

Linder	Pastor	Shuster
Lipinski	Payne	Simmons
LoBiondo	Pearce	Simpson
Lofgren	Pelosi	Skelton
Lowey	Pence	Slaughter
Lucas (KY)	Peterson (MN)	Smith (MI)
Lynch	Peterson (PA)	Smith (NJ)
Majette	Petri	Smith (TX)
Maloney	Pickering	Smith (WA)
Manzullo	Pitts	Solis
Markey	Platts	Souder
Marshall	Pombo	Spratt
Matheson	Pomeroy	Stark
Matsui	Porter	Stearns
McCarthy (MO)	Portman	Stenholm
McCarthy (NY)	Price (NC)	Strickland
McCollum	Pryce (OH)	Sullivan
McCotter	Putnam	Sweeney
McCrery	Quinn	Tancredo
McDermott	Radanovich	Tanner
McGovern	Rahall	Tauscher
McHugh	Ramstad	Tauzin
McInnis	Rangel	Taylor (MS)
McIntyre	Regula	Taylor (NC)
McKeon	Rehberg	Terry
McNulty	Renzi	Thomas
Meehan	Reyes	Thompson (CA)
Meek (FL)	Reynolds	Thompson (MS)
Meeks (NY)	Rodriguez	Thornberry
Menendez	Rogers (AL)	Tiahrt
Mica	Rogers (KY)	Tiberi
Michaud	Rogers (MI)	Tierney
Miller (FL)	Rohrabacher	Toomey
Miller (MI)	Ross	Towns
Miller, Gary	Rothman	Turner (OH)
Miller, George	Roybal-Allard	Turner (TX)
Mollohan	Royce	Udall (CO)
Moore	Ruppersberger	Udall (NM)
Moran (KS)	Rush	Upton
Moran (VA)	Ryan (OH)	Velazquez
Murphy	Ryan (WI)	Visclosky
Murtha	Ryuan (KS)	Vitter
Musgrave	Sabo	Walden (OR)
Myrick	Sanchez, Linda	Walsh
Nadler	T.	Wamp
Napolitano	Sanchez, Loretta	Waters
Neal (MA)	Sanders	Watson
Nethercutt	Sandlin	Watt
Ney	Saxton	Waxman
Northup	Schakowsky	Weiner
Norwood	Schiff	Weldon (FL)
Nunes	Schrock	Weldon (PA)
Nussle	Scott (GA)	Weller
Oberstar	Scott (VA)	Whitfield
Obey	Sensenbrenner	Wicker
Olver	Serrano	Wilson (NM)
Osborne	Sessions	Wilson (SC)
Ose	Shadegg	Wolf
Otter	Shaw	Woolsey
Owens	Shays	Wu
Oxley	Sherman	Wynn
Pallone	Sherwood	Young (FL)
Pascarella	Shimkus	

NAYS—2

Flake Paul

NOT VOTING—16

Conyers	Lucas (OK)	Snyder
Cubin	Millender	Stupak
Culberson	McDonald	Van Hollen
Etheridge	Miller (NC)	Wexler
Gephardt	Ortiz	Young (AK)
Hunter	Ros-Lehtinen	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. CALVERT) (during the vote). Members are advised that 2 minutes remain in this vote.

□ 1135

So 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. MILLER of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 47, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 47, I was detained by a group of women constituents speaking on a panel on

Violence Against Women." Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

Mr. ORTIZ. Mr. Speaker, during rollcall vote No. 47 on March 6, 2003, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. COOPER. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. COOPER moves that the House do now adjourn.

Mr. COOPER. Mr. Speaker, I am an unlikely radical. I called for a motion to adjourn today, that disrupted normal House business, in order to highlight one of the smelliest pieces of legislation in recent memory. Sunshine is the best disinfectant, and this bill, although it is labeled as helpful to our military men and women, needs lots of sunshine and lots of disinfectant so that a new, improved bill can be truly helpful to our military.

I felt compelled to rise in reluctant opposition to H. Res. 126 and H.R. 878, the rule for debate and the "Armed Forces Tax Fairness Act." I am one of the strongest supporters of our National Guard and Reserve, but this bill is not good enough for them. It only grants a tiny fraction of the tax relief that our Guard and Reserve deserve, and it is a bill loaded with special interest provisions that have nothing to do with the Guard and Reserve.

Fortunately, the Republicans have now pulled the bill from the floor because I think they were beginning to notice the stink that their legislation was causing. I hope that we will vote on an improved bill very soon because our service men and women deserve a clean, strong bill to give them tax relief now.

