn
Bereuter	Diaz-Balart	Hoste
Berkley Berman	Dicks Dingell	Hougl Hoyei
Berry	Doggett	Hulsh
Biggert	Dooley	Hunte
Bishop	Doolittle	Hyde
Blumenauer	Doyle	Inslee
Blunt	Dreier	Isaks
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Bonilla	Ehlers	Istool
Bono	Ehrlich	Jacks
Boozman	Emerson	Jacks
Borski	Engel	(TX
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Boyd	Etheridge	Johns
Brady (PA)	Evans	Johns
Brady (TX)	Farr	Johns
Brown (FL)	Fattah	Johns
Brown (OH) Brown (SC)	Ferguson Filner	Jones Jones
Bryant	Flake	Kanjo
Burr	Fletcher	Kaptu
Burton	Foley	Keller
Buyer	Forbes	Kelly
Calvert	Ford Frank	Kenne
Camp Cannon	Frelinghuysen	Kerns Kilde
Cantor	Frost	Kilpa
Capito	Gallegly	Kind
Capps	Ganske	King
Capuano	Gekas	Kings
Cardin Carson (IN)	Gephardt Gibbons	Kirk Klecz
Carson (OK)	Gilchrest	Knoll
Castle	Gillmor	Kolbe
Chabot	Gilman	Kucir
Chambliss	Gonzalez	LaFa
Clay	Goodlatte	LaHo
Clayton Clement	Gordon Goss	Lamp Lange
Clyburn	Graham	Lanto
Coble	Granger	Larse
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Kennedy (RI)

Larson (CT)

Lewis (CA)

Meeks (NY)

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

### PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall Nos. 253 and 254 I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAY PIERSON

(Mr. ARMEY asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his re-

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, we all appreciate the ladies and gentlemen that work for us and the staff on this floor. They are so helpful in so many ways, and I wonder if the Members would like to join me in wishing a very happy 55th birthday to a very special person, Jay Pierson, on this day.

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LATHAM). Without objection, the Chair will continue 5-minute voting. There was no objection.

## LIFETIME CONSEQUENCES FOR SEX OFFENDERS ACT OF 2002

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 4679, 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 Wisconsin (Mr. SENSENBRENNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4679, as amended, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were-yeas 409, nays 3, not voting 22, as follows:

> [Roll No. 255] YEAS-409

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Abercrombie	Brady (TX)	Davis (FL)
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Aderholt	Brown (OH)	Davis, Jo Ann
Akin	Brown (SC)	Davis, Tom
Allen	Bryant	Deal
Andrews	Burr	DeFazio
Armey	Burton	DeGette
Baca	Buyer	Delahunt
Bachus	Calvert	DeLauro
Baird	Camp	DeLay
Baker	Cannon	DeMint
Baldacci	Cantor	Deutsch
Baldwin	Capito	Diaz-Balart
Ballenger	Capps	Dicks
Barcia	Capuano	Dingell
Barr	Cardin	Doggett
Barrett	Carson (IN)	Dooley
Bartlett	Carson (OK)	Doolittle
Barton	Castle	Doyle
Bass	Chabot	Dreier
Becerra	Chambliss	Duncan
Bentsen	Clay	Dunn
Bereuter	Clayton	Edwards
Berkley	Clement	Ehlers
Berman	Coble	Ehrlich
Berry	Collins	Emerson
Biggert	Combest	Engel
Bilirakis	Condit	English
Bishop	Conyers	Eshoo
Blumenauer	Cooksey	Etheridge
Blunt	Costello	Evans
Boehlert	Cox	Farr
Boehner	Coyne	Fattah
Bonilla	Cramer	Ferguson
Bonior	Crane	Filner
Bono	Crenshaw	Flake
Boozman	Crowley	Fletcher
Borski	Cubin	Foley
Boswell	Culberson	Forbes
Boucher	Cummings	Ford
Boyd	Cunningham	Frank
Brady (PA)	Davis (CA)	Frelinghuysen

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## NOT VOTING-22

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#### Kennedy (RI) LaFalce Lucas (OK) McCarthy (NY) Meeks (NY) Peterson (MN)

Pryce (OH)

Rilev

Sanchez

Traficant

Udall (CO)

Watts (OK)

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So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded

The title was amended so as to read: "A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a maximum term of supervised release of life for sex offenders.".

