

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Again, I just want to thank the gentleman from Florida for introducing this legislation, for bringing it to the floor, and I hope that we can get the Senate to give its timely attention.

Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. KELLER. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, this is a commonsense piece of legislation that will make sure our neediest college students will not be forced to prematurely terminate their college education due to Hurricane Katrina or other natural disasters. Without this legislation, thousands of college students will be barred from enrolling in future college classes as a result of a hurricane that they had no control over whatsoever.

Let us join together now in a bipartisan spirit and help these college students by providing the Secretary of Education with waiver authority for students who are eligible for Pell grants and who have been adversely impacted by natural disasters. I urge all of my colleagues to vote "yes" on H.R. 3169.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of H.R. 3169, which would amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to authorize the Secretary of Education to waive requirements for Pell Grant repayments if student withdrawals from institutions of higher education are due to disasters. This bill essentially provides aid to those students who have been displaced as a result of the devastating forces of Hurricane Katrina. In Mississippi, Louisiana, and Alabama thousands of students are no longer able to attend classes at universities such as Dillard, Xavier, and the University of New Orleans. These universities have historically provided minorities the opportunity to receive a college education.

Fortunately, universities such as Texas Southern, and the University of Houston are taking in displaced students so they can continue their education as we continue to address the many problems facing the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

I urge my colleagues to support this legislation.

Mr. KELLER. Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Florida (Mr. KELLER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3169, as amended.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds of those present have voted in the affirmative.

Mr. KELLER. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX and the Chair's prior announcement, further proceedings on this motion will be postponed.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on motions to suspend the rules previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

H.R. 3650, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 3169, by the yeas and nays.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. The remaining electronic vote will be conducted as a 5-minute vote.

FEDERAL JUDICIARY EMERGENCY SPECIAL SESSIONS ACT OF 2005

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 3650.

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. SENSENBRENNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3650, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 409, nays 0, not voting 24, as follows:

[Roll No. 456]

YEAS—409

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Aderholt
Akin
Alexander
Allen
Andrews
Baca
Bachus
Baird
Baldwin
Barrett (SC)
Barrow
Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Bass
Bean
Beauprez
Becerra
Berman
Berry
Biggett
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blumenauer
Blunt
Boehlert
Boehner
Bonilla
Bonner
Bono
Boozman
Boren
Boswell
Boucher
Boustany
Boyd
Bradley (NH)
Brady (PA)
Brown (OH)
Brown (SC)
Brown, Corrine
Brown-Waite,
Ginny
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Calvert
Camp
Cannon
Cantor

Capito
Capps
Capuano
Cardin
Cardoza
Carnahan
Carson
Carter
Case
Castle
Chabot
Chandler
Choccola
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Cramer
Crenshaw
Crowley
Cubin
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Cunningham
Davis (AL)
Davis (CA)
Davis (FL)
Davis (IL)
Davis (KY)
Davis (TN)
Davis, Jo Ann
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
DeFazio
DeGette
DeLauro
DeLay
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Doolittle
Doyle
Drake
Duncan

Edwards
Ehlers
Emanuel
Engel
English (PA)
Eshoo
Etheridge
Evans
Everett
Farr
Fattah
Feeney
Ferguson
Filner
Fitzpatrick (PA)
Flake
Foley
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fossella
Foxy
Frank (MA)
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Galeggly
Garrett (NJ)
Gerlach
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Gillmor
Gingrey
Gohmert
Gonzalez
Goode
Goodlatte
Gordon
Granger
Graves
Green (WI)
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Grijalva
Gutierrez
Gutknecht
Hall
Harman
Harris
Hart
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Hayworth
Hefley

