

Renzi	Shimkus	Tiahrt
Reynolds	Shuster	Tiberi
Rogers (AL)	Simmons	Turner
Rogers (KY)	Simpson	Upton
Rohrabacher	Smith (NJ)	Walden (OR)
Ros-Lehtinen	Smith (TX)	Wamp
Royce	Sodrel	Weldon (FL)
Ryan (WI)	Souder	Weldon (PA)
Ryun (KS)	Stearns	Weller
Schwarz (MI)	Sullivan	Whitfield
Sensenbrenner	Tancred	Wicker
Sessions	Taylor (NC)	Wilson (SC)
Shadegg	Terry	Wolf
Shays	Thomas	Young (AK)
Sherwood	Thornberry	Young (FL)

NAYS—195

Ackerman	Grijalva	Oberstar
Allen	Gutierrez	Obey
Andrews	Harman	Oliver
Baca	Hastings (FL)	Ortiz
Baldwin	Herseth	Owens
Barrow	Higgins	Pallone
Bean	Hinche	Pastor
Becerra	Holden	Payne
Berkley	Holt	Pelosi
Berman	Honda	Peterson (MN)
Berry	Hooley	Pomeroy
Bishop (GA)	Hoyer	Price (NC)
Bishop (NY)	Inlee	Rahall
Blumenauer	Israel	Rangel
Boren	Jackson (IL)	Reyes
Boswell	Jackson-Lee	Ross
Boucher	(TX)	Rothman
Boyd	Jefferson	Roybal-Allard
Brady (PA)	Johnson, E. B.	Rush
Brown (OH)	Kanjorski	Ryan (OH)
Butterfield	Kaptur	Sabo
Capps	Kennedy (RI)	Salazar
Capuano	Kildee	Salazar
Cardin	Kilpatrick (MI)	Sánchez, Linda
Cardoza	Kind	T.
Carnahan	Kucinich	Sánchez, Loretta
Carson	Langevin	Sanders
Case	Lantos	Schakowsky
Chandler	Larsen (WA)	Schiff
Cleaver	Larson (CT)	Schwartz (PA)
Clyburn	Lee	Scott (GA)
Conyers	Levin	Scott (VA)
Cooper	Lewis (GA)	Serrano
Costa	Lipinski	Sherman
Costello	Lofgren, Zoe	Skelton
Cramer	Lowey	Slaughter
Crowley	Lynch	Smith (WA)
Cuellar	Maloney	Snyder
Cummings	Markey	Solis
Davis (AL)	Marshall	Spratt
Davis (CA)	Matheson	Stark
Davis (FL)	Matsui	Strickland
Davis (IL)	McCarthy	Stupak
Davis (TN)	McCollum (MN)	Tanner
DeFazio	McDermott	Tauscher
DeGette	McGovern	Taylor (MS)
Delahunt	McIntyre	Thompson (CA)
DeLauro	McKinney	Thompson (MS)
Dicks	McNulty	Tierney
Dingell	Meehan	Towns
Doggett	Meek (FL)	Towns
Doyle	Mees (NY)	Udall (CO)
Edwards	Melancon	Udall (NM)
Emanuel	Menendez	Van Hollen
Engel	Michaud	Velázquez
Eshoo	Millender	Visclosky
Etheridge	McDonald	Wasserman
Evans	Miller (NC)	Schultz
Farr	Miller, George	Watson
Fattah	Mollohan	Watt
Filner	Moore (KS)	Waxman
Ford	Moore (WI)	Weiner
Frank (MA)	Moran (VA)	Wexler
Gonzalez	Murtha	Wilson (NM)
Gordon	Nadler	Woolsey
Green, Al	Napolitano	Wu
Green, Gene	Neal (MA)	Wynn

NOT VOTING—19

Abercrombie	Jones (OH)	Shaw
Baird	Knollenberg	Sweeney
Boehrlert	Norwood	Walsh
Brown, Corrine	Pascrell	Waters
Burgess	Rogers (MI)	Westmoreland
Clay	Ruppersberger	
Hinojosa	Saxton	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY) (during the vote). Members are advised that there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1144

Messrs. DAVIS of Tennessee, GORDON, VISCLOSKEY, PETERSON of Minnesota, AL GREEN of Texas, CLEAV-ER and CRAMER and Mrs. NAPOLITANO changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. ROGERS of Michigan. Mr. Speaker, on the legislative day of March 15, 2005, the House had a procedural vote on H.R. 1268, the FY 2005 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations bill. On House rollcall vote No. 69, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “aye.”

