

Dr. DeBakey is a medical pioneer in the area of cardiac surgery, which is his expertise. His career is highlighted by a number of "firsts." While still a student, he invented a roller pump for blood transfusions. He performed the first successful coronary bypass; he was the first to successfully use a partial artificial heart; he supervised the first successful multi-organ transplant and then led the way for telemedicine with the first demonstration of open-heart surgery broadcasted overseas by satellite.

Mr. Speaker, this list represents only a snapshot of Dr. DeBakey's service. He also was the first president of Baylor College of Medicine where he developed the fellowship and residency programs at his namesake Department of Surgery. Today, Baylor is one of the jewels of the Texas Medical Center, in large part due to Dr. DeBakey's leadership, and has been the site of countless medical miracles for patients from Texas and around the world. A true testament to Dr. DeBakey's impact is the admiration he has earned from the Houston community, more than 60,000 members of which count Dr. DeBakey as their physician.

Internationally, Dr. DeBakey has been recognized and honored by well over a dozen governments and even inducted into the Academy of Athens, a society founded by Plato. His many awards include the U.S. Army Legion of Merit and the Presidential Medal of Freedom awarded by President Johnson and the National Medal of Science awarded by President Reagan.

I can think of no physician better suited for the Congressional Gold Medal, and I encourage my colleagues to join me in supporting this bill to bestow that honor upon Dr. DeBakey.

Mr. CULBERSON. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. AL GREEN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1154.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON H.R. 1852, EXPANDING AMERICAN HOMEOWNERSHIP ACT OF 2007

Mr. AL GREEN of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Financial Services be authorized to file a supplemental report on the bill, H.R. 1852.

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

There was no objection.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair

declares the House in recess until approximately 6:30 p.m. today.

Accordingly (at 4 o'clock and 48 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess until approximately 6:30 p.m.

□ 1830

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. CARDOZA) at 6 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.

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. 3246, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 1657, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 3527, by the yeas and nays.

The vote on H.R. 3096 will be taken tomorrow.

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

REGIONAL ECONOMIC AND INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2007

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3246, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk reads the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from the District of Columbia (Ms. NORTON) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3246, as amended.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 225, nays 152, not voting 55, as follows:

[Roll No. 867]

YEAS—225

Abercrombie	Butterfield	DeLauro
Ackerman	Capito	Dent
Aderholt	Capps	Dingell
Alexander	Capuano	Doggett
Altmire	Cardoza	Donnelly
Andrews	Carnahan	Doyle
Arcuri	Castor	Edwards
Baca	Chandler	Ellison
Baird	Clarke	Ellsworth
Baker	Clay	Emanuel
Baldwin	Cleaver	English (PA)
Barrow	Clyburn	Eshoo
Bean	Coble	Etheridge
Becerra	Cohen	Farr
Berkley	Cooper	Fattah
Berman	Costa	Ferguson
Berry	Courtney	Filner
Bishop (NY)	Cramer	Fortenberry
Blumenauer	Crowley	Frank (MA)
Boozman	Cuellar	Giffords
Boren	Cummings	Gillibrand
Boucher	Davis (AL)	Gonzalez
Boustany	Davis (CA)	Gordon
Boyd (FL)	Davis (IL)	Graves
Boyda (KS)	Davis, Lincoln	Green, Al
Brady (PA)	DeFazio	Green, Gene
Braley (IA)	DeGette	Grijalva
Buchanan	Delahunt	Hall (NY)

