

merely a procedural vote. A vote against ordering the previous question is a vote against the Democratic majority agenda and a vote to allow the opposition, at least for the moment, to offer an alternative plan. It is a vote about what the House should be debating.

Mr. Clarence Cannon's *Precedents of the House of Representatives*, (VI, 308-311) describes the vote on the previous question on the rule as "a motion to direct or control the consideration of the subject before the House being made by the Member in charge." To defeat the previous question is to give the opposition a chance to decide the subject before the House. Cannon cites the Speaker's ruling of January 13, 1920, to the effect that "the refusal of the House to sustain the demand for the previous question passes the control of the resolution to the opposition" in order to offer an amendment. On March 15, 1909, a member of the majority party offered a rule resolution. The House defeated the previous question and a member of the opposition rose to a parliamentary inquiry, asking who was entitled to recognition. Speaker Joseph G. Cannon (R-Illinois) said: "The previous question having been refused, the gentleman from New York, Mr. Fitzgerald, who had asked the gentleman to yield to him for an amendment, is entitled to the first recognition."

Because the vote today may look bad for the Democratic majority they will say "the vote on the previous question is simply a vote on whether to proceed to an immediate vote on adopting the resolution . . . [and] has no substantive legislative or policy implications whatsoever." But that is not what they have always said. Listen to the definition of the previous question used in the *Floor Procedures Manual* published by the Rules Committee in the 109th Congress, (page 56). Here's how the Rules Committee described the rule using information from *Congressional Quarterly's "American Congressional Dictionary"*: "If the previous question is defeated, control of debate shifts to the leading opposition member (usually the minority Floor Manager) who then manages an hour of debate and may offer a germane amendment to the pending business."

Deschler's *Procedure in the U.S. House of Representatives*, the subchapter titled "Amending Special Rules" states: "a refusal to order the previous question on such a rule [a special rule reported from the Committee on Rules] opens the resolution to amendment and further debate." (Chapter 21, section 21.2) Section 21.3 continues: Upon rejection of the motion for the previous question on a resolution reported from the Committee on Rules, control shifts to the Member leading the opposition to the previous question, who may offer a proper amendment or motion and who controls the time for debate thereon."

Clearly, the vote on the previous question on a rule does have substantive policy implications. It is one of the only available tools for those who oppose the Democratic majority's agenda and allows those with alternative views the opportunity to offer an alternative plan.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. All time has expired.

The question is on ordering the previous question on the resolution.

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

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, further pro-

ceedings on this question will be postponed.

The point of no quorum is considered withdrawn.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 and 9 of rule XX, the Chair will now put each question on which further proceedings were postponed, in the following order:

Suspending the rules and adopting H. Res. 122, by the yeas and nays;

Ordering the previous question on H. Res. 157, de novo vote;

Adoption of H. Res. 157, if ordered;

Suspending the rules and passing H.R. 437, by the yeas and nays.

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

RECOGNIZING THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE 65TH ANNIVERSARY OF EXECUTIVE ORDER 9066 AND SUPPORTING AND RECOGNIZING A NATIONAL DAY OF REMEMBRANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question of suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 122.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. BERMAN) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 122, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 426, nays 0, not voting 8, as follows:

