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The CHAIRMAN pro tempore (Mr. LaHood). All time has expired.

The question is on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. KENNEDY).

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

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota. Mr. Chairman, I demand a recorded vote.
A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, this 15-minute vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. Kennedy) will be followed by 5-minute votes on amendment No. 4, offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Weldon), and amendment No. 14, offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. Skelton) as the designee of the gentlewoman from New York (Ms. Staughter).

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 162, noes 259, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 200] AYES—162

Edwards Aderholt Oberstar Akin Ehlers Obey Andrews English Ose Bachus Eshoo Otter Feenev Baker Oxlev Baldwin Pence Frank (MA) Ballenger Peterson (PA) Barrett (SC) Garrett (NJ) Barton (TX) Gilchrest Pitts Berkley Gillmor Porter Goode Berman Portman Goodlatte Biggert Price (NC) Blackburn Gordon Radanovich Blumenauer Granger Ramstad Graves Green (WI) Blunt Renzi Boehner Reynolds Bonner Greenwood Rogers (KY) Boozman Gutknecht Rogers (MI) Boswell Harris Brady (TX) Hastings (WA) Rohrabacher Rovce Brown (SC) Hayworth Ruppersberger Brown, Corrine Hensarling Brown-Waite, Herger Rush Rvan (WI) Ginny Hoekstra. Burgess Sabo Inslee Camp Isakson Sanchez, Loretta Cantor Istook Schrock Johnson (CT) Capito Sensenbrenner Johnson (IL) Cardin Sessions Case Kelly Shadegg Castle Kennedy (MN) Shays Chabot King (IA) Sherman Chocola Kingston Simpson Coble Kirk Smith (TX) Collins Kline Smith (WA) Knollenberg Cooper Snyder Kolbe Cox Stark Cramer Kucinich Stenholm Larsen (WA) Crane Taylor (NC) Latham Cubin Terry Culberson Lee Thomas Lewis (CA) Davis (FL) Thornberry Davis (IL) Lewis (KY) Toomey Davis, Tom Deal (GA) Linder Lucas (KY) Upton Van Hollen DeFazio McCollum Vitter DeGette McCreryWalden (OR) McDermott DeLay DeMint McHugh Walsh Wamp Miller (NC) Dicks Waxman Doggett Moran (VA) Doolittle Myrick Weldon (PA) Dreier Neugebauer Weller Whitfield Duncan Northup Dunn Nussle Wilson (SC)

NOES-259

Abercrombie Baca Becerra Ackerman Baird Bell Alexander Bartlett (MD) Bereuter Allen Bass Berry

