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 Carson (OK) Kildee Pomeroy
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 Conyers Kucinich Rangel
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 Engel McCarthy (MO) Skelton
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 Holden Napolitano Waters
 Holt Neal Watson (CA)
 Honda Oberstar Watt (NC)
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 Inslee Ortiz Woolsey
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The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 3287.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Maryland (Mrs. MORELLA) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3287, 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 401, nays 0, not voting 32, as follows:

[Roll No. 372]

YEAS—401

Abercrombie	Culberson	Hayes	Meek (FL)	Paul	Slaughter
Ackerman	Cummings	Hayworth	Meeks (NY)	Payne	Smith (MI)
Aderholt	Cunningham	Heffley	Lucas (KY)	LoBiondo	Smith (NJ)
Akin	Davis (CA)	Herger	Lucas (OK)	Lofgren	Smith (TX)
Allen	Davis (IL)	Hill	Luther	Lowey	Pence
Andrews	Armey	Hilleary	Malone (CT)	Peterson (MN)	Peterson (PA)
Baca	Deal	Hinchey	Malone (NY)	Peterson (PA)	Snyder
Bachus	DeFazio	Hinojosa	Manzullo	Petri	Solis
Baird	DeGette	Hobson	Markey	Phelps	Souder
Baker	Delahunt	Hoeffel	Mascara	Malone (CT)	Spratt
Baldacci	DeLauro	Hoekstra	Matheson	Malone (NY)	Stark
Ballenger	DeLay	Holden	McCarthy (MO)	Manzullo	Stearns
Barcina	DeMint	Holt	McCarthy (NY)	Markey	Stenholm
Bartlett	Deutsch	Honda	McCullum	Pomeroy	Strickland
Barton	Diaz-Balart	Hooley	McCrery	Matheson	Stupak
Bass	Dicks	Horn	McDermott	Portman	Sullivan
Becerra	Dingell	Hostettler	McGovern	Matsui	Price (NC)
Tierney	Bentsen	Houghton	McHugh	McCarthy (MO)	Pryce (OH)
Turner	Bereuter	Hoyer	McInnis	McCarthy (NY)	Putnam
Berkley	Doolittle	Hulshof	McIntyre	McCullum	Quinn
Berry	Doyle	Hunter	McKeon	McCrery	Tanner
Biggert	Dreier	Nadler	McKinney	McDermott	Tauscher
Baldrikis	Duncan	Meek (FL)	McGovern	McGovern	Tauzin
Bishop	Dunn	Meeks (NY)	McHugh	McHugh	Taylor (MS)
Blagojevich	Edwards	Menendez	McInnis	McIntyre	Taylor (NC)
Blumenauer	Ehlers	Mica	McKeon	Rehberg	Terry
Blunt	Emerson	Ros-Lehtinen	McKinney	Reyes	Thomas
Boehlert	Istook	Rothman	McNulty	Reynolds	Thompson (CA)
Boehner	Engel	Roemer	McNulty	Riley	Thompson (MS)
Bonilla	English	Rogers (KY)	McNulty	Rodriguez	Thornberry
Bonior	Eshoo	Rogers (MI)	McNulty	Roemer	Thune
Boozman	Etheridge	Ros-Lehtinen	McNulty	Rogers (KY)	Thurman
Borski	Everett	Ross	McNulty	Rogers (MI)	Tiahrt
Boswell	Farr	Rothman	McNulty	Ros-Lehtinen	Tiberi
Boucher	Ferguson	Roybal-Allard	McNulty	Ross	Tierney
Boyd	Filner	Turner	McNulty	Rothman	Toomey
Hall (OH)	Brady (PA)	DeFazio	McNulty	Roybal-Allard	Turner
Buyer	Stump	Hobson	McNulty	Rush	Udall (CO)
Carson (IN)	Towns	Hoeffel	McNulty	Holahan	Udall (NM)
Condit	Brown (OH)	Hoekstra	McNulty	Moore	Upton
Cooksey	Brown (SC)	Holden	McNulty	Ryan (WI)	Visclosky
Crowley	Bryant	Hoyer	McNulty	Ryun (KS)	Sabu
Davis, Tom	Burr	Holt	McNulty	Sanders	Vitter
Rivers	Fossella	Honda	McNulty	Sandlin	Walden
	Frank	Myrick	McNulty	Walsh	Walsh
	Frelinghuysen	Nadler	McNulty	Sawyer	Wamp
	Kennedy (MN)	Nadler	McNulty	Saxton	Waters
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Schaffer	Watkins (OK)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Schakowsky	Watson (CA)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Schiff	Watt (NC)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Scott	Watts (OK)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Sensenbrenner	Waxman
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Serrano	Weiner
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Sessions	Weldon (FL)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Shadegg	Weldon (PA)
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Shaw	Weller
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Shays	Whitfield
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Ortiz	Wicker
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Osborne	Sherwood
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Ose	Shimkus
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Otter	Shows
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Owens	Shuster
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Owens	Wolf
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Simmons	Woolsey
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Simpson	Wu
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Skeen	Wynn
	Kennedy (RI)	Nadler	McNulty	Skelton	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—32

