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Bono  
Boozman  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Bradley (NH)  
Brady (PA)  
Brown (OH)  
Brown (SC)  
Brown, Corrine  
Burgess  
Burr  
Burton (IN)  
Buyer  
Calvert  
Camp  
Cannon  
Capito  
Capps  
Capuano  
Cardin  
Cardoza  
Carson (IN)  
Carson (OK)  
Carter  
Case  
Chabot  
Chandler  
Chocola  
Clay  
Clyburn  
Coble  
Collins  
Conyers  
Cooper  
Costello  
Cox  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crowley  
Cubin  
Cummings  
Cunningham  
Davis (AL)  
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Davis (IL)  
Davis (TN)  
Davis, Jo Ann  
Davis, Tom  
DeFazio  
DeGette  
Delahunt  
DeLauro  
DeLay  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Doggett  
Dooley (CA)  
Doolittle  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Emanuel  
Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Eshoo  
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Evans  
Everett  
Farr  
Fattah  
Ferguson  
Filner  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fossella  
Frank (MA)  
Frelinghuysen  
Frost  
Galleghy  
Garrett (NJ)  
Gephardt  
Gerlach  
Gibbons  
Gilchrest  
Gillmor  
Gonzalez  
Goode  
Goodlatte  
Gordon  
Granger  
Graves  
Green (TX)  
Greenwood  
Grijalva

Gutierrez  
Hall  
Harman  
Hart  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Hayworth  
Hefley  
Herger  
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Hinojosa  
Hobson  
Hoeffel  
Hoekstra  
Holden  
Holt  
Honda  
Hooley (OR)  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hoyer  
Hyde  
Inslee  
Israel  
Issa  
Jackson (IL)  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
Jefferson  
Jenkins  
John  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (IL)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Jones (OH)  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MN)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kildee  
Kilpatrick  
Kind  
King (IA)  
King (NY)  
Kirk  
Kleczka  
Knollenberg  
Kucinich  
LaHood  
Lampson  
Langevin  
Lantos  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Leach  
Lee  
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Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Lipinski  
LoBiondo  
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Lucas (KY)  
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Majette  
Maloney  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Marshall  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (MO)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCollum  
McCotter  
McCrery  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntyre  
McKeon  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Menendez  
Mica  
Michaud  
Millender  
McDonald  
Miller (MI)  
Miller (NC)  
Miller, Gary

Mollohan  
Moore  
Moran (KS)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy  
Murtha  
Musgrave  
Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Nethercutt  
Neugebauer  
Ney  
Northup  
Nunes  
Nussle  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Oliver  
Ortiz  
Osborne  
Ose  
Owens  
Oxley  
Pallone  
Pascarell  
Pastor  
Payne  
Pearce  
Pelosi  
Peterson (MN)  
Peterson (PA)  
Petri  
Pickering  
Pitts  
Platts  
Pombo  
Pomeroy  
Porter  
Portman  
Price (NC)  
Pryce (OH)  
Quinn  
Radanovich  
Rahall  
Ramstad  
Rangel  
Regula  
Rehberg  
Renzi  
Reynolds  
Rodriguez  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Rohrabacher  
Ross  
Rothman  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Ryun (KS)  
Sabo  
Sánchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sanders  
Sandlin  
Schakowsky  
Schiff  
Schrock  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Serrano  
Sessions  
Shays  
Sherman  
Sherwood  
Shimkus  
Shuster  
Simmons  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Solis  
Spratt  
Stenholm  
Strickland  
Stupak  
Sweeney  
Tauscher  
Taylor (MS)  
Taylor (NC)  
Terry  
Thomas

Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)  
Tiahrt  
Tiberi  
Tierney  
Towns  
Turner (OH)  
Turner (TX)  
Udall (CO)  
Udall (NM)  
Upton

Van Hollen  
Velázquez  
Visclosky  
Vitter  
Walden (OR)  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Waters  
Watson  
Watt  
Weiner

Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Wilson (NM)  
Wilson (SC)  
Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wu  
Wynn  
Young (AK)

## NAYS—65

Akin  
Barrett (SC)  
Barton (TX)  
Bilirakis  
Blunt  
Boehner  
Boyd  
Brady (TX)  
Brown-Waite,  
Ginny  
Burns  
Cantor  
Castle  
Cole  
Crenshaw  
Davis (FL)  
Deal (GA)  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart, L.  
Diaz-Balart, M.  
Feeney  
Flake

Foley  
Franks (AZ)  
Gingrey  
Goss  
Green (WI)  
Gutknecht  
Harris  
Hastings (FL)  
Hensarling  
Hill  
Isakson  
Istook  
Johnson, Sam  
Jones (NC)  
Keller  
Kingston  
Kline  
Kolbe  
Linder  
Lucas (OK)  
Miller (FL)  
Myrick

Norwood  
Otter  
Paul  
Pence  
Putnam  
Rogers (MI)  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Ryan (WI)  
Sensenbrenner  
Shadegg  
Shaw  
Simpson  
Smith (MI)  
Souder  
Stearns  
Sullivan  
Tancredo  
Thornberry  
Toomey  
Weldon (FL)  
Wexler  
Young (FL)

## NOT VOTING—11

Culberson  
DeMint  
Hulshof  
Hunter

Miller, George  
Reyes  
Saxton  
Stark

Tanner  
Tauzin  
Waxman

## □ 1215

Mr. DAVIS of Florida changed his vote from “yea” to “nay.”

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. STARK. Mr. Speaker, earlier today during the vote on final passage of H.R. 3550, I was called off the floor to receive a phone call from my office. In my distraction, I thought I had voted in favor of H.R. 3550 when in actual fact I had not cast my vote. Had I not been distracted, I would have voted ‘Aye’ on final passage of H.R. 3550.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. HUNTER (during the Special Order of Mr. KING of Iowa). Mr. Speaker, I want to place in the RECORD at the end of the debate on the Transportation bill that the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. SAXTON) was going to vote on that bill, and I pulled him into a meeting that I thought was pretty important since he is the chairman of the Subcommittee on Terrorism, Unconventional Threats and Capabilities on the Committee on Armed Services.

I was in charge of watching the clock, and I did not do that; and the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. SAXTON) missed that vote, and I just want to apologize for that, and if it is any consolation, I missed it, too.

So I apologize to the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. SAXTON) for that occurring.

# AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE CORRECTIONS IN EN-GROSSMENT OF H.R. 3550, TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT: A LEGACY FOR USERS

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that in the engrossment of the bill, H.R. 3550, the Clerk be authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross references, and to make such other necessary technical and conforming changes as may be necessary to reflect the actions of the House.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Alaska?

There was no objection.

# PROVIDING FOR AN ADJOURNMENT OR RECESS OF THE TWO HOUSES

Mr. DELAY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 404) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the concurrent resolution, as follows:

## H. CON. RES. 404

*Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring).* That when the House adjourns on the legislative day of Friday, April 2, 2004, it stand adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, April 20, 2004, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the Senate recesses or adjourns on Wednesday, April 7, 2004, Thursday, April 8, 2004, or Friday, April 9, 2004, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand recessed or adjourned until noon on Monday, April 19, 2004, or at such other time on that day as may be specified by its Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until the time of any reassembly pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first.

SEC. 2. The Speaker of the House and the Majority Leader of the Senate, or their respective designees, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the House and the Minority Leader of the Senate, shall notify the Members of the House and the Senate, respectively, to reassemble at such place and time as they may designate whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The concurrent resolution is not debatable.

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## PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. CARDIN. Mr. Speaker, I have a parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. THORNBERRY). The gentleman will state it.