Hare	Matheson	Rush
Harman	Matsui	Ryan (OH)
Hastings (FL)	McCarthy (NY)	Salazar
Hayes	McCollum (MN)	Sanchez, Loretta
Hereth Sandlin	McCrery	Sarbanes
Higgins	McDermott	Schakowsky
Hill	McGovern	Schiff
Hinchey	McHugh	Schwartz
Hinojosa	McIntyre	Scott (GA)
Hirono	McNerney	Scott (VA)
Hodes	McNulty	Serrano
Holden	Meek (FL)	Sestak
Holt	Meeks (NY)	Shea-Porter
Honda	Melancon	Sherman
Hoyer	Michaud	Shuler
Inslie	Miller (NC)	Sires
Israel	Mitchell	Skelton
Jackson (IL)	Mollohan	Smith (NJ)
Jackson-Lee	Moore (KS)	Snyder
(TX)	Moore (WI)	Solis
Johnson (GA)	Murphy (CT)	Souder
Johnson, E. B.	Murphy, Patrick	Spratt
Jones (OH)	Murphy, Tim	Stark
Kagen	Murtha	Stupak
Kanjorski	Nadler	Sutton
Kaptur	Napolitano	Tanner
Kennedy	Obey	Tauscher
Kildee	Olver	Taylor
Kilpatrick	Ortiz	Thompson (CA)
Kind	Pallone	Thompson (MS)
Klein (FL)	Pascrell	Tiberi
Kuhl (NY)	Pastor	Tierney
Lampson	Payne	Udall (NM)
Langevin	Perlmutter	Velázquez
Larson (CT)	Peterson (MN)	Walsh (NY)
Latham	Pomeroy	Walz (MN)
LaTourette	Price (NC)	Wasserman
Lee	Rahall	Schultz
Levin	Rangel	Waters
Lewis (GA)	Renzi	Watson
Lipinski	Reyes	Watt
Loeb sack	Richardson	Weiner
Lofgren, Zoe	Rodriguez	Welch (VT)
Lowey	Rogers (AL)	Wexler
Mahoney (FL)	Ross	Wilson (OH)
Maloney (NY)	Rothman	Woolsey
Markey	Roybal-Allard	Wu
Marshall	Ruppersberger	

NAYS—152

Akin	Fox	Miller (MI)
Bachmann	Franks (AZ)	Miller, Gary
Barrett (SC)	Frelinghuysen	Moran (KS)
Bartlett (MD)	Gallegly	Musgrave
Barton (TX)	Garrett (NJ)	Myrick
Biggert	Gilchrest	Neugebauer
Bilbray	Gingrey	Nunes
Billakis	Gohmert	Pearce
Bishop (UT)	Goode	Pence
Blackburn	Goodlatte	Petri
Blunt	Granger	Pitts
Boehner	Hall (TX)	Platts
Bonner	Hastert	Porter
Bono	Hastings (WA)	Price (GA)
Brady (TX)	Heller	Putnam
Broun (GA)	Herger	Radanovich
Brown (SC)	Hobson	Regula
Brown-Waite,	Hoekstra	Rehberg
Ginny	Hulshof	Reichert
Burgess	Inglis (SC)	Reynolds
Burton (IN)	Issa	Rogers (KY)
Calvert	Johnson, Sam	Rogers (MI)
Camp (MI)	Jones (NC)	Rohrabacher
Campbell (CA)	Jordan	Ros-Lehtinen
Cantor	Keller	Roskam
Carter	King (IA)	Royce
Castle	King (NY)	Ryan (WI)
Chabot	Kingston	Sali
Cole (OK)	Kirk	Saxton
Conaway	Kline (MN)	Schmidt
Crenshaw	LaHood	Sensenbrenner
Culberson	Lamborn	Sessions
Davis (KY)	Lewis (CA)	Shadegg
Davis, David	Lewis (KY)	Shimkus
Davis, Tom	Linder	Shuster
Deal (GA)	LoBiondo	Simpson
Diaz-Balart, L.	Lucas	Smith (NE)
Diaz-Balart, M.	Lungren, Daniel	Smith (TX)
Doolittle	E.	Stearns
Drake	Mack	Sullivan
Dreier	Manzullo	Thornberry
Duncan	McCarthy (CA)	Tiahrt
Emerson	McCaul (TX)	Turner
Everett	McCotter	Upton
Fallin	McHenry	Walberg
Feeney	McMorris	Walden (OR)
Flake	Rodgers	Wamp
Forbes	Mica	Weldon (FL)
Fossella	Miller (FL)	Weller