Bishop (GA) Payne Hover Bishop (NY) Hulshof Pearce Bishop (UT) Hunter Pelosi Peterson (MN) Boehlert Hvde Israel Bonilla Pickering Bono Tssa. Platts Jackson (IL) Boucher Pombo Bovd Jackson-Lee Pomerov Bradley (NH) (TX)Pryce (OH) Jefferson Brady (PA) Putnam Brown (OH) Jenkins Quinn Burns John Rahall Johnson, E. B. Burr Rangel Burton (IN) Jones (NC) Regula Jones (OH) Buyer Rehberg Calvert Kaniorski Reyes Cannon Kaptur Rodriguez Capps Keller Rogers (AL) Kennedy (RI) Capuano Ros-Lehtinen Kildee Cardoza Ross Carson (IN) Kilpatrick Rothman Chandler Kind Roybal-Allard King (NY) Clav Ryan (OH) Clyburn Kleczka Ryun (KS) Cole LaHood Sánchez, Linda Convers Lampson Т. Costello Langevin Sanders Crenshaw Lantos Larson (CT) Sandlin Crowley Saxton Cummings LaTourette Schakowsky Cunningham Levin Lewis (GA) Schiff Davis (AL) Scott (GA) Lipinski Davis (CA) Davis (TN) LoBiondo Scott (VA) Davis, Jo Ann Lofgren Serrano Shaw Delahunt Lowey Lucas (OK) Sherwood DeLauro Diaz-Balart, L. Lynch Shimkus Diaz-Balart, M. Majette Shuster Dingell Maloney Simmons Doyle Manzullo Skelton Emanuel Markey Slaughter Marshall Emerson Smith (MI) Matheson Engel Smith (NJ) McCarthy (MO) Etheridge McCarthy (NY) Evans Souder McCotter Everett Spratt Farr McGovern Stearns Ferguson McInnis Strickland McIntyre Filner Stupak Foley McKeon Sullivan Forbes McNulty Sweenev Ford Meehan Tancredo Fossella Meek (FL) Tanner Franks (AZ) Meeks (NY) Tauscher Frelinghuysen Menendez Taylor (MS) Frost Mica Thompson (CA) Gallegly Michaud Thompson (MS) Gephardt Millender-Tia.hrt. Gerlach McDonald -Tiberi Miller (FL) Gibbons Tierney Miller (MI) Gingrey Towns Miller, Gary Gonzalez Turner (OH) Goss Miller, George Turner (TX) Green (TX) Mollohan Udall (CO) Grijalva Moore Udall (NM) Gutierrez Moran (KS) Velázquez Hall Murphy Visclosky Murtha Harman Waters Hart Musgrave Watson Hastings (FL) Nadler Napolitano Watt Hayes Weiner Heflev Neal (MA) Weldon (FL) Hill Nethercutt Hinchey Ney Wexler Wicker Hinojosa Nunes Wilson (NM) Hobson Olver Hoeffel Wolf Woolsev Holden Osborne Wu Holt Owens Honda Wynn Pallone Hooley (OR) Young (AK) Pascrel1 Hostettler Young (FL) Pastor

NOT VOTING—12

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN PRO TEMPORE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore (Mr. Lahood) (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1246

Messrs. TURNER of Ohio, FARR, STUPAK, PLATTS, NADLER, EVERETT, OWENS, and HALL, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Messrs. RYUN of Kansas, BASS, SULLIVAN and TIAHRT changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

Messrs. OBERSTAR, SMITH of Washington, ROHRABACHER, OBEY, GOODE, Ms. McCOLLUM, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. RUSH and Mr. WAXMAN changed their vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. CARTER. Mr. Chairman, on May 20, 2004, during rollcall vote 200, I was unavoidably detained. If I had been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 200.

Stated against:

Mr. BEAUPREZ. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 200, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

Mr. VITTER. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall vote 200, regarding the Mark Kennedy Amendment to H.R. 4200, the Department of Defense Authorization bill, I inadvertently voted "yea", but intended to vote "nay". I ask for unanimous consent that the RECORD reflect my intentions to have voted "nay" and that I can place a statement in the RECORD at the appropriate place.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall vote number 200, the Kennedy Amendment, I inadvertently voted "yes," when I meant to vote "no." I support delaying BRAC.

□ 1246

AMENDMENT NO. 4 OFFERED BY MR. WELDON OF PENNSYLVANIA

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore (Mr. Lahood). The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. Weldon) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 4 offered by Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania:

At the end of subtitle A of title XII (page 424, after line 12), insert the following new section:

SEC. 12 . SENSE OF CONGRESS ON DESTRUCTION OF ABU GHRAIB PRISON IN IRAQ.

- (a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following findings:
- (1) Under the regime of Saddam Hussein, the Abu Ghraib prison in Iraq was one of the world's most notorious prisons.
- (2) Under that regime, as many as 50,000 men and women were jammed into the prison at one time in 12 feet by 12 feet cells.
- (3) Under that regime, many people were tortured and executed in the Abu Ghraib prison.
- (4) Recent activities have further highlighted the horrible memories that Abu Ghraib stands for.