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### $\Box$ 1345

CHILD OBSCENITY AND PORNOG-**RAPHY PREVENTION ACT OF 2002** 

Mr. SENSENBRENNER. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4623) to prevent trafficking in child pornography and obscenity, to proscribe pandering and solicitation relating to visual depictions of minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct, to prevent the use of child pornography and obscenity to facilitate crimes against children, and for other purposes, as amended.

The Clerk read as follows:

#### H.R. 4623

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

#### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Child Obscenity and Pornography Prevention Act of 2002". SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

Congress finds the following:

(1) Obscenity and child pornography are not entitled to protection under the First Amendment under Miller v. California, 413 U.S. 15 (1973) (obscenity), or New York v. Ferber, 458 U.S. 747 (1982) (child pornography) and thus may be prohibited.

(2) The Government has a compelling state interest in protecting children from those who sexually exploit them, including both child molesters and child pornographers. "The prevention of sexual exploitation and abuse of children constitutes a government objective of surpassing importance," New York v. Ferber, 458 U.S. 747, 757 (1982) (emphasis added), and this interest extends to stamping out the vice of child pornography at all levels in the distribution chain. Osborne v. Ohio, 495 U.S. 103, 110 (1990).

(3) The Government thus has a compelling interest in ensuring that the criminal prohibitions against child pornography remain enforceable and effective. "[T]he most expeditious if not the only practical method of law enforcement may be to dry up the market for this material by imposing severe criminal penalties on persons selling, advertising, or otherwise promoting the product." Ferber, 458 U.S. at 760.

(4) In 1982, when the Supreme Court decided Ferber, the technology did not exist to: (A) create depictions of virtual children that are indistinguishable from depictions of real children; (B) create depictions of virtual children using compositions of real children to create an unidentifiable child; or (C) disguise pictures of real children being abused by making the image look computer generated.

(5) Evidence submitted to the Congress, including from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, demonstrates that technology already exists to disguise depictions of real children to make them unidentifiable and to make depictions of real children appear computer generated. The technology will soon exist, if it does not already, to make depictions of virtual children look real.

(6) The vast majority of child pornography prosecutions today involve images contained on computer hard drives, computer disks, and/or related media

(7) There is no substantial evidence that any of the child pornography images being trafficked today were made other than by the abuse of real children. Nevertheless, technological advances since Ferber have led many criminal defendants to suggest that the images of child pornography they possess are not those of real children, insisting that the government prove beyond a reasonable doubt that the images are not computer-generated. Such challenges will likely increase after the Ashcroft v. Free Speech Coalition decision.

(8) Child pornography circulating on the Internet has, by definition, been digitally uploaded or scanned into computers and has been transferred over the Internet, often in different file formats, from trafficker to trafficker. An image seized from a collector of child pornography is rarely a first-generation product, and the retransmission of images can alter the image so as to make it difficult for even an expert conclusively to opine that a particular image depicts a real child. If the original image has been scanned from a paper version into a digital format, this task can be even harder since proper forensic delineation may depend on the quality of the image scanned and the tools used to scan it.

(9) The impact on the government's ability to prosecute child pornography offenders is already evident. The Ninth Circuit has seen a significant adverse effect on prosecutions since the 1999 Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals decision in Free Speech Coalition. After that decision, prosecutions generally have been brought in the Ninth Circuit only in the most clear-cut cases in which the government can specifically identify the child in the depiction or otherwise identify the origin of the image. This is a fraction of meritorious child pornography cases. The National Center for Missing and Exploited Children testified that, in light of the Supreme Court's affirmation of the Ninth Circuit decision, prosecutors in various parts of the country have expressed concern about the continued viability of previously indicted cases as well as declined potentially meritorious prosecutions.

(10) In the absence of congressional action, this problem will continue to grow increasingly worse. The mere prospect that the technology exists to create computer or computer-generated depictions that are indistinguishable from depictions of real children will allow defendants who possess images of real children to escape prosecution, for it threatens to create a reasonable doubt in every case of computer images even when a real child was abused. This threatens to render child pornography laws that protect real children unenforceable.

(11) To avoid this grave threat to the Government's unquestioned compelling interest in effective enforcement of the child pornography laws that protect real children, a statute must be adopted that prohibits a narrowly-defined subcategory of images.

(12) The Supreme Court's 1982 Ferber v. New York decision holding that child pornography was not protected drove child pornography off the shelves of adult bookstores. Congressional action is necessary to ensure that open and notorious trafficking in such materials does not reappear.

#### SEC. 3. IMPROVEMENTS TO PROHIBITION ON VIR-TUAL CHILD PORNOGRAPHY.

(a) Section 2256(8)(B) of title 18, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

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