Westmoreland Wilson (NM) Young (AK)
Whitfield Wilson (SC) Young (FL)
Wicker Wolf

NOT VOTING—55

Allen Hooley Poe
Bachus Hunter Pryce (OH)
Bishop (GA) Jefferson Ramstad
Boswell Jindal Sánchez, Linda
Brown, Corrine Johnson (IL) T.
Buyer Knollenberg Shays
Cannon Kucinich Slaughter
Carney Lantos Smith (WA)
Carson Larsen (WA) Space
Conyers Lynch Tancred
Costello Marchant Terry
Cubin McKeon Towns
Davis, Jo Ann Miller, George Udall (CO)
Dicks Moran (VA) Van Hollen
Ehlers Neal (MA) Visclosky
Engel Oberstar Waxman
Gerlach Paul Wynn
Gutierrez Peterson (PA) Wynn
Hensarling Pickering Yarmuth

□ 1857

Messrs. GOODLATTE, WALDEN of Oregon, AKIN, and EVERETT changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Messrs. ALEXANDER, COBLE, BUCHANAN, and Ms. CLARKE changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds not being in the affirmative) the motion was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

ESTABLISHING A SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1657, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Indiana (Mr. HILL) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 1657.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 360, nays 16, not voting 56, as follows:

[Roll No. 868]

YEAS—360

Abercrombie Bono Clay
Ackerman Boozman Cleaver
Aderholt Boren Clyburn
Akin Boucher Coble
Alexander Boustany Cohen
Altmire Boyd (FL) Cole (OK)
Andrews Boyda (KS) Conaway
Arcuri Brady (PA) Cooper
Baca Brady (TX) Costa
Bachmann Braley (IA) Courtney
Baird Brown (SC) Cramer
Baker Brown-Waite, Crenshaw
Baldwin Ginny Crowley
Barrow Buchanan Cuellar
Bartlett (MD) Burgess Culberson
Barton (TX) Butterfield Cummings
Bean Calvert Davis (AL)
Becerra Camp (MI) Davis (CA)
Berkley Campbell (CA) Davis (IL)
Berman Cantor Davis (KY)
Berry Capito Davis, David
Biggart Capps Davis, Lincoln
Billray Capuano Davis, Tom
Bilirakis Cardoza DeFazio
Bishop (NY) Carnahan DeGette
Bishop (UT) Carter Delahunt
Blackburn Castle DeLauro
Blumenauer Castor Dent
Blunt Chabot Diaz-Balart, L.
Boehner Chandler Diaz-Balart, M.
Bonner Clarke Dingell

Doggett Lamborn Renzi
Donnelly Lamborn Reyes
Doyle Lampson Reynolds
Drake Langevin Richardson
Dreier Larson (CT) Rodriguez
Edwards Latham Rogers (AL)
Ellison LaTourrette Rogers (KY)
Ellsworth Lee Rogers (MI)
Emanuel Levin Rohrabacher
Emerson Lewis (CA) Ros-Lehtinen
English (PA) Lewis (GA) Roskam
Eshoo Lewis (KY) Ross
Etheridge Linder Rothman
Everett Lipinski Roybal-Allard
Fallin LoBiondo Royce
Farr Loebbeck Ruppel
Fattah Lofgren, Zoe Rush
Feeney Lowey Ryan (OH)
Ferguson Lucas Ryan (WI)
Filner Lungren, Daniel Salazar
Forbes E. Sanchez, Loretta
Fortenberry Mack Sarbanes
Fossella Mahoney (FL) Saxton
Foxy Maloney (NY) Schakowsky
Frank (MA) Manzullo Schiff
Frelinghuysen Markey Schwartz
Gallegly Marshall Scott (GA)
Garrett (NJ) Matheson Scott (VA)
Giffords Matsui Sensenbrenner
Gilchrest McCarthy (CA) Serrano
Gillibrand McCarthy (NY) Sessions
Gingrey McCaul (TX) Sestak
Gohmert McCollum (MN) Shea-Porter
Gonzalez McCotter Sherman
Goode McCreery Shimkus
Goodlatte McDermott Shuler
Gordon McGovern Shuster
Granger McHenry Simpson
Graves McHugh Sires
Green, Al McIntyre Skelton
Green, Gene McMorris Smith (NE)
Grijalva Rodgers Smith (NJ)
Hall (NY) McNeerney Smith (TX)
Hall (TX) McNulty Snyder
Hare Meek (FL) Solis
Harman Meeks (NY) Souder
Hastert Melancon Spratt
Hastings (FL) Mica Stark
Hastings (WA) Michaud Stearns
Hayes Miller (MI) Stupak
Heller Miller (NC) Sullivan
Herger Miller, Gary Sutton
Herseht Sandlin Mitchell Tanner
Higgins Mollohan Tauscher
Hill Moore (KS) Taylor
Hinchey Moore (WI) Thompson (CA)
Hinojosa Moran (KS) Thompson (MS)
Hirono Murphy (CT) Thornberry
Hobson Murphy, Patrick Tiahrt
Hodes Murphy, Tim Tierney
Holden Murtha Tierney
Holt Musgrave Turner
Honda Myrick Udall (NM)
Hoyer Nadler Upton
Hulshof Napolitano Velázquez
Inslee Neugebauer Walberg
Israel Nunes Walden (OR)
Issa Obey Walsh (NY)
Jackson (IL) Oliver Walz (MN)
Jackson-Lee Ortiz Wamp
(TX) Pallone Wasserman
Johnson (GA) Pascrell Schultz
Johnson, E. B. Pastor Waters
Johnson, Sam Payne Watson
Jones (NC) Pearce Watt
Jones (OH) Perlmutter Weiner
Jordan Peterson (MN) Welch (VT)
Kagen Petri Weldon (FL)
Kanjorski Pitts Weller
Kaptur Platts Wexler
Keller Pomeroy Whitfield
Kennedy Porter Wicker
Kildee Price (GA) Wilson (NM)
Kilpatrick Price (NC) Wilson (OH)
Kind Putnam Wilson (SC)
King (IA) Radanovich Wolf
King (NY) Rahall Woolsey
Kirk Rangel Wu
Klein (FL) Regula Young (AK)
Kline (MN) Rehberg Young (FL)
Kuhl (NY) Reichert