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHIMKUS). The question is on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Oklahoma (Mr. COLE).

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is the resolution, as amended. The resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE—INTEGRITY OF PROCEEDINGS AS PRESCRIBED BY THE CONSTITUTION

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to rule IX, I rise to a question of the privileges of the House, offer a privileged resolution that I noticed, and ask for its immediate consideration.

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

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 153

Whereas, the Constitution of the United States authorizes the House of Representatives to “determine the Rules of its Proceedings, punish its Members for disorderly Behaviour, and, with the Concurrence of two thirds, expel a Member”;

Whereas, in 1968, in compliance with this authority and to uphold its integrity and ensure that Members act in a manner that reflects credit on the House of Representatives, the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct was established;

Whereas, the ethics procedures in effect during the 108th Congress, and in the three preceding Congresses, were enacted in 1997 in a bipartisan manner by an overwhelming vote of the House of Representatives upon the bipartisan recommendation of the ten-member Ethics Reform Task Force, which conducted a thorough and lengthy review of the entire ethics process;

Whereas, in the 109th Congress, for the first time in the history of the House of Representatives, decisions affecting the ethics process have been made on a partisan basis without consulting the Democratic Members of the Committee or of the House;

Whereas, the Chairman of the Committee, and two of his Republican colleagues, were dismissed from the Committee;

Whereas, in a statement to the press, the departing Chairman of the Committee stated “[t]here is a bad perception out there that there was a purge in the Committee and that people were put in that would protect our side of the aisle better than I did,” and a replaced Republican Member, also in a statement to the press, referring to his dismissal

from the Committee, noted his belief that “the decision was a direct result of our work in the last session;”

Whereas, the newly appointed Chairman of the Committee improperly and unilaterally fired non-partisan Committee staff who assisted in the ethics work in the last session;

Whereas, these actions have subjected the Committee to public ridicule, produced contempt for the ethics process, created the public perception that their purpose was to protect a Member of the House, and weakened the ability of the Committee to adequately obtain information and properly conduct its investigative duties, all of which has brought discredit to the House; now be it

Resolved, that the Speaker shall appoint a bi-partisan task force with equal representation of the majority and minority parties to make recommendations to restore public confidence in the ethics process; and be it further

Resolved, that the task force report its findings and recommendations to the House of Representatives no later than May 2, 2005.

□ 1145

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SHIMKUS). The Chair has reviewed the resolution and finds that it does present a question of the privileges of the House.

MOTION TO TABLE OFFERED BY MR. LEWIS OF CALIFORNIA

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, it is with great reluctance, not only because we are working with the minority leader of the House, but because the gentlewoman is from California, that I must move to table the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to lay on the table offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. LEWIS).

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

RECORDED VOTE

Ms. PELOSI. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 223, noes 194, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 70]

AYES—223

Aderholt	Brown-Waite,	DeLay
Akin	Ginny	Dent
Alexander	Burgess	Diaz-Balart, L.
Bachus	Burton (IN)	Diaz-Balart, M.
Baker	Buyer	Doolittle
Barrett (SC)	Calvert	Drake
Bartlett (MD)	Camp	Dreier
Barton (TX)	Cannon	Duncan
Bass	Cantor	Ehlers
Beauprez	Capito	Emerson
Biggert	Carter	English (PA)
Bilirakis	Castle	Everett
Bishop (UT)	Chocola	Feeney
Blackburn	Coble	Ferguson
Blunt	Cole (OK)	Fitzpatrick (PA)
Boehrlert	Conaway	Flake
Boehner	Cox	Foley
Bonilla	Crenshaw	Forbes
Bonner	Cubin	Fortenberry
Bono	Culberson	Fossella
Boozman	Cunningham	Fox
Boustany	Davis (KY)	Franks (AZ)
Bradley (NH)	Davis, Jo Ann	Frelinghuysen
Brady (TX)	Davis, Tom	Gallegly
Brown (SC)	Deal (GA)	Garrett (NJ)