Baldwin Ehrlich Rohrbacher
 Barr Evans Roukema
 Barrett Gilman Sanchez
 Berman Graham Schrock
 Bono Hall (OH) Smith (WA)
 Buyer Hastings (WA) Stump
 Carson (IN) Kaptur Towns
 Condit Miller, Gary Velazquez
 Cooksey Mink Wexler
 Crowley Murtha Young (AK)
 Davis, Tom Rivers

□ 1854

Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. BOEHLERT changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So (two-thirds not having voted in favor thereof) the motion was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. BIGGERT). Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on the additional motion to suspend the rules on which the Chair has postponed further proceedings.

NOT VOTING—32

Baldwin	Davis, Tom	Rohrbacher
Barr	Ehrlich	Roukema
Barrett	Evans	Sanchez
Berman	Graham	Schrock
Bono	Hall (OH)	Smith (WA)
Brady (TX)	Hastings (WA)	Stump
Buyer	Kaptur	Towns
Carson (IN)	Miller, Gary	Velazquez
Condit	Mink	Wexler
Cooksey	Murtha	Young (AK)
Crowley	Rivers	

□ 1905

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

Ms. SANCHEZ. Mr. Speaker, on Wednesday, September 4, I was unavoidably detained due to a prior obligation in my district; had I been present and voting, I would have voted “no” on rollcall No. 371 and “yes” on rollcall No. 372.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER
AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 877

Mr. MCGOVERN. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to have my name removed as a cosponsor of H.R. 877.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. BIGGERT). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Massachusetts?

There was no objection.

FREE DEBATE OVER WAR WITH
IRAQ

(Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas. Madam Speaker, we have returned from the work recess. So many of us have had the opportunity to listen to our constituents, and aside from the important business of the appropriations process, I heard a singular cry and that is whether this country was going to engage in war with Iraq.

I am gratified to hear that there will be a full debate in this House and I hope it will not be limited by time. But I have called for citizen summits across the Nation, communities opening up in town hall meetings and PTA meetings and civic associations to discuss one of the most important decisions this Nation has to make. For if this war is engaged and we go into war, there is no determination as to whether this will be a 1-year war or a 20-year war.

The American people must be involved. And although this is the people's House, and I hope we will have full debate, I believe it is crucial to have citizens debate all over this Nation. In visiting with students at the University of Houston, I made this point.

Madam Speaker, I hope that the American people will begin to debate this crucial issue impacting America.

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.

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

(Mr. DEFAZIO addressed the House. His remarks will appear hereafter in the Extensions of Remarks.)

AVOID WAR WITH IRAQ

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

Mr. PAUL. Madam Speaker, I want to start my 5 minutes with a quote

from Jefferson. Jefferson said, "No country perhaps was ever so thoroughly against war as ours." These dispositions pervade every description of its citizens, whether in or out of office.

