

Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida changed her vote from “nay” to “yea.”

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

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

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

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 224, nays 197, not voting 11, as follows:

[Roll No. 416]

YEAS—224

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

Weiner  
Welch (VT)  
Wexler

Wilson (OH)  
Woolsey  
Wu

Wynn  
Yarmuth

NAYS—197

Aderholt	Gallegly	Nunes
Akin	Garrett (NJ)	Paul
Alexander	Gerlach	Pearce
Bachmann	Gilchrest	Pence
Bachus	Gillmor	Peterson (PA)
Baker	Gingrey	Petri
Barrett (SC)	Gohmert	Pickering
Bartlett (MD)	Goode	Pitts
Barton (TX)	Goodlatte	Platts
Biggert	Granger	Poe
Bilbray	Graves	Porter
Bilirakis	Hall (TX)	Price (GA)
Bishop (UT)	Hastert	Pryce (OH)
Blackburn	Hastings (WA)	Putnam
Blunt	Hayes	Ramstad
Boehner	Heller	Regula
Bonner	Hensarling	Rehberg
Bono	Herger	Reichert
Boozman	Hobson	Renzi
Boustany	Hoekstra	Reynolds
Brady (TX)	Hulshof	Rogers (AL)
Brown (SC)	Inglis (SC)	Rogers (KY)
Brown-Waite,	Issa	Rogers (MI)
Ginny	Jindal	Rohrabacher
Buchanan	Johnson (IL)	Roskam
Burgess	Johnson, Sam	Royce
Burton (IN)	Jones (NC)	Ryan (WI)
Buyer	Jordan	Sali
Calvert	Kaptur	Saxton
Camp (MI)	Keller	Schmidt
Campbell (CA)	King (IA)	Sensenbrenner
Cannon	King (NY)	Sessions
Cantor	Kingston	Shadeeg
Capito	Kirk	Shays
Carter	Kline (MN)	Shimkus
Castle	Knollenberg	Shuster
Chabot	Kuhl (NY)	Simpson
Coble	LaHood	Smith (NE)
Cole (OK)	Lamborn	Smith (NJ)
Conaway	Latham	Smith (TX)
Crenshaw	LaTourette	Souder
Cubin	Lewis (CA)	Stearns
Culberson	Lewis (KY)	Sullivan
Davis (KY)	Linder	Tancred
Davis, David	LoBiondo	Terry
Davis, Tom	Lucas	Thornberry
Deal (GA)	Lungren, Daniel	Tiahrt
Dent	E.	Tiberi
Diaz-Balart, L.	Mack	Turner
Diaz-Balart, M.	Manzullo	Upton
Doolittle	Marchant	Walberg
Drake	McCarthy (CA)	Walden (OR)
Dreier	McCaul (TX)	Walsh (NY)
Duncan	McCotter	Wamp
Ehlers	McCrery	Weldon (FL)
English (PA)	McHenry	Weller
Everett	McHugh	Westmoreland
Fallin	McKeon	Whitfield
Feeney	Mica	Wicker
Ferguson	Miller (FL)	Wilson (NM)
Flake	Miller (MI)	Wilson (SC)
Forbes	Miller, Gary	Wolf
Fortenberry	Moran (KS)	Young (AK)
Fossella	Murphy, Tim	Young (FL)
Fox	Musgrave	
Franks (AZ)	Myrick	
Frelinghuysen	Neugebauer	

NOT VOTING—11

Cardoza  
Davis, Jo Ann  
DeGette  
Emerson

Engel  
Hunter  
Jones (OH)  
Lewis (GA)

McMorris  
Rodgers  
Oberstar  
Radanovich

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised there are less than 2 minutes remaining on the vote.

□ 1308

So the resolution was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

NEW CLERK MAKING IMPRESSIONS

(Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I want to call to the attention of all of the Members that our new Clerk of the House is continuing to make impressions. She is on the cover of Crisis magazine for this month, the official publication of the NAACP. And she is president of the local chapter. I just thought that if you don't have a copy, she is standing right over there.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

There was no objection.