Gerlach	Lewis (CA)	Reichert
Gibbons	Lewis (KY)	Renzi
Gilchrest	Linder	Reynolds
Gillmor	LoBiondo	Rogers (AL)
Gingrey	Marchant	Rogers (KY)
Gohmert	McCaul (TX)	Rogers (MI)
Goode	McCotter	Rohrabacher
Goodlatte	McCrery	Ros-Lehtinen
Granger	McHenry	Royce
Graves	McHugh	Ryan (WI)
Green (WI)	McKeon	Ryun (KS)
Gutknecht	McMorris	Saxton
Hall	Mica	Schwarz (MI)
Harris	Miller (FL)	Sensenbrenner
Hart	Miller (MI)	Sessions
Hastings (WA)	Miller, Gary	Shadegg
Hayes	Moran (KS)	Shaw
Hayworth	Murphy	Shays
Hensarling	Musgrave	Sherwood
Herger	Myrick	Shimkus
Hobson	Neugebauer	Shuster
Hoekstra	Ney	Simmons
Hostettler	Northup	Simpson
Hulshof	Nunes	Smith (NJ)
Hunter	Nussle	Smith (TX)
Hyde	Osborne	Sodrel
Inglis (SC)	Oxley	Souder
Issa	Paul	Stearns
Istook	Pearce	Sullivan
Jenkins	Pence	Tancredo
Jindal	Peterson (PA)	Taylor (NC)
Johnson (CT)	Petri	Terry
Johnson (IL)	Pickering	Thomas
Johnson, Sam	Pitts	Thornberry
Jones (NC)	Platts	Tiahrt
Keller	Poe	Tiberi
Kelly	Pombo	Turner
Kennedy (MN)	Porter	Upton
King (IA)	Portman	Walden (OR)
King (NY)	Price (GA)	Wamp
Kingston	Pryce (OH)	Weldon (FL)
Kirk	Putnam	Weldon (PA)
Kline	Radanovich	Weller
Knollenberg	Ramstad	Westmoreland
Kolbe	Regula	Whitfield
Kuhl (NY)		Wicker
LaHood		Wilson (NM)
Latham		Wilson (SC)
LaTourette		Wolf
Leach		Young (FL)

NOES—194

Abercrombie	Delahunt	Lantos
Ackerman	DeLauro	Larsen (WA)
Allen	Dicks	Larson (CT)
Andrews	Dingell	Lee
Baca	Doggett	Levin
Baldwin	Doyle	Lewis (GA)
Barrow	Edwards	Lipinski
Bean	Emanuel	Lofgren, Zoe
Becerra	Engel	Lowe
Berkley	Eshoo	Lynch
Berman	Etheridge	Maloney
Berry	Evans	Markey
Bishop (GA)	Farr	Marshall
Bishop (NY)	Fattah	Matheson
Blumenauer	Filner	Matsui
Boren	Ford	McCarthy
Boswell	Frank (MA)	McCollum (MN)
Boucher	Gonzalez	McDermott
Boyd	Gordon	McGovern
Brady (PA)	Green, Al	McIntyre
Brown (OH)	Green, Gene	McKinney
Brown, Corrine	Grijalva	McNulty
Butterfield	Gutierrez	Meehan
Capps	Harman	Meek (FL)
Capuano	Hastings (FL)	Meeks (NY)
Cardin	Hefley	Melancon
Cardoza	Herseth	Menendez
Carnahan	Higgins	Michaud
Carson	Hinchev	Millender-
Case	Holden	McDonald
Chandler	Holt	Miller (NC)
Cleaver	Honda	Miller, George
Clyburn	Hooley	Mollohan
Conyers	Hoyer	Moore (KS)
Cooper	Inslee	Moore (WI)
Costa	Jackson (IL)	Moore (VA)
Costello	Jackson-Lee	Murtha
Cramer	(TX)	Nadler
Crowley	Johnson, E. B.	Napolitano
Cuellar	Kanjorski	Neal (MA)
Cummings	Kaptur	Oberstar
Davis (AL)	Kennedy (RI)	Obey
Davis (CA)	Kildee	Olver
Davis (IL)	Kilpatrick (MI)	Ortiz
Davis (TN)	Kind	Pallone
DeFazio	Kucinich	Pascarell
DeGette	Langevin	Pastor