(b) SENSE OF CONGRESS.—It is the sense of the Congress that the Secretary of Defense should assist the Iraqi Government, with the approval of that government, in destroying the Abu Ghraib prison and replacing it with a modern detention facility.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 308, noes 114, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 201]

AYES-308

Abercrombie Dunn Lampson Edwards Ackerman Langevin Ehlers Lantos Alexander Emanuel Larsen (WA) Allen Emerson Larson (CT) Andrews Engel Latham Baca English LaTourette Bachus Eshoo Lee Etheridge Levin Baird Baldwin Evans Lewis (GA) Lewis (KY) Ballenger Farr Ferguson Lipinski Becerra Filner LoBiondo Bell Foley Lofgren Bereuter Forbes Lowey Lucas (KY) Berkley Ford Frank (MA) Lynch Berman Frelinghuysen Maloney Berry Biggert Frost Manzullo Bishop (GA) Gallegly Markey Bishop (NY) Gephardt Matheson McCarthy (MO) Bishop (UT) Gerlach McCarthy (NY) Blumenauer Gibbons Boehlert Gilchrest McCollum Gillmor Boehner McDermott Gonzalez Boswell McGovern Boucher Gordon McHugh McIntyre Boyd Goss Bradley (NH) Green (TX) McNulty Brady (PA) Green (WI) Meehan Brown (OH) Greenwood Menendez Brown (SC) Grijalva Michand Brown, Corrine Gutierrez Gutknecht Millender-Burns Hall McDonald Burton (IN) Harman Miller (NC) Miller, George Buyer Harris Mollohan Camp Hastings (FL) Cantor Moore Hastings (WA) Moran (VA) Capito Hayworth Capps Murphy Capuano Cardin Hill Murtha Hinchey Musgrave Cardoza Hinojosa Myrick Carson (IN) Hobson Nadler Castle Hoeffel Napolitano Chandler Holden Neal (MA) Holt Chocola Nunes Hooley (OR) Nussle Clay Clyburn Hostettler Oberstar Hulshof Obev Cole Costello Hyde Olver Cox Inslee Ortiz Cramer Osborne Israel Crane Owens Issa Jackson (IL) Crenshaw Oxlev Jackson-Lee Pallone Crowley Culberson Pascrell Johnson (CT) Cummings Pastor Davis (AL) Johnson (IL) Pearce Davis (CA) Johnson, E. B. Pelosi Davis (FL) Jones (OH) Pence Peterson (PA) Davis (IL) Kanjorski Davis (TN) Kaptur Pickering Davis, Jo Ann Kellv Pitts Davis, Tom Kennedy (MN) Platts DeFazio Kennedy (RI) Pomeroy DeGette Kildee Porter Kilpatrick Delahunt Portman DeLauro Kind Price (NC) DeMint Kirk Pryce (OH) Diaz-Balart, L. Kleczka Quinn Diaz-Balart, M. Kline Knollenberg Rahall Dicks Ramstad Dingell Kolbe Regula Doyle Kucinich Rehberg Dreier LaHood Renzi

Reyes Reynolds Shaw Toomey Shays Towns Rogers (KY) Sherman Turner (OH) Rogers (MI) Sherwood Turner (TX) Ros-Lehtinen Shimkus Hdall (CO) Ross Shuster Udall (NM) Rothman Skelton Van Hollen Roybal-Allard Slaughter Velázquez Royce Smith (NJ) Visclosky Ruppersberger Smith (TX) Walden (OR) Smith (WA) Rush Walsh Ryan (OH) Solis Watson Rvan (WI) Souder Waxman Ryun (KS) Spratt Weiner Saho Stark Weldon (FL) Strickland Sánchez, Linda Weldon (PA) Stupak Weller Sanchez, Loretta Tancredo Wexler Sanders Tauscher Whitfield Sandlin Taylor (MS) Wicker Schakowsky Taylor (NC) Wilson (NM) Schiff Terry Schrock Thomas Wilson (SC) Scott (GA) Thompson (CA) Wolf Scott (VA) Thompson (MS) Woolsev Serrano Wu Shadegg Tiernev Wvnn