Mr. CARDIN. Mr. Speaker, we had a hard time hearing the resolution, but am I correct that this is the resolution that will allow the House to go into recess for 2 weeks at the completion of our business today? Is that what is being voted on?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman is correct.

Mr. CARDIN. Mr. Speaker, part of my parliamentary inquiry is, am I correct in understanding that if this resolution passes, we will not be able to consider the extension of unemployment benefits, and another 160,000 people will exhaust their benefits during this recess?

If I am correct, Mr. Speaker, I would urge my colleagues to vote against the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman has not stated a proper parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the concurrent resolution.

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

## RECORDED VOTE

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

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 211, noes 201, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 115]

## AYES—211

Aderholt	Ehlers	LaTourette
Akin	Emerson	Leach
Bachus	English	Lewis (CA)
Baker	Everett	Lewis (KY)
Barrett (SC)	Feeney	Linder
Bartlett (MD)	Ferguson	LoBiondo
Barton (TX)	Flake	Lucas (OK)
Bass	Forbes	Manzullo
Beauprez	Fossella	McCotter
Bereuter	Franks (AZ)	McCrery
Biggert	Frelinghuysen	McHugh
Bilirakis	Galleghy	McInnis
Bishop (UT)	Garrett (NJ)	McKeon
Blackburn	Gerlach	Mica
Blunt	Gibbons	Miller (MI)
Boehlert	Gilchrest	Miller, Gary
Boehner	Gillmor	Moran (KS)
Bonilla	Gingrey	Murphy
Bonner	Goode	Musgrave
Bono	Goodlatte	Myrick
Boozman	Graves	Nethercutt
Bradley (NH)	Green (WI)	Neugebauer
Brady (TX)	Greenwood	Ney
Brown (SC)	Gutknecht	Northup
Brown-Waite,	Hall	Norwood
Ginny	Harris	Nunes
Burgess	Hart	Nussle
Burns	Hastings (WA)	Ose
Burr	Hayes	Otter
Burton (IN)	Hayworth	Oxley
Buyer	Hefley	Pearce
Calvert	Hensarling	Pence
Camp	Herger	Peterson (PA)
Cannon	Hobson	Petri
Cantor	Hoekstra	Pickering
Capito	Hostettler	Pitts
Carter	Houghton	Platts
Castle	Hunter	Pombo
Chabot	Hyde	Porter
Chocola	Isakson	Portman
Coble	Issa	Putnam
Cole	Istook	Quinn
Collins	Jenkins	Radanovich
Cox	Johnson (CT)	Ramstad
Crane	Johnson (IL)	Regula
Crenshaw	Johnson, Sam	Rehberg
Cubin	Jones (NC)	Renzi
Cunningham	Keller	Reynolds
Davis, Jo Ann	Kelly	Rogers (AL)
Davis, Tom	Kennedy (MN)	Rogers (KY)
Deal (GA)	King (IA)	Rogers (MI)
DeLay	King (NY)	Rohrabacher
Diaz-Balart, L.	Kingston	Royce
Diaz-Balart, M.	Kirk	Ryan (WI)
Doolittle	Kline	Ryun (KS)
Dreier	Knollenberg	Saxton
Duncan	Kolbe	Schrock
Dunn	Latham	Sensenbrenner

Sessions  
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Shimkus  
Shuster  
Simmons  
Simpson  
Smith (MI)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Souder

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Alexander  
Allen  
Andrews  
Baca  
Baird  
Baldwin  
Ballance  
Ballenger  
Becerra  
Bell  
Berkley  
Berman  
Berry  
Bishop (GA)  
Bishop (NY)  
Blumenauer  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Boyd  
Brady (PA)  
Brown (OH)  
Brown, Corrine  
Capps  
Capuano  
Cardin  
Cardoza  
Carson (IN)  
Carson (OK)  
Case  
Chandler  
Clay  
Clyburn  
Conyers  
Cooper  
Costello  
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Davis (CA)  
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DeFazio  
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Deutsch  
Evans  
Farr  
Fattah  
Filner  
Ford  
Frank (MA)  
Frost  
Gephardt  
Gonzalez