Hensarling
Herger
Herseth
Higgins
Hinchey
Hinojosa
Hobson
Holden
Holt
Honda
Hooley
Hostettler
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hunter
Hyde
Inglis (SC)
Inslie
Israel
Issa
Istook
Jackson (IL)
Jackson-Lee
(TX)
Jefferson
Jenkins
Jindal
Johnson (CT)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson, E. B.
Johnson, Sam
Jones (NC)
Jones (OH)
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Keller
Kelly
Kennedy (MN)
Kennedy (RI)
Kildee
Kilpatrick (MI)
Kind
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kirk
Kline
Knollenberg
Kolbe
Kucinich
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Langevin
Lantos
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette
Leach
Lee
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (GA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Lofgren, Zoe
Lowey
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel
E.
Lynch
Mack
Manzullo
Markey
Marshall
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy
McCaull (TX)
McCollum (MN)
McCotter
McCrery
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry

McHugh
McIntyre
McKeon
McKinney
McMorris
Meehan
Meek (FL)
Meeks (NY)
Menendez
Mica
Michaud
Millender-
McDonald
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Mollohan
Moore (KS)
Moore (WI)
Moran (KS)
Moran (VA)
Murphy
Murtha
Muschgrave
Myrick
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal (MA)
Neugebauer
Ney
Northup
Norwood
Nunes
Nussle
Oberstar
Obey
Ortiz
Osborne
Otter
Owens
Oxley
Pallone
Pascarell
Pastor
Paul
Payne
Pearce
Pelosi
Pence
Peterson (MN)
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pitts
Platts
Poe
Pombo
Pomeroy
Porter
Price (GA)
Price (NC)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Rahall
Ramstad
Rangel
Regula
Rehberg
Reichert
Renzi
Reyes
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Ryan (WI)

Ryun (KS)
Sabo
Salazar
Sánchez, Linda
T.
Sanders
Saxton
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schmidt
Schwartz (PA)
Schwarz (MI)
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Sessions
Shadegg
Shaw
Shays
Sherman
Sherwood
Shimkus
Shuster
Simmons
Simpson
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Sodrel
Solis
Souder
Spratt
Stark
Stearns
Strickland
Stupak
Sullivan
Sweeney
Tancredo
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor (NC)
Terry
Thomas
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberi
Tierney
Towns
Turner
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walden (OR)
Walsh
Wamp
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Westmoreland
Wexler
Whitfield
Wicker
Wilson (NM)
Wilson (SC)
Wolf
Woolsey
Wu
Wynn
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—24

Emerson
Ford
Hoekstra
Levin
Maloney
Marchant
McNulty
Melancon
Oliver
Pickering
Reynolds
Sanchez, Loretta
Taylor (MS)
Weiner
Weldon (PA)
Young (AK)

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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. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably delayed on rollcall No. 456. Had I been present, I would have voted aye.

PELL GRANT HURRICANE AND DISASTER RELIEF ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). The pending business is the question of suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 3169, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Florida (Mr. KELLER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3169, 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 412, nays 0, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 457]

