□ 1831

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ISAKSON) at 6 o'clock and 31 minutes p.m.

REAPPOINTMENT AS MEMBER TO NATIONAL SKILL STANDARDS BOARD

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, pursuant to section 503(b)(3) of the National Skill Standards Act of 1994 (20 U.S.C. 5933), and upon recommendation of the minority leader, the Chair announces the Speaker's reappointment of the following member on the part of the House to the National Skill Standards Board for a 4year term:

William E. Weisgerber, Iona, Michi-

There was no objection.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will now put the question on motions to suspend the rules on which further proceedings were postponed earlier today in the order in which that motion was entertained.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

H.R. 5157, by the year and nays.

House Concurrent Resolution 401, by the yeas and nays.

House Resolution 516, by the year and navs.

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

FEDERAL TRANSIT FORMULA GRANTS FLEXIBILITY RETEN-TION ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 5157.

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. PETRI) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 5157, on which the yeas and navs are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 350, nays 0, not voting 83, as follows:

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YEAS-350		
Abercrombie	Ballenger	Bilirakis
Ackerman	Barcia	Blumenauer
Aderholt	Bartlett	Blunt
Akin	Barton	Boehner
Allen	Bass	Bonilla
Andrews	Becerra	Bonior
Armey	Bentsen	Bono
Baca	Bereuter	Boozman
Bachus	Berkley	Boswell
Baird	Berman	Boucher
Baker	Berry	Boyd
Baldwin	Biggert	Brady (PA)

Hinojosa Brady (TX) Ortiz Brown (OH) Hobson Osborne Brown (SC) Hoeffel Ose Burr Holden Otter Burton Oxley Holt Honda Pallone Calvert Hooley Pastor Camp Horn Paul Hostettler Cantor Payne Capito Houghton Pelosi Capps Hover Pence Capuano Hulshof Cardin Hunter Carson (IN) Hyde Petri Phelps Carson (OK) Inslee Pickering Castle Isakson Chabot Israel Pitts Clay Issa Platts Clayton Istook Pombo Jackson (II.) Clyburn Pomerov Jackson-Lee Coble Portman Combest (TX) Price (NC) Conyers Jefferson Putnam Costello Jenkins Quinn Cox John Radanovich Johnson (CT) Coyne Rahall Ramstad Cramer Johnson (IL) Johnson, E. B. Crane Rangel Crenshaw Johnson, Sam Regula Cubin Jones (NC) Rehberg Culberson Jones (OH) Reves Cummings Kanjorski Reynolds Cunningham Keller Rivers Rodriguez Kelly Davis (CA) Davis (FL) Kennedy (MN) Roemer Rogers (KY) Davis (IL) Kerns Davis, Jo Ann Kildee Rogers (MI) Davis, Tom Kilpatrick Rohrabacher Dea1 Kind (WI) Ross DeFazio King (NY) Rothman DeGette Kingston DeLauro Kirk Royce Rvan (WI) Knollenberg DeLav DeMint Kolbe Ryun (KS) Deutsch Kucinich Sabo Dicks LaFalce Sanchez Lampson Doggett Sandlin Langevin Dooley Sawyer Schakowsky Doolittle Lantos Larsen (WA) Dreier Schiff Larson (CT) Schrock Duncan Dunn Latham Scott Edwards Leach Ehlers Shadegg Lee Emerson Levin Shaw Lewis (CA) Shays Engel English Lewis (GA) Sherman Eshoo Lewis (KY) Sherwood Etheridge Linder Shimkus LoBiondo Evans Shows Farr Lofgren Shuster Lucas (KY) Fattah Simmons Ferguson Lucas (OK) Simpson Filner Luther Skeen Flake Manzullo Skelton Fletcher Markey Slaughter Foley Matheson Smith (MI) Forbes Matsui Smith (NJ) McCarthy (MO) Ford Smith (TX) McCarthy (NY) Smith (WA) Frank Frelinghuysen McCollum Snyder Ganske McCrerySolis McDermott Souder Gekas Gephardt McGovern Spratt Gibbons McHugh Stark Gillmor McInnis Stearns Gilman McIntyre Stenholm Gonzalez McKeon Strickland Goode McNulty Stupak Goodlatte Menendez Sullivan Gordon Mica. Tancredo Miller, Dan Tanner Goss Graham Miller, Gary Tauscher Granger Mollohan Tauzin Taylor (MS) ${\bf Moore}$ Graves Green (TX) Moran (KS) Terry Thomas Green (WI) Moran (VA) Grucci Morella Gutknecht Murtha Harman Myrick Thornberry Hart Napolitano Thune Tiahrt Tiberi Hastings (FL) Nethercutt Hayes Ney Hayworth Northup Tiernev Hefley Norwood Turner Udall (CO) Herger Nussle Udall (NM) Hill Oberstar Obey Hilliard Upton Visclosky Olver Hinchey

Peterson (MN) Peterson (PA) Roybal-Allard Sensenbrenner Thompson (CA) Thompson (MS)