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF SENATE AMENDMENT TO H.R. 2206, U.S. TROOP READINESS, VETERANS' CARE, KATRINA RECOVERY, AND IRAQ ACCOUNTABILITY APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2007

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on ordering the previous question on House Resolution 438, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

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

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 221, nays 199, not voting 12, as follows:

[Roll No. 417]

YEAS—221

Abercrombie	Clyburn	Gordon
Ackerman	Cohen	Green, Al
Allen	Conyers	Green, Gene
Altmire	Cooper	Grijalva
Andrews	Costa	Gutierrez
Arcuri	Costello	Hall (NY)
Baca	Courtney	Hare
Baird	Cramer	Harman
Baldwin	Crowley	Hastings (FL)
Barrow	Cuellar	Herseht Sandlin
Bean	Cummings	Higgins
Becerra	Davis (AL)	Hill
Berkley	Davis (CA)	Hinchee
Berman	Davis (IL)	Hinojosa
Berry	Davis, Lincoln	Hirono
Bishop (GA)	DeFazio	Hodes
Bishop (NY)	Delahunt	Holden
Blumenauer	DeLauro	Holt
Boren	Dicks	Honda
Boswell	Dingell	Hooley
Boucher	Doggett	Hoyer
Boyd (FL)	Donnelly	Inslee
Boyd (KS)	Doyle	Israel
Brady (PA)	Edwards	Jackson (IL)
Braley (IA)	Ellison	Jackson-Lee
Brown, Corrine	Ellsworth	(TX)
Butterfield	Emanuel	Jefferson
Capps	Eshoo	Johnson (GA)
Capuano	Etheridge	Johnson, E. B.
Carnahan	Farr	Kagen
Carney	Fattah	Kanjorski
Carson	Filner	Kaptur
Castor	Frank (MA)	Kennedy
Chandler	Giffords	Kildee
Clarke	Gillibrand	Kilpatrick
Cleaver	Gonzalez	Kind

Klein (FL)  
Lampson  
Langevin  
Lantos  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Lee  
Levin  
Lipinski  
Loeb sack  
Lofgren, Zoe  
Lowey  
Lynch  
Mahoney (FL)  
Maloney (NY)  
Markey  
Marshall  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCollum (MN)  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McIntyre  
McNerney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Melancon  
Michaud  
Miller (NC)  
Miller, George  
Mitchell  
Mollohan  
Moore (KS)  
Moore (WI)  
Murphy (CT)  
Murphy, Patrick

Murtha  
Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Obey  
Oliver  
Ortiz  
Pallone  
Pascrell  
Loeb sack  
Payne  
Perlmutter  
Peterson (MN)  
Pomeroy  
Price (NC)  
Rahall  
Rangel  
Reyes  
Rodriguez  
Ross  
Rothman  
Roybal-Allard  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Salazar  
Sánchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sarbanes  
Schakowsky  
Schiff  
Schwartz  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Serrano  
Sestak  
Shea-Porter  
Sherman

Shuler  
Sires  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Solis  
Space  
Spratt  
Stupak  
Sutton  
Tanner  
Tauscher  
Taylor  
Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)  
Tierney  
Towns  
Udall (CO)  
Udall (NM)  
Van Hollen  
Velázquez  
Visclosky  
Walz (MN)  
Wasserman  
Schultz  
Waters  
Watson  
Watt  
Waxman  
Weiner  
Welch (VT)  
Wexler  
Wilson (OH)  
Woolsey  
Wu  
Wynn  
Yarmuth

## NAYS—199

Aderholt  
Akin  
Alexander  
Bachmann  
Bachus  
Baker  
Barrett (SC)  
Bartlett (MD)  
Barton (TX)  
Biggert  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop (UT)  
Blackburn  
Blunt  
Boehner  
Bonner  
Bono  
Boozman  
Boustany  
Brady (TX)  
Brown (SC)  
Brown-Waite,  
Ginny  
Buchanan  
Burgess  
Burton (IN)  
Buyer  
Calvert  
Camp (MI)  
Campbell (CA)  
Cannon  
Cantor  
Capito  
Carter  
Castle  
Chabot  
Clay  
Coble  
Cole (OK)  
Conaway  
Crenshaw  
Cubin  
Culberson  
Davis (KY)  
Davis, David  
Davis, Tom  
Deal (GA)  
Dent  
Diaz-Balart, L.  
Diaz-Balart, M.  
Doolittle  
Drake  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Ehlers  
English (PA)  
Everett

