

Gekas	Lewis (KY)	Rohrabacher
Gephhardt	Linder	Ros-Lehtinen
Gibbons	Lipinski	Ross
Gilchrest	LoBiondo	Rothman
Gillmor	Lofgren	Royal-Allard
Gilman	Lowey	Royce
Gonzalez	Lucas (KY)	Rush
Goode	Lucas (OK)	Ryan (WI)
Goodlatte	Luther	Ryun (KS)
Gordon	Lynch	Sabo
Goss	Maloney (CT)	Sanchez
Graham	Maloney (NY)	Sanders
Granger	Manzullo	Sandlin
Graves	Markley	Sawyer
Green (TX)	Mascara	Saxton
Green (WI)	Matheson	Schaffer
Greenwood	Matsui	Schakowsky
Grucci	McCarthy (MO)	Schiff
Gutierrez	McCarthy (NY)	Schrock
Gutknecht	McCollum	Scott
Hall (OH)	McCrery	Sensenbrenner
Hall (TX)	McDermott	Serrano
Hansen	McGovern	Sessions
Harman	McHugh	Shadegg
Hart	McInnis	Shaw
Hastings (FL)	McIntyre	Sherman
Hastings (WA)	McKeon	Sherwood
Hayes	McKinney	Shimkus
Hayworth	McNulty	Shows
Hefley	Meehan	Shuster
Herger	Meek (FL)	Simpson
Hill	Meeks (NY)	Skeen
Hilleary	Menendez	Skelton
Hilliard	Mica	Slaughter
Hinchey	Millender-	Smith (NJ)
Hinojosa	McDonald	Smith (TX)
Hobson	Miller, Dan	Smith (WA)
Hoeffel	Miller, Gary	Snyder
Hoekstra	Miller, George	Solis
Holden	Miller, Jeff	Spratt
Holt	Mink	Stark
Honda	Mollohan	Stearns
Hooley	Moore	Stehholm
Horn	Moran (KS)	Strickland
Hostettler	Moran (VA)	Stump
Houghton	Morella	Stupak
Hoyer	Murtha	Sullivan
Hulshof	Myrick	Sununu
Hunter	Nadler	Sweeney
Hyde	Napolitano	Tancredo
Inslee	Neal	Tanner
Isakson	Nethercutt	Tauscher
Israel	Ney	Tauzin
Issa	Northup	Taylor (MS)
Istook	Norwood	Taylor (NC)
Jackson (IL)	Oberstar	Thomas
Jackson-Lee (TX)	Obey	Thompson (CA)
Jefferson	Olver	Thompson (MS)
Jenkins	Ortiz	Thornberry
John	Osborne	Thune
Johnson (CT)	Ose	Thurman
Johnson (IL)	Otter	Tiahrt
Johnson, E. B.	Owens	Tiberi
Johnson, Sam	Oxley	Toomey
Jones (NC)	Pallone	Towns
Jones (OH)	Pascarella	Turner
Kanjorski	Pastor	Udall (CO)
Kaptur	Payne	Udall (NM)
Keller	Pelosi	Upton
Kelly	Pence	Velazquez
Kennedy (MN)	Peterson (MN)	Viscosky
Kennedy (RI)	Petri	Vitter
Kerns	Phelps	Walden
Kildee	Pickering	Walsh
Kilpatrick	Pitts	Wamp
Kind (WI)	Platts	Waters
King (NY)	Pombo	Watkins (OK)
Kingston	Pomeroy	Watson (CA)
Kirk	Portman	Watt (NC)
Kleckzka	Price (NC)	Watts (OK)
Knollenberg	Pryce (OH)	Weiner
Colbe	Putnam	Weldon (FL)
Kucinich	Quinn	Weldon (PA)
LaFalce	Radanovich	Weller
LaHood	Rahall	Wexler
Lampson	Ramstad	Whitfield
Langevin	Rangel	Wicker
Lantos	Regula	Wilson (NM)
Larsen (WA)	Rehberg	Wilson (SC)
Larson (CT)	Reyes	Wolf
Latham	Reynolds	Woolsey
LaTourette	Riley	Wu
Leach	Rivers	Wynn
Lee	Rodriguez	Young (AK)
Levin	Roemer	Young (FL)
Lewis (CA)	Rogers (KY)	
Lewis (GA)	Rogers (MI)	

NAYS—4

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.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE-VERMONT  
INTERSTATE SCHOOL COMPACT  
CONSENT ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 3180.