[Roll No. 95]		
YEAS—426		
Abercrombie	Bono	Castor
Ackerman	Boozman	Chabot
Aderholt	Boren	Chandler
Akin	Boswell	Clarke
Allen	Boucher	Clay
Altire	Boustany	Cleaver
Andrews	Boyd (FL)	Clyburn
Arcuri	Boyd (KS)	Coble
Baca	Brady (PA)	Cohen
Bachmann	Brady (TX)	Cole (OK)
Bachus	Braley (IA)	Conaway
Baird	Brown (SC)	Congers
Baker	Brown, Corrine	Cooper
Baldwin	Brown-Waite,	Costa
Barrett (SC)	Ginny	Costello
Barrow	Buchanan	Courtney
Bartlett (MD)	Burgess	Crenshaw
Barton (TX)	Burton (IN)	Crowley
Bean	Butterfield	Cubin
Becerra	Buyer	Cuellar
Berkley	Calvert	Culberson
Berman	Camp (MI)	Cummings
Berry	Campbell (CA)	Davis (AL)
Biggert	Cannon	Davis (CA)
Bilbray	Cantor	Davis (IL)
Bilirakis	Capito	Davis (KY)
Bishop (GA)	Capps	Davis, David
Bishop (NY)	Capuano	Davis, Lincoln
Bishop (UT)	Cardoza	Davis, Tom
Blackburn	Carnahan	Deal (GA)
Blumenauer	Carney	DeFazio
Blunt	Carson	DeGette
Boehner	Carter	Delahunt
Bonner	Castle	DeLauro
		Dent
		Diaz-Balart, L.
		Diaz-Balart, M.
		Dicks
		Dingell
		Doggett
		Donnelly
		Doolittle
		Doyle
		Drake
		Dreier
		Duncan
		Edwards
		Ehlers
		Ellison
		Ellsworth
		Emanuel
		Emerson
		Engel
		Fallin
		Farr
		Fattah
		Feeley
		Ferguson
		Filner
		Flake
		Forbes
		Fortenberry
		Fossella
		Foxx
		Frank (MA)
		Franks (AZ)
		Frelinghuysen
		Gallagher
		Garrett (NJ)
		Gerlach
		Giffords
		Gilchrest
		Gillibrand
		Gillmor
		Gingrey
		Gohmert
		Gonzalez
		Goode
		Goodlatte
		Gordon
		Granger
		Graves
		Green, Al
		Green, Gene
		Grijalva
		Gutierrez
		Hall (NY)
		Hall (TX)
		Hare
		Harman
		Hastings (FL)
		Hastings (WA)
		Hayes
		Heller
		Hensarling
		Herger
		Herseth
		Higgins
		Hill
		Hinchey
		Hinojosa
		Hirono
		Hobson
		Hodes
		Hoekstra
		Holden
		Holt
		Honda
		Hooley
		Hoyer
		Hulshof
		Hunter
		Inglis (SC)
		Inslee
		Israel
		Issa
		Jackson (IL)
		Jackson-Lee
		Jones (NC)
		Jones (OH)
		Jordan
		Jindal
		Johnson (GA)
		Johnson, E. B.
		Johnson, Sam
		Kagan
		Kapton
		Klein (FL)
		Kline (MN)
		Knollenberg
		Kucinich
		Kirk
		Kuhl (NY)
		LaHood
		Lamborn
		Lampson
		Langevin
		Lantos
		Larsen (WA)
		Larson (CT)
		Latham
		LaTourette
		Lee
		Levin
		Lewis (CA)
		Lewis (GA)
		Lewis (KY)
		Linder
		Lipinski
		LoBiondo
		Loebsack
		Lofgren, Zoe
		Lowey
		Lucas
		Lungren, Daniel
		E.
		Lynch
		Mack
		Mahoney (FL)
		Maloney (NY)
		Manzullo
		Marchant
		Markey
		Marshall
		Matheson
		Matsui
		McCarthy (CA)
		McCarthy (NY)
		McCaul (TX)
		Saxton
		McCollum (MN)
		Schakowsky
		McCotter
		Schiff
		McCrery
		McDermott
		McGovern
		McHenry
		McHugh
		McIntyre
		McKeon
		McMorris
		Rodgers
		McNerney
		McNulty
		Meehan
		Meek (FL)
		Miller (MI)
		Miller (FL)
		Miller (NC)
		Miller (WA)
		Miller, George
		Miller, Gary
		Miller, John
		Miller, George
		Moore (KS)
		Moore (WI)
		Solis
		Souder
		Space
		Spratt
		Stark
		Stearns
		Stevens
		Shadegg
		Shays
		Shea-Porter
		Sherman
		Shimkus
		Shuster
		Simpson
		Sires
		Skelton
		Slaughter
		Smith (NE)
		Smith (NJ)
		Smith (TX)
		Smith (WA)
		Snyder
		Space
		Stearns
		Tancredo
		Tanner
		Tauscher
		Tiberti
		Tierney
		Towns
		Turner
		Udall (CO)

Udall (NM)	Waters	Wilson (NM)
Upton	Watson	Wilson (OH)
Van Hollen	Watt	Wilson (SC)
Velázquez	Waxman	Wolf
Visclosky	Weiner	Woolsey
Walberg	Welch (VT)	Wu
Walden (OR)	Weldon (FL)	Wynn
Walsh (NY)	Weller	Yarmuth
Walz (MN)	Westmoreland	Young (AK)
Wamp	Wexler	Young (FL)
Wasserman	Whitfield	
Schultz	Wicker	