Fallin  
Feeney  
Ferguson  
Flake  
Forbes  
Fortenberry  
Fossella  
Foss  
Franks (AZ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Gallegly  
Garrett (NJ)  
Gerlach  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller, Gary  
Moran (KS)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy, Tim  
Musgrave  
Myrick  
Neugebauer  
Nunes  
Paul  
Pearce  
Pence  
Peterson (PA)  
Petri  
Pitts  
Platts  
Poe  
Porter  
Price (GA)  
Price (OH)  
Putnam  
Ramstad  
Regula  
Rehberg  
Reichert  
Renzi  
Reynolds  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Rogers (MI)  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Roskam  
Royce  
Ryan (WI)  
Sali  
Saxton  
Schmidt  
Sensenbrenner  
Sessions  
Shadegg  
Shays  
Shimkus  
Shuster  
Simpson  
Smith (NE)

Mack  
Manzullo  
Marchant  
McCarthy (CA)  
McCaul (TX)  
McCotter  
McCrery  
McHenry  
McHugh  
McKeon  
Mica  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller, Gary  
Moran (KS)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy, Tim  
Musgrave  
Myrick  
Neugebauer  
Nunes  
Paul  
Pearce  
Pence  
Peterson (PA)  
Petri  
Pitts  
Platts  
Poe  
Porter  
Price (GA)  
Price (OH)  
Putnam  
Ramstad  
Regula  
Rehberg  
Reichert  
Renzi  
Reynolds  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Rogers (MI)  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Roskam  
Royce  
Ryan (WI)  
Sali  
Saxton  
Schmidt  
Sensenbrenner  
Sessions  
Shadegg  
Shays  
Shimkus  
Shuster  
Simpson  
Smith (NE)

Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Souder  
Stark  
Stearns  
Sullivan  
Tancred  
Terry  
Thornberry

Tiahrt  
Tiberi  
Turner  
Upton  
Walberg  
Walden (OR)  
Walsh (NY)  
Wamp  
Weldon (FL)

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

## NOT VOTING—12

Cardoza  
Davis, Jo Ann  
DeGette  
Emerson  
Engel

Hunter  
Jones (OH)  
Lewis (GA)  
McMorris  
Rodgers

□ 1316

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised 1 minute remains in this vote.

So the previous question was ordered.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

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

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

The yeas and nays were ordered.

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

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 218, nays 201, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 418]

## YEAS—218

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Allen  
Altmire  
Andrews  
Arcuri  
Baca  
Baird  
Baldwin  
Barrow  
Bean  
Becerra  
Berkley  
Berman  
Berry  
Bishop (GA)  
Bishop (NY)  
Blumenauer  
Boren  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Boyd (FL)  
Boyd (KS)  
Brady (PA)  
Braley (IA)  
Brown, Corrine  
Butterfield  
Capps  
Capuano  
Carnahan  
Carney  
Carson  
Castor  
Chandler  
Clarke  
Cleaver  
Clyburn  
Cohen  
Conyers  
Cooper  
Costa  
Costello  
Courtney  
Cramer  
Crowley  
Cuellar  
Cummings  
Davis (AL)  
Davis (CA)  
Davis (IL)  
Davis, Lincoln  
DeFazio

Delahunt  
DeLauro  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Doggett  
Donnelly  
Doyle  
Edwards  
Ellison  
Ellsworth  
Emanuel  
Eshoo  
Etheridge  
Farr  
Fattah  
Filner  
Frank (MA)  
Giffords  
Gilchrist  
Gillibrand  
Gonzalez  
Gordon  
Green, Al  
Green, Gene  
Grijalva  
Hall (NY)  
Hare  
Hastings (FL)  
Herseth Sandlin  
Higgins  
Hill  
Hinchey  
Hinojosa  
Hirono  
Hodes  
Holden  
Holt  
Honda  
Hooley  
Hoyer  
Inslee  
Israel  
Jackson (IL)  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
Jefferson  
Johnson (GA)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Jones (NC)  
Kagen  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur

Kennedy  
Kildee  
Kilpatrick  
Kind  
Klein (FL)  
Lampson  
Langevin  
Lantos  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Lee  
Levin  
Lipinski  
Loeb sack  
Lofgren, Zoe  
Lowey  
Lynch  
Mahoney (FL)  
Maloney (NY)  
Markey  
Marshall  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCollum (MN)  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McIntyre  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Melancon  
Michaud  
Miller (NC)  
Miller, George  
Mitchell  
Mollohan  
Moore (KS)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy (CT)  
Murphy, Patrick  
Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Obey  
Oliver  
Ortiz  
Pallone  
Pascrell  
Pastor

Payne  
Perlmutter  
Peterson (MN)  
Pomeroy  
Price (NC)  
Rahall  
Rangel  
Reyes  
Rodriguez  
Ross  
Rothman  
Roybal-Allard  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Salazar  
Sánchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sarbanes  
Schakowsky  
Schiff

Schwartz  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Serrano  
Sestak  
Sherman  
Shuler  
Sires  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Solis  
Space  
Spratt  
Stupak  
Sutton  
Tanner  
Tauscher  
Taylor  
Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)

## NAYS—201

Aderholt  
Akin  
Alexander  
Bachmann  
Bachus  
Baker  
Barrett (SC)  
Bartlett (MD)  
Barton (TX)  
Biggert  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop (UT)  
Blackburn  
Blunt  
Boehner  
Bonner  
Bono  
Boozman  
Boustany  
Brady (TX)  
Brown (SC)  
Brown-Waite,  
Ginny  
Buchanan  
Burgess  
Burton (IN)  
Buyer  
Calvert  
Camp (MI)  
Campbell (CA)  
Cannon  
Cantor  
Capito  
Carter  
Castle  
Chabot  
Clay  
Coble  
Cole (OK)  
Conaway  
Crenshaw  
Cubin  
Culberson  
Davis (KY)  
Davis, David  
Davis, Tom  
Deal (GA)  
Dent  
Diaz-Balart, L.  
Diaz-Balart, M.  
Doolittle  
Drake  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Ehlers  
English (PA)  
Everett  
Fallin  
Feeney  
Ferguson  
Flake  
Forbes  
Fortenberry  
Fossella  
Franks (AZ)  
Frelinghuysen

Gallegly  
Garrett (NJ)  
Gerlach  
Gillmor  
Gingrey  
Gohmert  
Goode  
Goodlatte  
Granger  
Graves  
Hall (TX)  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Heller  
Hensarling  
Herger  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Hulshof  
Inglis (SC)  
Issa  
Jindal  
Johnson (IL)  
Johnson, Sam  
Jordan  
Keller  
King (IA)  
King (NY)  
Kingston  
Kirk  
Kline (MN)  
Knollenberg  
Kucinich  
Kuhl (NY)  
LaHood  
Lamborn  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Linder  
LoBiondo  
Lucas  
Lungren, Daniel  
E.  
Mack  
Manzullo  
Marchant  
McCarthy (CA)  
McCaul (TX)  
McCotter  
McCrery  
McHenry  
McHugh  
McKeon  
McNerney  
Mica  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller, Gary  
Moore (WI)  
Moran (KS)  
Murphy, Tim  
Musgrave  
Myrick  
Neugebauer

## NOT VOTING—13

Cardoza  
Davis, Jo Ann  
DeGette  
Emerson  
Engel

Gutierrez  
Hunter  
Jones (OH)  
Lewis (GA)

McMorris  
Rodgers  
Oberstar  
Radanovich  
Shea-Porter

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1323

So the resolution was agreed to.

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 HOUSE RESOLUTION 417

Mr. SCHIFF. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that Representative XAVIER BECERRA be removed as a cosponsor of H. Res. 417. Mr. BECERRA was listed as a cosponsor due to a clerical error.

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

There was no objection.

#### ELECTION OF MEMBER TO COMMITTEE ON HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

Mr. EMANUEL. Madam Speaker, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, I offer a privileged resolution (H. Res. 441) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 441

*Resolved*, That the following named Member be and is hereby elected to the following standing committee of the House of Representatives:

(1) COMMITTEE ON HOUSE ADMINISTRATION.—Mr. Brady of Pennsylvania, Chairman.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. CONYERS. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks on H.R. 2317, the Lobbying Transparency Act of 2007.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. TAUSCHER). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Michigan?