NOES-114

Gingrey Aderholt Neugebauer Baker Goode Nev Barrett (SC) Goodlatte Northup Bartlett (MD) Granger Ose Barton (TX) Graves Otter Beauprez Paul Bilirakis Hefley Pavne Blackburn Hensarling Peterson (MN) Blunt Herger Petri Bonilla. Hoekstra Pombo Bonner Honda Putnam Bono Houghton Radanovich Boozman Hunter Rangel Isakson Brady (TX) Rodriguez Brown-Waite, Istook Rogers (AL) Jefferson Ginny Jenkins Rohrabacher Burgess Calvert John Saxton Jones (NC) Sensenbrenner Cannon Carter Keller Sessions Case Chabot King (IA) King (NY) Simmons Simpson Coble Kingston Smith (MI) Collins Lewis (CA) Snyder Linder Convers Stearns Lucas (OK) Cooper Stenholm Cubin Majette Sullivan Cunningham Marshall Sweenev Deal (GA) McCotter Tanner DeLay McCrery Thornberry Doggett McInnis Tiahrt Doolittle McKeon Upton Duncan Meek (FL) Everett Meeks (NY) Vitter Feeney Miller (FL) Wamp Waters Flake Miller (MI) Fossella Watt Miller, Gary Young (AK) Franks (AZ) Moran (KS) Young (FL) Garrett (NJ) Nethercutt

NOT VOTING—11

Ballance	Fattah	Matsui
Carson (OK)	Hoyer	Norwood
Deutsch	Johnson, Sam	Tauzin
Dooley (CA)	Leach	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN PRO TEMPORE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised 2 minutes remain in this vote.

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Messrs. GINGREY, CONYERS, DOO-LITTLE, FOSSELLA, Ms. WATERS, Mrs. BONO, and Ms. GRANGER changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

So the amendment was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 14 OFFERED BY MR. SKELTON

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. SKELTON) on which further pro-

ceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The text of the amendment is as follows:

Amendment No. 14 offered by Mr. Skelton: At the end of title V (page 200, after line 24), insert the following new section:

SEC, 598. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE POLICY AND PROCEDURES ON PREVENTION AND RESPONSE TO SEXUAL ASSAULTS IN-VOLVING MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES

(a) COMPREHENSIVE POLICY ON PREVENTION AND RESPONSE TO SEXUAL ASSAULTS.—(1) Not later than January 1, 2005, the Secretary of Defense shall develop a comprehensive policy for the Department of Defense on the prevention of and response to sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces.

(2) The policy shall be based on the recommendations of the Department of Defense Task Force on Care for Victims of Sexual Assaults and on such other matters as the Secretary considers appropriate.

(b) ELEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE POLICY.— The policy developed under subsection (a) shall address the following matters:

(1) Prevention measures.

- (2) Education and training on prevention and response.
- (3) Investigation of complaints by command and law enforcement personnel.
 - (4) Medical treatment of victims.
 - (5) Confidential reporting of incidents.
 - (6) Victim advocacy and intervention.
- (7) Oversight by commanders of administrative and disciplinary actions in response to substantiated incidents of sexual assault.
- (8) Disposition of victims of sexual assault, including review by appropriate authority of administrative separation actions involving victims of sexual assault.
- (9) Disposition of members of the Armed Forces accused of sexual assault.
- (10) Liaison and collaboration with civilian agencies on the provision of services to victims of sexual assault.
- (11) Uniform collection of data on the incidence of sexual assaults and on disciplinary actions taken in substantiated cases of sexual assault.
- (c) REPORT ON IMPROVEMENT OF CAPABILITY TO RESPOND TO SEXUAL ASSAULTS.—Not later than March 1, 2005, the Secretary of Defense shall submit to Congress a proposal for such legislation as the Secretary considers necessary to enhance the capability of the Department of Defense to address matters relating to sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces.
- (d) APPLICATION OF COMPREHENSIVE POLICY TO MILITARY DEPARTMENTS.—The Secretary shall ensure that, to the maximum extent practicable, the policy developed under subsection (a) is implemented uniformly by the military departments.
- (e) Policies and Procedures of Military Departments.—(1) Not later than March 1, 2005, the Secretaries of the military departments shall prescribe regulations, or modify current regulations, on the policies and procedures of the military departments on the prevention of and response to sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces in order—
- (A) to conform such policies and procedures to the policy developed under subsection (a); and
- (B) to ensure that such policies and procedures include the elements specified in paragraph (2).
- (2) The elements specified in this paragraph are as follows:
- (A) A program to promote awareness of the incidence of sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces.