NOT VOTING—8

Alexander	Hastert	Norwood
Cramer	Jefferson	Rush
Davis, Jo Ann	Johnson (IL)	

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Mrs. BONO and Mr. MOORE of Kansas changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

RECOGNIZING KAREN HAAS FOR HER SERVICE AS CLERK OF THE HOUSE

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

Mr. LAHOOD. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Speaker PELOSI for naming the first African American woman to be Clerk of the House of Representatives. And in doing so, I want to recognize the outstanding service of one Karen Haas.

Mr. Speaker, the reason I want to do this is because earlier on in her career, Karen and I both worked for then-Republican leader Bob Michel, and she was one of three or four people that ran the leader's office and did an extraordinary job. She then came to work for Speaker HASTERT and had the assignment of trying to find people who could keep this House under control. And because of her extraordinary skill and abilities, Speaker HASTERT appointed her Clerk of the House, which is an impossible job because she has to put up with all of us, and she also has to keep the House running.

She is an enormously talented woman and has done a great, great job for those of us who serve in the House. Tomorrow is her last day as Clerk of the House, and I thank all of you for giving her a standing ovation for a job well done.

Mr. HOYER. Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. LAHOOD. Of course I will yield.

Mr. HOYER. I thank the gentleman for rising, and I thank the gentleman for his remarks.

I said similar remarks, as the gentleman may know, last week. But I certainly want Karen to know, I want everybody in this House to know, that the opinions just expressed by Mr. LAHOOD reflect, I think, Karen, the opinions of everybody on this floor. You have done a wonderful job for the House of Representatives as an institu-

tion, a great job for your country, and we know you will be a great success in the future. And all of us stand ready to tell anybody who wants to know what an asset you have been to the House of Representatives.

I thank the gentleman for yielding.

Mr. LAHOOD. I thank the majority leader.

Good luck, Karen. Thank you for doing a great job.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H. CON. RES. 63, IRAQ WAR RESOLUTION

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the de novo vote on ordering the previous question on House Resolution 157.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

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

RECORDED VOTE

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

A recorded vote was ordered.

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

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 227, noes 197, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 96]

AYES—227

Abercrombie	Cleaver	Gonzalez
Ackerman	Clyburn	Gordon
Allen	Cohen	Green, Al
Altmore	Conyers	Green, Gene
Andrews	Cooper	Grijalva
Arcuri	Costa	Gutierrez
Baca	Costello	Hall (NY)
Baird	Courtney	Hare
Baldwin	Crowley	Harman
Barrow	Cuellar	Hastings (FL)
Bean	Cummings	Herseth
Becerra	Davis (AL)	Higgins
Berkley	Davis (CA)	Hill
Berman	Davis (IL)	Hinchey
Berry	Davis, Lincoln	Hinojosa
Bishop (GA)	DeFazio	Hirono
Bishop (NY)	DeGette	Hodes
Blumenauer	Delahunt	Holden
Boren	DeLauro	Holt
Boswell	Dicks	Honda
Boucher	Dingell	Hooley
Boyd (FL)	Doggett	Hoyer
Boysd (KS)	Donnelly	Inslee
Brady (PA)	Doyle	Israel
Braley (IA)	Edwards	Jackson (IL)
Brown, Corrine	Ellison	Johnson (GA)
Butterfield	Ellsworth	Johnson, E. B.
Capps	Emanuel	Jones (NC)
Capuano	Engel	Jones (OH)
Cardoza	Eshoo	Kagen
Carnahan	Etheridge	Kanjorski
Carney	Farr	Kaptur
Carson	Fattah	Kennedy
Castor	Filner	Kildee
Chandler	Frank (MA)	Kilpatrick
Clarke	Giffords	Kind
Clay	Gillibrand	Klein (FL)
Kucinich	Murphy (CT)	Sherman
Lampson	Murphy (NY)	Shuler
Langevin	Murtha	Sires
Lantos	Nadler	Skelton
Larsen (WA)	Napolitano	Slaughter
Larson (CT)	Neal (MA)	Smith (WA)
Lee	Oberstar	Snyder
Levin	Obey	Solis
Lewis (GA)	Olver	Space
Lipinski	Ortiz	Spratt
Loebssack	Pallone	Stark
Lofgren, Zoe	Pascarella	Stupak
Lowey	Pastor	Sutton
Lynch	Payne	Tanner
Mahoney (FL)	Perlmutter	Tauscher
Maloney (NY)	Peterson (MN)	Thompson (CA)
Markey	Pomeroy	Thompson (MS)
Marshall	Price (NC)	Tierney
Matheson	Rahall	Towns
Matsui	Rangel	Udall (CO)
McCarthy (NY)	Reyes	Udall (NM)
McCullom (MN)	Rodriguez	Van Hollen
McDermott	Ross	Velázquez
McGovern	Rothman	Visclosky
McIntyre	Royal-Allard	Wal (MN)
McNerney	Ruppersberger	Wasserman
McNulty	Ryan (OH)	Schultz
Meehan	Salazar	Waters
Meek (FL)	Sánchez, Linda	Watson
Meeks (NY)	T.	Watt
Melancion	Sanchez, Loretta	Waxman
Michaud	Sarbanes	Weiner
Millender-McDonald	Schakowsky	Welch (VT)
Miller (NC)	Schiff	Wexler
Miller, George	Schwartz	Wilson (OH)
Mitchell	Scott (GA)	Woolsey
Mollohan	Scott (VA)	Wu
Moore (KS)	Serrano	Wynn
Moore (WI)	Sestak	Yarmuth
	Shea-Porter	