There was no objection.

#### LOBBYING TRANSPARENCY ACT OF 2007

Mr. CONYERS. Madam Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 437, I call up the bill (H.R. 2317) to amend the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 to require registered lobbyists to file quarterly reports on contributions bundled for certain recipients, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 2317

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

#### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Lobbying Transparency Act of 2007”.

#### SEC. 2. QUARTERLY REPORTS BY REGISTERED LOBBYISTS ON CONTRIBUTIONS BUNDLED FOR CERTAIN RECIPIENTS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 5 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1604) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

“(d) QUARTERLY REPORTS ON CONTRIBUTIONS BUNDLED FOR CERTAIN RECIPIENTS.—

“(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 45 days after the end of the quarterly period beginning on the first day of January, April, July, and October of each year, each registered lobbyist who bundles 2 or more contributions made to a covered recipient in an aggregate amount exceeding \$5,000 for such covered recipient during such quarterly period shall file a report with the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives containing—

“(A) the name of the registered lobbyist;

“(B) in the case of an employee, his or her employer; and

“(C) the name of the covered recipient to whom the contribution is made, and to the extent known the aggregate amount of such contributions (or a good faith estimate thereof) within the quarter for the covered recipient.

“(2) EXCLUSION OF CERTAIN INFORMATION.—In filing a report under paragraph (1), a registered lobbyist shall exclude from the report any information described in paragraph (1)(C) which is included in any other report filed by the registered lobbyist with the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives under this Act.

“(3) REQUIRING SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION PRIOR TO FILING REPORTS.—Not later than 25 days after the end of a period for which a registered lobbyist is required to file a report under paragraph (1) which includes any information described in such section with respect to a covered recipient, the registered lobbyist shall transmit by certified mail to the covered recipient involved a statement containing—

“(A) the information that will be included in the report with respect to the covered recipient; and

“(B) the source of each contribution included in the aggregate amount referred to in paragraph (1)(C) which the registered lobbyist bundled for the covered recipient during the period covered by the report and the amount of the contribution attributable to each such source.

“(4) DEFINITION OF REGISTERED LOBBYIST.—For purposes of this subsection, the term ‘registered lobbyist’ means a person who is registered or is required to register under paragraph (1) or (2) of section 4(a), or an individual who is required to be listed under section 4(b)(6) or subsection (b).

“(5) DEFINITION OF BUNDLED CONTRIBUTION.—For purposes of this subsection, a registered lobbyist ‘bundles’ a contribution if—

“(A) the contribution is received by a registered lobbyist for, and forwarded by a registered lobbyist to, the covered recipient to whom the contribution is made; or

“(B) the contribution will be or has been credited or attributed to the registered lobbyist through records, designations, recognitions or other means of tracking by the covered recipient to whom the contribution is made.

“(6) OTHER DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection—

“(A) the term ‘contribution’ has the meaning given such term in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.), except that such term does not include a

contribution in an amount which is less than \$200;

“(B) the terms ‘candidate’, ‘political committee’, and ‘political party committee’ have the meaning given such terms in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.);

“(C) the term ‘covered recipient’ means a Federal candidate, an individual holding Federal office, a leadership PAC, or a political party committee; and

“(D) the term ‘leadership PAC’ means, with respect to an individual holding Federal office, an unauthorized political committee which is associated with such individual, except that such term shall not apply in the case of a political committee of a political party.”.

(b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by subsection (a) shall apply with respect to the second quarterly period described in section 5(d)(1) of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 (as added by subsection (a)) which begins after the date of the enactment of this Act and each succeeding quarterly period.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 437, the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the bill, modified by the amendment printed in part A of House Report 110-167, is adopted and the bill, as amended, is considered read.

The text of the bill, as amended, is as follows:

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*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

#### SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the “Lobbying Transparency Act of 2007”.

#### SEC. 2. QUARTERLY REPORTS BY REGISTERED LOBBYISTS ON CONTRIBUTIONS BUNDLED FOR CERTAIN RECIPIENTS.

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