YEAS—412

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| Abercrombie | Capito | Edwards |
| Ackerman | Capps | Ehlers |
| Aderholt | Capuano | Emanuel |
| Akin | Cardin | Engel |
| Alexander | Cardoza | English (PA) |
| Allen | Carmahan | Eshoo |
| Andrews | Carson | Etheridge |
| Baca | Carter | Evans |
| Bachus | Case | Everett |
| Baird | Castle | Farr |
| Baldwin | Chabot | Fattah |
| Barrett (SC) | Chandler | Feeney |
| Barrow | Chocola | Ferguson |
| Bartlett (MD) | Clay | Filner |
| Barton (TX) | Cleaver | Fitzpatrick (PA) |
| Bass | Clyburn | Flake |
| Bean | Coble | Foley |
| Beauprez | Cole (OK) | Forbes |
| Becerra | Conyers | Fortenberry |
| Berman | Cooper | Fossella |
| Berry | Costa | Fox |
| Biggert | Cramer | Frank (MA) |
| Bilirakis | Crenshaw | Franks (AZ) |
| Bishop (GA) | Crowley | Frelinghuysen |
| Bishop (NY) | Cubin | Gallely |
| Bishop (UT) | Cuellar | Garrett (NJ) |
| Blackburn | Culberson | Gerlach |
| Blumenauer | Cummings | Gibbons |
| Blunt | Cunningham | Gilchrest |
| Boehlert | Davis (AL) | Gillmor |
| Boehner | Davis (CA) | Gingrey |
| Bonilla | Davis (FL) | Gohmert |
| Bonner | Davis (IL) | Gonzalez |
| Bono | Davis (KY) | Goode |
| Boozman | Davis (TN) | Goodlatte |
| Boren | Davis, Jo Ann | Gordon |
| Boswell | Davis, Tom | Granger |
| Boucher | Deal (GA) | Graves |
| Boustany | DeFazio | Green (WI) |
| Boyd | DeGette | Green, Al |
| Bradley (NH) | Delahunt | Green, Gene |
| Brady (PA) | DeLauro | Grijalva |
| Brown (OH) | DeLay | Gutierrez |
| Brown (SC) | Dent | Gutknecht |
| Brown, Corrine | Diaz-Balart, L. | Hall |
| Brown-Waite, | Diaz-Balart, M. | Harman |
| Ginny | Dicks | Harris |
| Burgess | Dingell | Hart |
| Burton (IN) | Doggett | Hastings (FL) |
| Calvert | Doolittle | Hastings (WA) |
| Camp | Doyle | Hayes |
| Cannon | Drake | Hayworth |
| Cantor | Duncan | Hefley |

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| Hensarling | McHugh | Ryun (KS) |
| Herger | McIntyre | Sabo |
| Herse | McKeon | Salazar |
| Higgins | McKinney | Sánchez, Linda |
| Hinche | McMorris | T. |
| Hinojosa | Meehan | Sanders |
| Hobson | Meek (FL) | Saxton |
| Holden | Meeks (NY) | Schakowsky |
| Holt | Menendez | Schiff |
| Honda | Mica | Schmidt |
| Hooley | Michaud | Schwartz (PA) |
| Hostettler | Millender | Schwarz (MI) |
| Hoyer | McDonald | Scott (GA) |
| Hulshof | Miller (FL) | Scott (VA) |
| Hunter | Miller (MI) | Sensenbrenner |
| Hyde | Miller (NC) | Serrano |
| Inglis (SC) | Miller, Gary | Sessions |
| Inslie | Miller, George | Shadegg |
| Israel | Mollohan | Shaw |
| Issa | Moore (KS) | Shays |
| Istook | Moore (WI) | Sherman |
| Jackson (IL) | Moran (KS) | Sherwood |
| Jackson-Lee | Moran (VA) | Shimkus |
| (TX) | Murphy | Shuster |
| Jefferson | Murtha | Simmons |
| Jenkins | Musgrave | Simpson |
| Jindal | Myrick | Skelton |
| Johnson (CT) | Nadler | Slaughter |
| Johnson (IL) | Napolitano | Smith (NJ) |
| Johnson, E. B. | Neal (MA) | Smith (TX) |
| Johnson, Sam | Neugebauer | Smith (WA) |
| Jones (NC) | Ney | Snyder |
| Jones (OH) | Northup | Sodrel |
| Kanjorski | Norwood | Solis |
| Kaptur | Nunes | Souder |
| Keller | Nussle | Spratt |
| Kelly | Oberstar | Stark |
| Kennedy (MN) | Obey | Stearns |
| Kennedy (RI) | Ortiz | Strickland |
| Kildee | Osborne | Stupak |
| Kilpatrick (MI) | Otter | Sullivan |
| Kind | Owens | Sweeney |
| King (IA) | Oxley | Tancredo |
| King (NY) | Pallone | Tanner |
| Kingston | Pascarell | Tauscher |
| Kirk | Pastor | Taylor (NC) |
| Kline | Paul | Terry |
| Knollenberg | Payne | Thomas |
| Kolbe | Pearce | Thompson (CA) |
| Kucinich | Pelosi | Thompson (MS) |
| Kuhl (NY) | Pence | Thornberry |
| LaHood | Peterson (MN) | Tiahrt |
| Langevin | Peterson (PA) | Tiberi |
| Lantos | Petri | Tierney |
| Larsen (WA) | Pitts | Towns |
| Larson (CT) | Platts | Turner |
| Latham | Poe | Udall (CO) |
| LaTourette | Pomboy | Udall (NM) |
| Leach | Pomeroy | Upton |
| Lee | Porter | Van Hollen |
| Levin | Price (GA) | Velázquez |
| Lewis (CA) | Price (NC) | Visclosky |
| Lewis (GA) | Pryce (OH) | Walden (OR) |
| Lewis (KY) | Putnam | Walsh |
| Linder | Radanovich | Wamp |
| Lipinski | Rahall | Wasserman |
| LoBiondo | Ramstad | Schultz |
| Lofgren, Zoe | Rangel | Waters |
| Lowe | Regula | Watson |
| Lucas | Rehberg | Watt |
| Lungren, Daniel | Reichert | Waxman |
| E. | Renzi | Weldon (FL) |
| Lynch | Reyes | Weldon (PA) |
| Mack | Reynolds | Weller |
| Manzullo | Rogers (AL) | Westmoreland |
| Markey | Rogers (KY) | Wexler |
| Marshall | Rogers (MI) | Whitfield |
| Matheson | Rohrabacher | Wicker |
| Matsui | Ros-Lehtinen | Wilson (NM) |
| McCarthy | Ross | Wilson (SC) |
| McCaul (TX) | Rothman | Wolf |
| McCollum (MN) | Roybal-Allard | Woolsey |
| McCotter | Royce | Wu |
| McCrery | Ruppersberger | Wynn |
| McDermott | Rush | Young (FL) |
| McGovern | Ryan (OH) | |
| McHenry | Ryan (WI) | |

