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## YEAS—293

Abercrombie Giffords  
Ackerman Gilchrest  
Allen Gillibrand  
Altmire Gonzalez  
Andrews Gordon  
Arcuri Graves  
Baca Green, Al  
Bachus Green, Gene  
Baird Gutierrez  
Baldwin Hall (NY)  
Barrow Hare  
Bean Harman  
Becerra Hayes  
Berkley Herseth Sandlin  
Berman Higgins  
Berry Hill  
Bilbray Hinchey  
Bilirakis Hinojosa  
Bishop (GA) Hirono  
Bishop (NY) Hobson  
Blumenauer Hodes  
Bono Mack Holden  
Boren Holt  
Boswell Honda  
Boucher Hooley  
Boyd (FL) Hoyer  
Boyda (KS) Inslee  
Brady (PA) Israel  
Braley (IA) Jackson (IL)  
Brown, Corrine Jefferson  
Brown-Waite, Johnson (GA)  
Ginny Johnson (IL)  
Buchanan Johnson, E. B.  
Butterfield Kagen  
Buyer Kanjorski  
Capito Kaptur  
Capps Keller  
Capuano Kennedy  
Cardoza Kildee  
Carnahan Kilpatrick  
Carney Kind  
Carson Kirk  
Castle Klein (FL)  
Castor Knollenberg  
Cazayoux Kucinich  
Chandler Kuhl (NY)  
Childers LaHood  
Clarke Langevin  
Clay Larsen (WA)  
Cleaver Larson (CT)  
Clyburn Latham  
Cohen LaTourette  
Conyers Lee  
Cooper Levin  
Costa Lewis (GA)  
Costello Lipinski  
Courtney LoBiondo  
Crenshaw Loeb sack  
Cuellar Lofgren, Zoe  
Cummings Lowey  
Davis (AL) Lynch  
Davis (CA) Mahoney (FL)  
Davis (IL) Mahoney (NY)  
Davis, Lincoln Markey  
Davis, Tom Marshall  
DeFazio Matheson  
DeGette Matsui  
Delahunt McCarthy (NY)  
DeLauro McCaul (TX)  
Dent McCollum (MN)  
Diaz-Balart, L. McDermott  
Diaz-Balart, M. McGovern  
Dicks McHugh  
Dingell McIntyre  
Doggett McKeon  
Donnelly McNerney  
Doyle McNulty  
Edwards (MD) Meek (FL)  
Edwards (TX) Meeks (NY)  
Ehlers Melancon  
Ellison Michaud  
Emanuel Miller (MI)  
Engel Miller (NC)  
English (PA) Miller, George  
Eshoo Mitchell  
Etheridge Mollohan  
Fattah Moore (KS)  
Ferguson Moore (WI)  
Filner Moran (VA)  
Fortenberry Murphy (CT)  
Fossella Murphy, Patrick  
Foster Murtha  
Frank (MA) Nadler  
Frelinghuysen Napolitano  
Gerlach Neal (MA)  
Oberstar

Obey  
Oliver  
Ortiz  
Pallone  
Pascarell  
Pastor  
Payne  
Pearce  
Perlmutter  
Peterson (MN)  
Petri  
Platts  
Pomeroy  
Porter  
Price (NC)  
Putnam  
Rahall  
Ramstad  
Rangel  
Regula  
Reichert  
Renzi  
Reyes  
Reynolds  
Rodriguez  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Roskam  
Ross  
Rothman  
Roybal-Allard  
Ruppersberger  
Rush  
Ryan (OH)  
Salazar  
Sanchez, Linda  
T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sarbanes  
Schakowsky  
Schiff  
Schmidt  
Schwartz  
Scott (GA)  
Scott (VA)  
Serrano  
Shays  
Shea-Porter  
Sherman  
Shimkus  
Shuler  
Sires  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (WA)  
Snyder  
Solis  
Souder  
Space  
Speier  
Spratt  
Stark  
Stupak  
Sutton  
Tanner  
Tauscher  
Taylor  
Terry  
Thompson (CA)  
Thompson (MS)  
Tiberi  
Tierney  
Townes  
Tsongas  
Turner  
Udall (CO)  
Udall (NM)  
Upton  
Van Hollen  
Velázquez  
Visclosky  
Walsh (NY)  
Walz (MN)  
Wamp  
Wasserman  
Schultz  
Waters  
Watson  
Watt  
Waxman  
Weiner  
Welch (VT)  
Weller  
Wexler

Whitfield (KY)  
Wilson (OH)  
Wittman (VA)

Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wu

Yarmuth  
Young (FL)

## NAYS—109

Aderholt  
Akin  
Alexander  
Bachmann  
Barrett (SC)  
Bartlett (MD)  
Barton (TX)  
Blackburn  
Blunt  
Boehner  
Bonner  
Boozman  
Boustany  
Brown (GA)  
Brown (SC)  
Burton (IN)  
Calvert  
Camp (MI)  
Campbell (CA)  
Cannon  
Cantor  
Carter  
Chabot  
Coble  
Cole (OK)  
Conaway  
Culberson  
Davis (KY)  
Davis, David  
Deal (GA)  
Doolittle  
Drake  
Duncan  
Ellsworth  
Emerson  
Fallin  
Feeney

## NOT VOTING—31

Biggart  
Bishop (UT)  
Brady (TX)  
Burgess  
Cramer  
Crowley  
Cubin  
Dreier  
Everett  
Flake  
Grijalva  
Hastings (FL)  
Hastings (WA)  
Hulshof  
Hunter  
Issa  
Jackson-Lee  
(TX)  
King (NY)  
Kingston  
Lampson  
Marchant

Moran (KS)  
Murphy, Tim  
Musgrave  
Myrick  
Neugebauer  
Paul  
Peterson (PA)  
Pickering  
Price (GA)  
Radanovich  
Rehberg  
Rogers (MI)  
Rohrabacher  
Royce  
Ryan (WI)  
Sali  
Saxton  
Scalise  
Sensenbrenner  
Sessions  
Shadegg  
Shuster  
Simpson  
Smith (NE)  
Smith (TX)  
Stearns  
Sullivan  
Tancredo  
Thornberry  
Tiahrt  
Walberg  
Weldon (FL)  
Westmoreland  
Wilson (NM)  
Wilson (SC)  
Young (AK)

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds being in the affirmative, the ayes have it.