□ 1915

We love and we value peace and we know its blessings from experience.

We need this sentiment renewed in this Congress in order to avoid a needless war that offers us nothing but trouble. Congress must deal with this serious matter of whether or not we go to war. I believe it would be a mistake with the information that is available to us today. I do not see any reason whatsoever to take young men and young women and send them 6,000 miles off to a land to attack a country that has not committed any aggression against this country. I believe it would be a serious mistake for various reasons.

First, it is a practical reason. There is no practical defense for this. Our military now has been weakened over the last decade, and actually when we go into Iraq, as we may well do, we will weaken our ability to defend our country. We do not enhance our defense by initiating this war.

Besides, it is impractical because of unintended consequences which none of us know about and what might come. We do not know exactly how long this will last. It could be a six-day war, a six-month war or six years or even longer. It could be very impractical by going to war.

There is a military reason for not going to war. We ought to just listen to the generals and the other military experts that are now advising us there is not a good reason to go to war, possibly even start World War III some have suggested. They claim our troops have been spread too thinly around the world, and it is not a good military matter to go into war today.

There is a constitutional argument and a constitutional mistake that could be made. If we once again go to war, as we have done on so many occasions since World War II, without a clear declaration of war and a clear goal of victory, a haphazard way of slipping into war by Executive Order or, heaven forbid, getting permission from the United Nations makes it so that it is almost inevitable that true victory will not come.

So we should look at this in a very constitutional fashion. We in the Congress should assume our responsibility because war is declared by Congress, not by a President and not by a U.N.

This is a very important matter, and I am delighted to hear that there will be hearings and discussion on this matter. I am certainly arguing the case that we should have a balanced approach. We have already had some hearings in the other body, and we heard only one side of why we must do this, but if we have true hearings, we best have a debate and evidence on both sides of this matter rather than

just getting one side up and saying why we must do this.

Actually there are even good political reasons for not going into this battle. War is not popular. It may be popular for the short run when there seems to be an immediate victory and everyone is gloating over the victory, but war is not popular. People get killed and body bags end up coming back. War is very unpopular, and it is not the politically smart thing to do.

There are economic reasons that we must be careful for. We can make serious economic mistakes. It is estimated that this venture into Iraq may well cost over a hundred billion dollars. Our national debt right now is increasing at a rate of over \$450 billion and we are talking about spending another hundred billion dollars on an adventure that we do not know what the outcome will be and how long this will last? What will happen to oil prices? What will happen to the recession that we are in? What is going to happen to the deficit? All kinds of economic ramifications. So we better not make the mistake of going into something that really we have no business getting into.

There is a diplomatic reason for not going. There could be serious diplomatic mistakes made. All the Arab nations nearby and adjacent to Iraq object to it and do not endorse what we plan and insist that we might be doing, and none of the European allies are anxious for this to happen. So diplomatically we are way off on doing this.

I hope we take a second thought and be very cautious in what we do.

TRIBUTE TO MARLA ANN
BENNETT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. BIGGERT). Under a previous order of the House, the gentlewoman from California (Mrs. DAVIS) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mrs. DAVIS of California. Madam Speaker, I rise to speak in praise of Marla Ann Bennett, the young San Diegan who was killed in the July 31 terrorist bombing attack at Hebrew University in Jerusalem.

Marla was an extraordinary woman who touched the lives of many people in her all-too-brief lifetime. Her brutal murder left a terrible void in those lives and brought forth an outpouring of grief from the Jewish community where she lived: in Berkeley, where she attended the University of California; in Jerusalem, where she continued her studies and found a spiritual home as an American Jew in the Jewish homeland; and in San Diego, where she grew up and planned to return once her studies were completed.

At Marla's memorial service, which was attended by over 2000 people, and in more intimate meetings with her family and her friends, I have shared the community's terrible grief at Marla's death, but also the great joy that she felt in life and shared with