Weldon (FL) Wilson (SC) Walden Weldon (PA) Wolf Watson (CA) Wexler Woolsey Watt (NC) Whitfield Wu Wicker Wynn Waxman Wilson (NM) Weiner Young (AK) NOT VOTING-Gutierrez Neal Hall (OH)

Baldacci Barr Barrett Owens Hall (TX) Pascrell Bishop Hansen Pryce (OH) Riley Ros-Lehtinen Blagojevich Hastings (WA) Boehlert Hilleary Borski Hoekstra Roukema Brown (FL) Kaptur Rush Kennedy (RI) Sanders Bryant Callahan Kleczka Saxton Cannon LaHood Schaffer Chambliss LaTourette Serrano Clement Lipinski Sessions Collins Lowey Stump Condit Lvnch Sununu Cooksey Maloney (CT) Sweeney Taylor (NC) Crowley Maloney (NY) Delahunt Mascara Thurman Diaz-Balart McKinney Toomey Dingell Meehan Towns Meek (FL) Velazquez Doyle Ehrlich Meeks (NY) Walsh Everett Millender-Wamp McDonald Fossella Waters Frost Miller, George Watkins (OK) Gallegly Watts (OK) Miller, Jeff Gilchrest Mink Weller Greenwood Nadler Young (FL)

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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.

Stated for:

Mr. FOSSELLA. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 375 I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

RECOGNIZING THE HEROISM AND COURAGE DISPLAYED BY AIR-LINE FLIGHT ATTENDANTS EACH DAY

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 401, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. PETRI) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 401, 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 351, nays 0, not voting 82, as follows:

[Roll No 376]

YEAS-351

Abercrombie Lewis (KY) Farr Ackerman Fattah Linder LoBiondo Aderholt Ferguson Akin Filner Lofgren Lucas (KY) Allen Flake Fletcher Lucas (OK) Andrews Armev Folev Luther Baca Forbes Manzullo Bachus Ford Markey Fossella Matheson Baird Matsui McCarthy (MO) Baker Frank Frelinghuysen Baldwin Ballenger Ganske McCarthy (NY) Barcia. Gekas McCollum Gephardt Bartlett McCrery Barton Gibbons McDermott Bass Gillmor McGovern Becerra. Gilman McHugh Gonzalez Bentsen McInnis Goode Goodlatte Bereuter McIntyre Berkley McKeon McKinney Berman Gordon Berry Biggert McNulty Meek (FL) Goss Graham Bilirakis Granger Menendez Graves Green (TX) Mica Miller, Dan Blumenauer Blunt Green (WI) Boehner Miller, Garv Grucci Gutknecht Bonilla. Mollohan Bonior Moore Moran (KS) Harman Bono Boozman Hart Moran (VA) Hastings (FL) Boswell Morella Boucher Murtha Hayes Havworth Boyd Myrick Brady (PA) Napolitano Hefley Brady (TX) Herger Nethercutt Brown (OH) Hill Nev Brown (SC) Hilliard Northup Burr Hinchev Norwood Burton Hinojosa. Nussle Hobson Oberstar Buyer Calvert Hoeffel Obey Holden Olver Camp Cantor Holt Ortiz Capito Honda Osborne Hooley Capps Ose Capuano Otter Horn Hostettler Cardin Oxlev Carson (IN) Houghton Pallone Carson (OK) Hulshof Castle Pan1 Chabot Hunter Payne Clay Hyde Pelosi Clayton Inslee Pence Peterson (MN) Clyburn Isakson Coble Israel Peterson (PA) Combest Tssa. Petri Istook Phelps Convers Costello Jackson (IL) Pickering Cox Jackson-Lee Pitts Coyne (TX) Platts Cramer Jefferson Pombo Crane Jenkins Pomerov Crenshaw Johnson (CT) Portman Cubin Johnson (IL) Price (NC) Johnson, E. B. Culberson Putnam Cummings Johnson, Sam Quinn Cunningham Jones (NC) Radanovich Jones (OH) Davis (CA) Rahall Davis (FL) Ramstad Kanjorski Davis (IL) Keller Rangel Davis, Jo Ann Kellv Regula Davis, Tom Kennedy (MN) Rehberg Dea1 Kerns Reves DeFazio Kildee Reynolds DeGette Kilpatrick Rivers DeLauro Kind (WI) Rodriguez King (NY) DeLay Roemer Rogers (KY) DeMint Kingston Deutsch Kirk Rogers (MI) Knollenberg Dicks Rohrabacher Doggett Kolbe RossKucinich Rothman Dooley Doolittle LaFalce Roybal-Allard Dreier Lampson Royce Ryan (WI) Duncan Langevin Dunn Lantos Ryun (KS) Larsen (WA) Sabo Sanchez Edwards Ehlers Larson (CT) Emerson Latham Sandlin Engel Leach Sawyer Schakowsky English Lee Levin Eshoo Schiff Etheridge Lewis (CA) Schrock Lewis (GA) Scott Evans