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. 3180, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 425, nays 0, not voting 9, as follows:

[Roll No. 266]

YEAS—425

Abercrombie      Burton      Deutsch

Ackerman      Buyer      Diaz-Balart  
Aderholt      Callahan      Dicks  
Akin      Calvert      Dingell

Green (TX)	Markey	Ryan (WI)
Green (WI)	Mascara	Ryun (KS)
Greenwood	Matheson	Sabo
Grucci	Matsui	Sanchez
Gutierrez	McCarthy (MO)	Sanders
Gutknecht	McCarthy (NY)	Sandlin
Hall (OH)	McCollum	Sawyer
Hall (TX)	McCrary	Saxton
Hansen	McDermott	Schaffer
Harman	McGovern	Schakowsky
Hart	McHugh	Schiff
Hastings (FL)	McInnis	Schrock
Hastings (WA)	McIntyre	Scott
Hayes	McKeon	Serrano
Hayworth	McKinney	Sessions
Hefley	McNulty	Shadegg
Hill	Meehan	Shaw
Hilleary	Meek (FL)	Shays
Hilliard	Meeks (NY)	Sherman
Hinchey	Menendez	Sherwood
Hinojosa	Mica	Shimkus
Hobson	Millender-	Shows
Hoeffel	McDonald	Shuster
Hoekstra	Miller, Dan	Simmons
Holden	Miller, Gary	Simpson
Holt	Miller, George	Skeen
Honda	Miller, Jeff	Skelton
Hooley	Mink	Slaughter
Horn	Mollohan	Smith (NJ)
Hostettler	Moore	Smith (TX)
Houghton	Moran (KS)	Smith (WA)
Hoyer	Moran (VA)	Snyder
Hulshof	Morella	Solis
Hunter	Murtha	Souder
Hyde	Myrick	Spratt
Inslee	Nadler	Stark
Isakson	Napolitano	Stearns
Israel	Neal	Stenholm
Issa	Nethercutt	Strickland
Jackson (IL)	Ney	Stump
Jackson-Lee (TX)	Northup	Stupak
Jefferson	Northup	Sullivan
Jenkins	Oberstar	Osborne
John	Obe	Nussle
Johnson (CT)	Olver	Sweeney
Johnson (IL)	Ortiz	Tancredo
Johnson, E. B.	Osborne	Tauzin
Johnson, Sam	Ose	Taylor (MS)
Jones (NC)	Otter	Taylor (NC)
Jones (OH)	Owens	Terry
Kanjorski	Oxley	Thomas
Kaptur	Pallone	Thompson (CA)
Keller	Pascrell	Thompson (MS)
Kelly	Pastor	Thornberry
Kennedy (MN)	Paul	Thune
Kennedy (RI)	Payne	Thurman
Kerns	Pelosi	Tiaht
Kildee	Pence	Tiberi
Kilpatrick	Peterson (MN)	Tierney
Kind (WI)	Peterson (PA)	Toomey
King (NY)	Petri	Towns
Kingston	Phelps	Turner
Kirk	Pickering	Udall (CO)
Kleckzka	Pitts	Udall (NM)
Knollenberg	Platts	Upton
Colbe	Pombo	Velazquez
Kucinich	Pomeroy	Visclosky
LaFalce	Portman	Vitter
LaHood	Price (NC)	Walden
Langevin	Pryce (OH)	Walsh
Lantos	Putnam	Wamp
Larsen (WA)	Quinn	Waters
Larson (CT)	Radanovich	Watkins (OK)
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Maloney (CT)	Royal-Allard	Young (FL)
Maloney (NY)	Royce	
Manzullo	Rush	

NOT VOTING—S

□ 1717

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.

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ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTENTION TO OFFER MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES ON H.R. 3295, HELP AMERICA VOTE ACT OF 2001

Mr. LANGEVIN. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 7(c) of rule XXII, I hereby announce my intention to offer a motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 3295 tomorrow.

The form of the motion is as follows:

I move that the managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the Senate amendments to the bill H.R. 3295 be instructed to recede from disagreement with the provisions contained in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of section 101(a)(3) of the Senate amendment to the House bill (relating to the accessibility of voting systems for individuals with disabilities).

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CAPITOL POLICE RETENTION, RECRUITMENT, AND AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2002

Mr. NEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on House Administration be discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 5018) to direct the Capitol Police Board to take steps to promote the retention of current officers and members of the Capitol Police and the recruitment of new officers and members of the Capitol Police, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Ohio?

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, and I do not intend to object, but under my reservation I yield to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. NEY), the distinguished chairman of the Committee on House Administration.