NOT VOTING—21

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| Baker | Dreier | Melancon |
| Berkley | Emerson | Oliver |
| Brady (TX) | Ford | Pickering |
| Butterfield | Hoekstra | Sanchez, Loretta |
| Butter | Maloney | Taylor (MS) |
| Conaway | Marchant | Weiner |
| Costello | McNulty | Young (AK) |

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So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 1642

Mr. WILSON of South Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to have my name removed as a cosponsor of H.R. 1642.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. LAHOOD). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from South Carolina?

There was no objection.

WHATEVER WE CAN DO

(Mrs. BLACKBURN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. BLACKBURN. Mr. Speaker, in Tennessee we are called “volunteers,” and that is for good reason because when our Nation is in need, our State responds. And such is the case we see this week and over the past several days as those who are the victims, the evacuees, from Hurricane Katrina have needed our help. Our Nation and our State have responded.

This headline in the Williamson AM pretty much says it: “Whatever we can do.” And that is the way the people of Tennessee have responded, opening their churches, opening their homes, opening town halls to help those who are in need of supplies, in need of schooling for children, in need of a place to live, food to eat.

I want to say thank you to all of those volunteers who have risen to the occasion in Tennessee, and I thank the volunteers all across the Nation who have responded to those who have found themselves in need because of the storm that we experienced last week.

HONORING ADOLFO AGUILAR ZINSER

(Mr. BROWN of Ohio asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. BROWN of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, Adolfo Aguilar Zinser was a scholarly and outspoken Mexican diplomat and politician whose independent struggle for democracy helped end 71 years of single-party rule.

Ambassador Zinser was killed in a traffic accident while driving back from his country home south of Mexico City. He was only 55.

It is my honor to lend my voice to the many admirers of Ambassador Zinser whose untimely death is a tremendous loss for all of us who believe