Stenholm Sensenbrenner Upton Shadegg Strickland Visclosky Shays Stupak Vitter Sherman Sullivan Walden Sherwood Tancredo Watson (CA) Shimkus Tanner Watt (NC) Shows Tauscher Waxman Shuster Tauzin Weiner Simmons Taylor (MS) Weldon (FL) Simpson Terry Weldon (PA) Skeen Thomas Wexler Skelton Thompson (CA) Whitfield Slaughter Thompson (MS) Wicker Smith (MI) Thornberry Wilson (NM) Smith (TX) Thune Wilson (SC) Smith (WA) Tiahrt Snyder Tiberi Wolf Solis Tiernev Woolsey Wu Souder Toomey Turner Udall (CO) Spratt Wvnn Stark Young (AK) Udall (NM) Stearns NOT VOTING-82

Baldacci Hall (OH) Pascrell Barr Hall (TX) Pryce (OH) Barrett Hansen Riley Hastings (WA) Bishop Ros-Lehtinen Blagojevich Hilleary Roukema Boehlert Hoekstra Rush Borski John Sanders Brown (FL) Kaptur Saxton Kennedy (RI) Bryant Schaffer Callahan Kleczka Serrano Cannon LaHood Sessions Chambliss LaTourette Shaw Lipinski Clement Smith (NJ) Collins Lowey Stump Condit Lynch Sununu Cooksey Maloney (CT) Sweeney Crowley Maloney (NY) Taylor (NC) Delahunt Mascara Thurman Diaz-Balart Meehan Towns Dingell Meeks (NY) Velazquez Millender-Doyle Ehrlich McDonald Walsh Wamp Everett Miller, George Miller, Jeff Waters Frost Watkins (OK) Gallegly Watts (OK) Gilchrest Nadler Weller Greenwood Neal Young (FL) Gutierrez Owens

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So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. SHAW. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 376 was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO THE HONORABLE TONY HALL FOR HIS 24 YEARS OF SERVICE AND FRIENDSHIP

(Mr. SAWYER asked and was given permission to speak out of order for 1 minute.)

Mr. SAWYER. Mr. Speaker, I take this opportunity this afternoon just to alert all colleagues to the fact that our friend and colleague, the gentleman from Ohio (TONY HALL), has submitted his resignation to the House, effective this afternoon. He is departing the House in order to take on larger assignments on behalf of our Nation as a whole with the United Nations.

I wish to recognize his 24 years of service and the friendship that we have all shared with Tony Hall. I would ask that Members join with me in expressing that gratitude.

CONGRATULATING $_{
m THE}$ VALLEY SPORTS AMERICAN LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL TEAM FROM LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, FOR. THEIR OUTSTANDING PERFORM-ANCE IN THE LITTLE LEAGUE WORLD SERIES

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. ISAKSON). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 516.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Virginia (Mrs. Jo Ann Davis) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 516, 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 344, nays 0, not voting 89, as follows:

[Roll No. 377]

YEAS-344

Abercrombie Cramer Green (WI) Ackerman Crane Greenwood Aderholt Crenshaw Grucci Gutknecht Akin Cubin Allen Culberson Harman Hart Hastings (FL) Andrews Cummings Cunningham Armey Baca Davis (CA) Hayes Bachus Davis (FL) Hayworth Hefley Baird Davis (IL) Baker Herger Davis, Jo Ann Baldwin Davis, Tom Hill Hilliard Ballenger Deal DeFazio Hinchey Barcia Bartlett DeGette Hinoiosa DeLay Hobson Barton Bass DeMint Hoeffel Becerra Deutsch Holden Bentsen Dicks Honda Bereuter Doggett Hooley Berkley Dooley Hostettler Doolittle Houghton Berman Berry Dreier Hoyer Biggert Duncan Hulshof Bilirakis Dunn Hunter Edwards Blumenauer Hvde Blunt Ehlers Inslee Boehner Emerson Isakson Bonilla. Engel Israel English Bonior Issa. Bono Eshoo Istook Boozman Etheridge Jackson (II.) Jackson-Lee Boswell Evans Boucher (TX)Jefferson Fattah ${\tt Boyd}$ Brady (PA) Jenkins Ferguson Brady (TX) Johnson (IL) Brown (OH) Flake Johnson, E. B. Brown (SC) Fletcher Johnson, Sam Foley Jones (NC) Burton Forbes Jones (OH) Kanjorski Buyer Ford Fossella Camp Keller Capito Frank Kellv Frelinghuysen Kennedy (MN) Capps Capuano Kerns Ganske Kildee Cardin Gekas Carson (IN) Gephardt Kilpatrick Carson (OK) Gibbons Kind (WI) Gillmor King (NY) Castle Chabot Gilman Kingston Clay Clayton Gonzalez Kirk Knollenberg Goode Goodlatte Clyburn Kolbe Coble Gordon Kucinich Combest Goss LaFalce Graham Conyers Lampson Costello Granger Langevin Cox Graves Lantos Green (TX) Larsen (WA) Coyne