Mr. NEY. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, this is an important resolution, and I want to make sure that everybody understands and hears every word of this.

It is an honor for me to be here today to introduce with the gentleman from Maryland (Mr. HOYER) the Capitol Police Retention, Recruitment, and Authorization Act of 2002. The men and women of the United States Capitol Police Force have responded in a most professional and exceptional manner since the attacks on our country last September. Let me point out that they did their jobs before that, but the attacks in September obviously put tremendous constraints and really tested the system; so I just want to point out

that they did their jobs before, but since September they have had, I think, an unusual situation here in the Nation's Capitol.

We have all been forced to look at the security and life safety issue with new eyes. Our United States Capitol Police are the frontline of that effort. They are doing an outstanding job of ensuring the safety of every person at the Capitol.

It is for this reason that we must act today to pass this legislation which will give the Capitol Police the resources they need to remain fully equipped to handle the security and life safety challenges they may encounter.

Our Capitol Police officers have responded in a tremendous way, in an unbelievable fashion to the demand placed upon them as a result of our heightened security posture. But this recognition mandates that we respond by authorizing an increase in their annual rate of basic compensation, as well as authorizing an increase in the number of full-time positions for the force. This legislation achieves that end.

Further, we need to recognize not only the hard work and hundreds of hours of overtime that the officers have already been called to work, but also the sacrifices they and their families are making as a result of this increased demand upon them. Therefore, we are authorizing changes to the Capitol Police pay regulations to allow for the eligibility of and payment for more premium pay retroactive to September 11, 2001, the day in which their lives and their workforce and their work situation changed forever.

Additionally, we recognize that since September 11 of last year, there are many new attractive opportunities for individuals who have law enforcement experience or who are interested in law enforcement careers. Because we believe that a career with the United States Capitol Police Force provides an individual with an opportunity to be a part of the very best an organization can offer, this legislation contains certain incentives to both recruit new officers to the force and also help retain veteran officers who may be looking for additional opportunities. These incentives are not only financial in nature, but are also designed to promote the quality of life for officers, both on the job and at home with their families.

I call tonight upon every Member of this House to enthusiastically support this legislation today and to send a message to the hard-working officers of our Capitol Police Force and, additionally, to those who may be considering a career with the Capitol Police Force that we are behind you all the way. More than that, we are deeply appreciative of the service and sacrifice made by all persons who make up the United States Capitol Police Force.

We all know of our two officers who, unfortunately, just within the last couple of years, were killed in the line of

duty. We all know the trauma and the tragedy of that situation. So we know at any point in time lives can be lost. We know across this Nation with law enforcement and firefighters, people involved in safety services, of the sacrifice that they make every day when they make a call and they are not sure whether they will return home. So we are here to ensure that the Capitol Hill Police Force has the resources they need to continue to be the very best in enforcement.

I also want to close by saying something about our Committee on House Administration and about the Capitol Police Force. I want to thank the gentleman from Maryland (Mr. HOYER), the ranking member, and all of the members of that committee. Since 9-11, a lot of difficult decisions have had to be made, and I can tell my colleagues that the members of the committee on both sides of the aisle cooperated at 150 percent capability to allow us to continue to make sure that this floor operates as the bastion of freedom for the world.

I also want to tell my colleagues, and I actually said this to somebody last night about the gentleman from Maryland (Mr. HOYER), and that is in not one single case or not one single incident did he ever inject one ounce of politics. These are difficult decisions where somebody could have tinkered and toiled with them or done whatever they wanted to do. That never happened. We had a perfect cooperative relationship to do what was best for the safety and security of Members and visitors and, I may add, the thousands of visitors that come here to Washington to visit the people's House. I want to thank the gentleman from Maryland (Mr. HOYER) publicly for an absolutely tremendous job since 9-11, and the countless hours of the minority and majority staff who have poured in hours to make sure this happened.

I also want to thank the gentleman from Maryland (Mr. HOYER) and members of this committee for cooperating on this resolution and for bringing the idea to me, as the gentleman from Maryland did, and for making this work for what is best, and that is the people's House.

In closing, let me just also say that we all are concerned about future generations in this country. That is why we are here. We may disagree on this floor over certain issues in how we get down that path, but we are all concerned about what happens to the future generations in this country. I think that every single Capitol Hill police officer, every morning when they get up, they look in the mirror, whether it is to hopefully brush their hair or comb their hair, or brush their teeth, I should say; when they look in that mirror, what they see is a face of the human being that is morally responsible for whether this planet is going to be safe, prosperous, and peaceful for future generations. They see themselves. They have accepted that challenge to