Payne	Schakowsky	Thompson (CA)
Pelosi	Schiff	Thompson (MS)
Peterson (MN)	Schwartz (PA)	Tierney
Pomeroy	Scott (GA)	Towns
Price (NC)	Scott (VA)	Udall (CO)
Rahall	Serrano	Udall (NM)
Rangel	Sherman	Van Hollen
Ross	Skelton	Velázquez
Rothman	Slaughter	Viscosky
Roybal-Allard	Smith (WA)	Wasserman
Ruppersberger	Snyder	Schultz
Rush	Solis	Watson
Ryan (OH)	Spratt	Watt
Sabo	Stark	Waxman
Salazar	Strickland	Weiner
Sánchez, Linda	Stupak	Wexler
T.	Tanner	Woolsey
Sanchez, Loretta	Tauscher	Wu
Sanders	Taylor (MS)	Wynn

NOT VOTING—17

Baird	Jefferson	Reyes
Chabot	Jones (OH)	Sweeney
Clay	Norwood	Walsh
Davis (FL)	Otter	Waters
Hinojosa	Owens	Young (AK)
Rehberg		

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY) (during the vote). Members are advised that there are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1217

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut changed her vote from “no” to “aye.” So the motion to table was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. HINOJOSA. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 69, the previous question, and No. 70, the motion to table the Pelosi resolution, had I been present, I would have voted “no” on both rollcalls.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 21

Mr. MENENDEZ. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to have my name removed as a cosponsor of H.R. 21.

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

There was no objection.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material on the bill (H.R. 1268) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes, and that I may include tabular material on the same.

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

There was no objection.

EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT FOR DEFENSE, THE GLOBAL WAR ON TERROR, AND TSUNAMI RELIEF, 2005

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. FOLEY). Pursuant to House Resolution 151 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill, H.R. 1268.

□ 1217

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 1268) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes, with Mr. THORNBERRY in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to the rule, the bill is considered as having been read the first time.

Under the rule, the gentleman from California (Mr. LEWIS) and the gentleman from Wisconsin (Mr. OBEY) each will control 30 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from California (Mr. LEWIS).

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Chairman, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Chairman, it is with great pride that I bring before the House H.R. 1268, a bill making emergency supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2005. This is my first appropriations measure as the new Appropriations Committee chairman. I am especially proud of the extraordinary effort put forth by the committee’s members and staff to report a bill that will better permit our troops to prosecute the war on terrorism and will do so with a price tag less than that requested by the President.

Mr. Chairman, I would like to have the House pay special attention to three of my colleagues who have come back from the private sector to help serve this committee. Frank Cushing is my staff director, and David LesStrang and Jeff Shockey are my deputy staff directors for the Committee. I really appreciate their willingness to make great sacrifice to come back.

Six of the committee’s 10 subcommittees participated in the development of this measure which provides \$81.27 billion in urgent and emergency spending. The lion’s share of that amount, some \$76.8 billion, is for defense-related expenditures. This funding represents an increase for defense needs of \$1.8 billion above the President’s request, which I hasten to note is entirely for enhanced support for deployed, soon-to-be deployed, or returning troops in order to assist in force protection and to increase the survivability of the troops in the field.

To provide these important resources for our troops, we reduced other, non-essential DOD requests by some \$600