NAYS—16

Barrett (SC) Flake Pence
Broun (GA) Franks (AZ) Sali
Burton (IN) Hoekstra Shadegg
Deal (GA) Inglis (SC) Westmoreland
Doolittle Kingston
Duncan Miller (FL)

NOT VOTING—56

Allen Hooley Poe
Bachus Hunter Pryce (OH)
Bishop (GA) Jefferson Ramstad
Boswell Jindal Sánchez, Linda
Brown, Corrine Johnson (IL) T.
Buyer Knollenberg Schmidt
Cannon Kucinich Shays
Carney Lantos Slaughter
Carson Larsen (WA) Smith (WA)
Conyers Lynch Space
Costello Marchant Tancred
Cubin McKeon Terry
Davis, Jo Ann Miller, George Towns
Dicks Moran (VA) Udall (CO)
Ehlers Neal (MA) Van Hollen
Engel Oberstar Visclosky
Gerlach Paul Waxman
Gutierrez Peterson (PA) Wynn
Hensarling Pickering Yarmuth

□ 1906

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) 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.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. VAN HOLLEN. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall Nos. 867 and 868, due to unavoidable delays in travel, I missed the votes on H.R. 3246 and H.R. 1657. Had I been present, I would have voted “yea” on both.

EXTENDING THE AUTHORITIES OF THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3527, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from American Samoa (Mr. FALOMAVAEGA) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 3527.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 347, nays 30, not voting 55, as follows:

[Roll No. 869]

YEAS—347

Abercrombie Blumenauer Capps
Ackerman Blunt Capuano
Aderholt Boehner Cardoza
Alexander Bonner Carnahan
Altmire Bono Carter
Andrews Boozman Castle
Arcuri Boren Castor
Baca Boucher Chandler
Bachmann Boustany Clarke
Baird Boyd (FL) Clay
Baker Boyda (KS) Cleaver
Baldwin Brady (PA) Clyburn
Barrow Brady (TX) Coble
Bartlett (MD) Braley (IA) Cohen
Barton (TX) Brown (SC) Cole (OK)
Bean Brown-Waite, Cooper
Becerra Ginny Costa
Berkley Buchanan Courtney
Berman Burgess Cramer
Berry Burton (IN) Crenshaw
Biggart Butterfield Crowley
Billray Calvert Cuellar
Bilirakis Camp (MI) Culberson
Bishop (NY) Cantor Cummings
Bishop (UT) Capito Davis (AL)
Blackburn Capito Davis (CA)