- (B) A program to provide victim advocacy and intervention for members of the Armed Force concerned who are victims of sexual assault, which program shall make available, at home stations and in deployed locations, trained advocates who are readily available to intervene on behalf of such victims.
- (C) Procedures for members of the Armed Force concerned to follow in the case of an incident of sexual assault involving a member of such Armed Force, including—
- (i) specification of the person or persons to whom the alleged offense should be reported; (ii) specification of any other person whom the victim should contact;
- (iii) procedures for the preservation of evidence; and
- (iv) procedures for confidential reporting and for contacting victim advocates.
- (D) Procedures for disciplinary action in cases of sexual assault by members of the Armed Force concerned.
- (E) Other sanctions authorized to be imposed in substantiated cases of sexual assault, whether forcible or nonforcible, by members of the Armed Force concerned.
- (F) Training on the policies and procedures for all members of the Armed Force concerned, including specific training for members of the Armed Force concerned, including specific training for members of the Armed Force concerned who process allegations of sexual assault against members of such Armed Force.
- (G) Any other matters that the Secretary of Defense considers appropriate.
- (f) ANNUAL ASSESSMENT OF POLICIES AND PROCEDURES.—Not later than January 15, 2006, and each year thereafter, each Secretary of a military department shall conduct an assessment of the implementation during the preceding fiscal year of the policies and procedures of such department on the prevention of and response to sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces in order to determine the effectiveness of such policies and procedures during such fiscal year in providing an appropriate response to such sexual assaults.
- (g) ANNUAL REPORTS.—(1) Not later than April 1, 2005, and January 15 of each year thereafter, each Secretary of a military department shall submit to the Secretary of Defense a report on the sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Force concerned during the preceding year.
- (2) Each report on an Armed Force under paragraph (1) shall contain the following:
- (A) The number of sexual assaults against members of the Armed Force, and the number of sexual assaults by members of the Armed Force, that were reported to military officials during the year covered by such report, and the number of the cases so reported cases that were substantiated.
- (B) A synopsis of and the disciplinary action taken in each substantiated case.
- (C) The policies, procedures, and processes implemented by the Secretary concerned during the year covered by such report in response to incidents of sexual assault involving members of the Armed Force concerned.
- (D) A plan for the actions that ware to be taken in the year following the year covered by such report on the prevention of and response to sexual assault involving members of the Armed Forces concerned.
- (3) Each report under paragraph (1) in 2006, 2007, and 2008 shall also include the assessment conducted by the Secretary concerned under subsection (f).
- (4) The Secretary of Defense shall transmit to the Committees on Armed Services of the Senate and the House of Representatives each report submitted to the Secretary under this subsection, together with the comments of the Secretary on each such re-

- port on 2004 not alter than May 1, 2005, and shall transmit the report on any year after 2004 not later than March 15 of the year following such year.
- (h) REQUIREMENT TO DEVELOP DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ASSAULT.—Prior to developing policies and programs on the prevention of and response to sexual assaults, the Department of Defense, in consultation with the Service Secretaries, shall develop a definition of sexual assault that is uniform for all the Armed Forces, including but not limited to rape, acquaintance rape, sexual assault, and other criminal offenses.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 410, noes 0, not voting 23, as follows:

[Roll No. 2021

AYES-410

Clyburn Abercrombie Gillmor Ackerman Coble Gingrey Collins Gonzalez Aderholt Akin Convers Goode Alexander Goodlatte Cooper Allen Costello Gordon Andrews Cox Goss Cramer Granger Baca Bachus Crane Graves Green (TX) Baird Crenshaw Crowley Green (WI) Baker Baldwin Cubin Greenwood Ballenger Culberson Grijalya. Barrett (SC) Cummings Gutierrez Bartlett (MD) Cunningham Gutknecht Barton (TX) Davis (AL) Hall Davis (CA) Harman Bass Beauprez Davis (FL) Harris Becerra. Davis (IL) Hart Hastings (FL) Berenter Davis, Jo Ann Hastings (WA) Davis, Tom Berkley Hayes Deal (GA) Hayworth Berman Berry DeFazio Hefley Hensarling DeGette Biggert Bilirakis Delahunt Herger Bishop (GA) DeLauro Hill Bishop (NY) DeLay Hinchey Bishop (UT) DeMint Hinojosa Diaz-Balart L Blackburn Hobson Diaz-Balart, M. Blumenauer Hoeffel Hoekstra Blunt Dicks Dingell Boehlert Holden Boehner Doggett Holt Bonilla Doolittle Honda Hooley (OR) Bonner Dovle Bono Dreier Hostettler Boozman Duncan Houghton Boswell Dunn Hulshof Edwards Boucher Hunter Boyd Ehlers Hvde Bradley (NH) Emanuel Inslee Brady (PA) Emerson Isakson Brady (TX) Engel Israel English Brown (SC) Issa Eshoo Brown, Corrine Istook Brown-Waite, Jackson (IL) Etheridge Ginny Jackson-Lee Evans Burgess Everett Burns Farr Jefferson Burr Jenkins Feeney Burton (IN) Ferguson John Johnson (CT) Buver Filner Calvert Johnson (IL) Flake Camp Foley Johnson, E. B. Cannon Forbes Jones (NC) Capito Ford Jones (OH) Capps Fossella Kanjorski Frank (MA) Capuano Kaptur Cardin Franks (AZ) Keller Kelly Cardoza Frelinghuysen Carson (IN) Kennedy (MN) Frost Case Gallegly Kennedy (RI) Castle Garrett (NJ) Gephardt Kildee Kilpatrick Chabot Chandler Gerlach Kind King (IA) Chocola Gibbons Clay Gilchrest King (NY)

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NOT VOTING-23

Ballance Fattah Norwood Brown (OH) Hover Pelosi Cantor Johnson, Sam Pence Carson (OK) Leach Radanovich Carter Matsui Spratt Cole McCrery Stupak Deutsch Miller, George Tauzin Dooley (CA) Murphy

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE CHAIRMAN PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1304

So the amendment was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. MURPHY. Mr. Chairman, on rollcall No. 202 I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye."

Mr. COLE. Mr. Chairman, on May 20, 2004, for rollcall vote 202, I was unavoidably detained. If I had been present, on rollcall vote No. 202, I would have voted "aye."

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. STUPAK. Mr. Chairman, earlier today I was unavoidably detained and missed rollcall vote 202. I wish the RECORD to reflect I would have vote "yes" on that amendment.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BROWN of Ohio. Mr. Chairman, I was unavoidably detained and missed rollcall vote 202. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma. Mr. Chairman, on Thursday, May 20, 2004, I regret that I was unable to cast my floor vote on rollcall Nos. 200, 201, and 202. The votes I missed include rollcall vote 200 to eliminate the 2-year Base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) delay contained in H.R. 4200; rollcall vote 201 expressing the sense of Congress that the Secretary of Defense should assist the Iraqi Government in destroying the Abu Ghraib prison and replacing it with a modern detention facility; and rollcall vote 202 requiring the Secretary of Defense to develop a comprehensive policy to prevent and respond to sexual assaults involving members of the Armed Forces.