Stearns  
Tancredo  
Taylor (NC)  
Terry  
Thomas  
Thornberry  
Tiahrt  
Tiberi  
Toomey  
Turner (OH)  
Upton  
Vitter  
Walden (OR)

## NOES—201

Gordon  
Green (TX)  
Grijalva  
Harman  
Hastings (FL)  
Hill  
Hinchey  
Hinojosa  
Hoeffel  
Holden  
Holt  
Honda  
Hooley (OR)  
Hoyer  
Inslee  
Israel  
Jackson (IL)  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
Jefferson  
John  
Johnson, E. B.  
Jones (OH)  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kildee  
Kilpatrick  
Kind  
Klecza  
Kucinich  
Lampson  
Langevin  
Lantos  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Lee  
Levin  
Lewis (GA)  
Lipinski  
Lofgren  
Lowey  
Lucas (KY)  
Lynch  
Maloney  
Markey  
Marshall  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (MO)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCollum  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McIntyre  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Menendez  
Michaud  
Millender-  
    McDonald  
Miller (NC)  
Mollohan  
Moore  
Moran (VA)  
Murtha

Walsh  
Wamp  
Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Wilson (NM)  
Wilson (SC)  
Wolf  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)

Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Olver  
Ortiz  
Owens  
Pallone  
Pascarell  
Pastor  
Payne  
Pelosi  
Peterson (MN)  
Pomeroy  
Price (NC)  
Rahall  
Rangel  
Rodriguez  
Ross  
Rothman  
Roybal-Allard  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Sabo  
Sánchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sanders  
Sandlin  
Schakowsky  
Schiff  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Serrano  
Sherman  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Solis  
Spratt  
Stark  
Stenholm  
Strickland  
Stupak  
Sweeney  
Tauscher  
Taylor (MS)  
Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)  
Tierney  
Towns  
Turner (TX)  
Udall (CO)  
Udall (NM)  
Van Hollen  
Velázquez  
Visclosky  
Waters  
Watson  
Watt  
Weiner  
Wexler  
Woolsey  
Wu  
Wynn

## NOT VOTING—21

Hulshof  
LaHood  
Majette  
Miller (FL)  
Miller, George  
Osborne  
Paul  
Pryce (OH)  
Reyes  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Sullivan  
Tanner  
Tauzin  
Waxman

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 3108, PENSION FUNDING EQUITY ACT OF 2004

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the order of the House of April 1, 2004, I call up the conference report on the bill (H.R. 3108) to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to temporarily replace the 30-year Treasury rate with a rate based on long-term corporate bonds for certain pension plan funding requirements, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the order of the House of Thursday, April 1, 2004, the conference report is considered as having been read.

(For conference report and statement, see proceedings of the House of April 1, 2004 at page H 1997.)

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BOEHNER) and the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. ANDREWS) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BOEHNER).

## GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks on H.R. 3108.

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

There was no objection.

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that 15 minutes of this time be controlled by the gentleman from California (Mr. THOMAS), the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means.

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

There was no objection.

Mr. THOMAS. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman from Ohio for yielding me the time, and I yield myself such time as I may consume.

I want to thank everyone for bringing to fruition a modest bill which has a limited life, but which is extremely critical in today's economic environment. Twice the House has passed a short-term substitute for a financial structure that assists in pensions. Thirty-year Treasury bonds had been the standard. When the Treasury decided not to issue 30-year bonds anymore, we did not have a surrogate.

This surrogate is absolutely essential in the short term while we work out a long-term replacement for the 30-year Treasuries. As I said, twice the House passed this legislation, once in October of 2003 and then again in November of 2003. Neither time in passing this legislation did the House include multi-employer provisions.

Multi-employers tend to basically be the representatives for the unions.

So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.