NOES—197

Aderholt	Fallin	Marchant
Akin	Feeley	McCarthy (CA)
Bachmann	Ferguson	McCaul (TX)
Bachus	Flake	McCotter
Baker	Forbes	McCrary
Barrett (SC)	Fortenberry	McHenry
Bartlett (MD)	Fossella	McHugh
Barton (TX)	Foxx	McKeon
Biggert	Franks (AZ)	McMorris
Bilbray	Frelinghuysen	Rodgers
Bilirakis	Gallegly	Mica
Bishop (UT)	Garrett (NJ)	Miller (FL)
Blackburn	Gerlach	Miller (MI)
Blunt	Gilchrest	Miller, Gary
Boehner	Gillmor	Moran (KS)
Bonner	Gingrey	Murphy, Tim
Bono	Gohmert	Musgrave
Boozman	Goode	Myrick
Boustany	Goodlatte	Neugebauer
Brady (TX)	Granger	Nunes
Brown (SC)	Graves	Paul
Brown-Waite,	Hall (TX)	Pearce
Ginny	Hastings (WA)	Pence
Buchanan	Hayes	Peterson (PA)
Burgess	Heller	Petri
Burton (IN)	Hensarling	Pickering
Buyer	Herger	Pitts
Calvert	Hobson	Platts
Camp (MI)	Hoekstra	Poe
Campbell (CA)	Hulshof	Porter
Cannon	Hunter	Price (GA)
Cantor	Inglis (SC)	Pryce (OH)
Capito	Issa	Putnam
Carter	Jindal	Radanovich
Castle	Johnson, Sam	Ramstad
Chabot	Jordan	Regula
Coble	Keller	Rehberg
Cole (OK)	King (IA)	Reichert
Conaway	King (NY)	Renzi
Crenshaw	Kingston	Reynolds
Cubin	Kirk	Rogers (AL)
Culberson	Kline (MN)	Rogers (KY)
Davis (KY)	Knollenberg	Rogers (MI)
Davis, David	Kuhl (NY)	Rohrabacher
Davis, Tom	LaHood	Ros-Lehtinen
Dent	Lamborn	Roskam
Diaz-Balart, L.	Latham	Royce
Diaz-Balart, M.	LaTourette	Ryan (WI)
Doolittle	Lewis (CA)	Sali
Drake	Lewis (KY)	Saxton
Dreier	Linder	Schmidt
LoBiondo	LoBiondo	Sensenbrenner
Duncan	Lucas	Sessions
Ehlers	Lungren, Daniel	Shadegg
Emerson	E.	Shays
Kilpatrick	Mack	Shimkus
English (PA)	Everett	Shuster
Klein (FL)	Manzullo	