Had I been present, I would have voted "nay" on rollcall vote 200; I would have voted "aye" on rollcall vote 201; and I would have voted "aye" on rollcall vote 202.

Mr. HUNTER. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SIMPSON) having assumed the chair, Mr. LaHood, Chairman pro tempore of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 4200) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2005, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

MOMENT OF SILENCE IN HONOR OF MEMORIAL DAY AND OUR FALLEN HEROES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair would ask the House to observe a moment of silence in honor of Memorial Day and our fallen heroes.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. WALSH. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks and insert extraneous material on a special order speech on the topic of fallen heroes and that all such remarks be printed in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of May 20. 2004.

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

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object and I will not object, I just want to take this opportunity to thank my friend and colleague from New York for affording this House the opportunity to express ourselves on this Memorial Day in honor of these fallen heroes. I appreciate working with him and I thank him very much for this opportunity.

Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection

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

There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 1047, MISCELLANEOUS TRADE AND TECHNICAL CORREC-TIONS ACT OF 2003

Mr. CRANE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 1047) to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, to make other technical amendments to the trade laws, and for other purposes, with a Senate amendment thereto, disagree to the Senate amendment, and request a conference with the Senate thereon.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Illinois? The Chair hears none, and without objection, appoints the following conferees:

From the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Thomas, Crane, Shaw, Rangel, and Levin.

There was no objection.

REPUBLICANS WIN GREAT CONGRESSIONAL SHOOTOUT

(Mr. HAYES asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. HAYES. Mr. Speaker, believe it or not, this House works together on a bipartisan basis on a number of things.

This past Monday my colleague and cochair of the Sportsmen's Caucus, the gentleman from California (Mr. THOMPSON), and I got together and enjoyed a wonderful day afield. The Sportsmen's Caucus is the largest group of a bipartisan nature on the Hill for anyone who enjoys the out-of-doors.

In this particular instance, it was the Great Congressional Shootout. Fortunately, the Republicans won, but our Democratic friends, including the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. PETERSON) who was top gun for the Democrats and the gentleman from California (Mr. Cunningham), top gun for our side, did a great job.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to my colleague and cochairman the gentleman from California (Mr. THOMPSON).

Mr. THOMPSON of California. Mr. Speaker, I thank my friend from North Carolina for yielding.

I too want to express appreciation to everyone in the Sportsmen's Caucus

who came out, put aside the partisan battles and entered into some good fun and sportsmanship in advance of the shooting sports and to congratulate everyone who participated.

This year we had a record turnout, 13 Democrats, 13 Republicans. Most important, a whole group of new Members who came out had never participated in the event in the past. Next year, I would only ask that you not spray the Democrats' targets with the bullet-proof spray paint so we have at least a chance.

Mr. HAYES. I thank my colleague and I thank everyone who participated. Our cochairs, also, the gentleman from Iowa (Mr. Boswell) for the Democrats and the gentleman from Nevada (Mr. Gibbons) on our side.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES TO FILE SUP-PLEMENTAL REPORT ON H.R. 4200, NATIONAL DEFENSE AU-THORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005

Mr. EVERETT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to file a supplemental report on H.R. 4200, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005 for the purpose of providing the Ramseyer Report as prepared by the House Office of Legislative Counsel.

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

There was no objection.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. EVERETT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material on H.R. 4200.

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

There was no objection.

PERMISSION TO INCLUDE EX-CHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS AND COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES ON H.R. 4200, NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZA-TION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2005

Mr. EVERETT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to include in the RECORD a letter from the chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, the gentleman from California (Mr. THOMAS), regarding section 585 of H.R. 4200, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2005, and my response, and ask that it be printed as part of the debate on H.R. 4200.

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

There was no objection.