Newspapers across the nation have denounced H.R. 878 with headlines such as, "Help Soldiers, Not Gamblers," but many members still feel compelled to vote for it on final passage because it does still contain some relief for our men and women in uniform. That is a devil's bargain. We should not be blackmailed into accepting special interest tax provisions just because they are packaged with all too meager tax breaks for our Guard and Reserve. Especially in a time of war, the U.S. House of Representatives should honor and reward our Guard and Reserve, and not limit their benefits as this bill does. Above all we should not load it with lobbyists' dream lists of special interest tax provisions, such as a tax relief for foreign gamblers.

The Republicans majority are using our Guard and Reserve as human shields for their special interests selfishness. They should have allowed a substitute to be offered so that Congress could vote for either their bill, with \$189 million in tax benefits for our Guard and Reserve over 10 years, or the Democrats and Senate Finance Committee bills with \$851 in tax relief for our troopers. A fair vote on these two bills was denied the House, under the rule, H. Res. 126, and that's why I am opposing not only the bill but also the rule.

Who would have thought that the Republican majority would add tax breaks for foreigners who bet on U.S. horse races to the bill, or tax relief for bow and arrow manufacturers, or tax breaks for mixing diesel fuel with water. These provisions should be considered

separately, not in legislation whose title is the "Armed Forces Tax Fairness Act."

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to adjourn offered by the gentleman from Tennessee (Mr. COOPER).

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. COOPER. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 63, noes 358, answered "present" 1, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 48]

AYES—63

Allen	Hoyer	Olver
Andrews	Jackson (IL)	Owens
Ballance	Jackson-Lee	Pallone
Berry	(TX)	Pastor
Brown (OH)	Johnson, E. B.	Pelosi
Capuano	Jones (OH)	Price (NC)
Cardoza	Kucinich	Rangel
Carson (IN)	Lantos	Rush
Clay	Larsen (WA)	Ryan (OH)
Cooper	Lee	Sabo
Crowley	Levin	Schakowsky
Dingell	Lewis (GA)	Schiff
Doggett	Lynch	Stark
Evans	Markey	Tanner
Farr	McDermott	Taylor (MS)
Filner	McGovern	Thompson (MS)
Ford	McNulty	Tierney
Frank (MA)	Miller (NC)	Towns
Grijalva	Miller, George	Velazquez
Hastings (FL)	Moran (VA)	Oberstar
Hinchey	Oberstar	Obey
Honda	Obey	

NOES—358

Abercrombie	Calvert	Ehlers
Ackerman	Camp	Emanuel
Aderholt	Cannon	Emerson
Akin	Cantor	Engel
Alexander	Capito	English
Baca	Capps	Eshoo
Bachus	Cardin	Everett
Baird	Carson (OK)	Fattah
Baker	Carter	Feeney
Baldwin	Case	Ferguson
Ballenger	Castle	Flake
Barrett (SC)	Chabot	Fletcher
Bartlett (MD)	Chocola	Foley
Barton (TX)	Clyburn	Forbes
Bass	Coble	Fossella
Beauprez	Cole	Franks (AZ)
Becerra	Collins	Frelinghuysen
Bell	Combust	Frost
Bereuter	Costello	Gallely
Berkley	Cox	Garrett (NJ)
Berman	Cramer	Gerlach
Biggart	Crane	Gibbons
Bilirakis	Crenshaw	Gilchrest
Bishop (GA)	Cummings	Gillmor
Bishop (NY)	Cunningham	Gingrey
Bishop (UT)	Davis (AL)	Gonzalez
Blackburn	Davis (CA)	Goode
Blumenauer	Davis (FL)	Goodlatte
Blunt	Davis (IL)	Gordon
Boehlert	Davis (TN)	Goss
Boehner	Davis, Jo Ann	Granger
Bonilla	Davis, Tom	Graves
Bonner	Deal (GA)	Green (TX)
Bono	DeFazio	Green (WI)
Boozman	DeGette	Greenwood
Boswell	Delahunt	Gutierrez
Boucher	DeLauro	Gutknecht
Boyd	DeLay	Hall
Bradley (NH)	DeMint	Harman
Brady (PA)	Deutsch	Harris
Brady (TX)	Diaz-Balart, L.	Hart
Brown (SC)	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hastings (WA)
Brown, Corrine	Dicks	Hayes
Brown-Waite,	Dooley (CA)	Hayworth
Ginny	Doolittle	Hefley
Burgess	Doyle	Hensarling
Burns	Dreier	Hergert
Burr	Duncan	Hill
Burton (IN)	Dunn	Hinojosa
Buyer	Edwards	Hobson