## RECORDED VOTE

Mr. UPTON. 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 371, noes 20, not voting 42, as follows:

[Roll No. 615]

## AYES—371

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Aderholt  
Akin  
Alexander  
Allen  
Altmire  
Andrews  
Arcuri  
Baca  
Bachmann  
Bachus  
Baird  
Baldwin  
Barrow  
Bartlett (MD)  
Barton (TX)  
Bean  
Becerra  
Berkley  
Berman  
Berry  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop (NY)  
Blackburn  
Blumenauer  
Blunt  
Boehner  
Bonner  
Bono Mack  
Boozman  
Boren  
Boswell  
Boucher  
Boustany  
Boyd (FL)  
Boyda (KS)  
Brady (PA)  
Braley (IA)  
Brown (SC)  
Brown, Corrine  
Brown-Waite, Ginny  
Buchanan  
Burton (IN)  
Butterfield  
Buyer  
Calvert  
Camp (MI)  
Cantor  
Capito  
Capps  
Capuano  
Cardoza  
Carnahan  
Carney  
Carson  
Castle  
Castor  
Cazayoux  
Chandler  
Childers  
Clarke  
Clay  
Cleaver  
Clyburn  
Cohen  
Conyers  
Cooper  
Costa  
Costello  
Courtney  
Crenshaw  
Cuellar  
Cummings  
Davis (AL)  
Davis (CA)  
Davis (IL)  
Davis (KY)  
Davis, David  
Davis, Lincoln  
Davis, Tom  
DeFazio  
DeGette  
Delahunt  
DeLauro  
Dent  
Diaz-Balart, L.  
Diaz-Balart, M.  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Doggett  
Donnelly  
Doolittle  
Doyle  
Drake  
Duncan  
Edwards (MD)  
Edwards (TX)  
Ehlers  
Ellison  
Ellsworth  
Emanuel  
Emerson  
Engel  
English (PA)  
Eshoo  
Etheridge  
Fallin  
Farr  
Fattah  
Feeney  
Ferguson  
Filner  
Forbes  
Fortenberry  
Fossella  
Foster  
Frank (MA)  
Frelinghuysen  
Gerlach  
Hoyer  
Inglis (SC)  
Inslee  
Israel  
Jackson (IL)  
Jefferson  
Johnson (GA)  
Johnson (IL)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Jones (NC)  
Jordan  
Kagen  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Keller  
Kennedy  
Kildee  
Kilpatrick  
Kind  
King (IA)  
Kirk  
Klein (FL)  
Kline (MN)  
Knollenberg  
Kucinich  
Kuhl (NY)  
LaHood  
Langevin  
Larsen (WA)  
Larson (CT)  
Latham  
Lee  
Levin  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Linder  
Lipinski  
LoBiondo  
Loeb sack  
Lofgren, Zoe  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Lynch  
Mahoney (FL)  
Mahoney (NY)  
Markey  
Marshall  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Marshall  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (CA)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCaul (TX)  
McCollum (MN)  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McHugh  
McIntyre  
McKeon  
McNulty  
Meek (FL)  
Meeks (NY)  
Melancon  
Michaud  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller (NC)  
Miller, Gary  
Miller, George  
Mitchell  
Mollohan  
Moore (KS)  
Moore (WI)  
Moran (VA)  
Murphy (CT)  
Murphy, Patrick  
Murtha  
Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal (MA)  
Oberstar

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are reminded there are less than 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1725

Mr. BROWN of South Carolina changed his vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read: “A bill to reauthorize and enhance the National Environmental Education Act, and for other purposes.”.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GREAT LAKES LEGACY  
REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2008

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and passing the bill, H.R. 6460, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Texas (Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 6460, as amended.

Moran (KS)	Roskam	Sullivan
Moran (VA)	Ross	Sutton
Murphy (CT)	Rothman	Tanner
Murphy, Patrick	Royce	Tauscher
Murphy, Tim	Ruppersberger	Taylor
Murtha	Rush	Terry
Musgrave	Ryan (OH)	Thompson (CA)
Myrick	Ryan (WI)	Thompson (MS)
Nadler	Salazar	Thornberry
Neal (MA)	Sánchez, Linda	Tiahrt
Oberstar	T.	Tiberi
Obey	Sanchez, Loretta	Tierney
Olver	Sarbanes	Towns
Ortiz	Saxton	Tsongas
Pallone	Scalise	Turner
Pascarell	Schakowsky	Udall (CO)
Pastor	Schiff	Udall (NM)
Payne	Schmidt	Upton
Pearce	Schwartz	Van Hollen
Perlmutter	Scott (GA)	Visclosky
Peterson (NC)	Scott (VA)	Walberg
Peterson (PA)	Sensenbrenner	Walsh (NY)
Petri	Serrano	Walz (MN)
Pickering	Sessions	Wamp
Platts	Shays	Wasserman
Pomeroy	Sherman	Schultz
Porter	Shimkus	Waters
Price (GA)	Shuler	Watson
Price (NC)	Shuster	Watt
Putnam	Simpson	Waxman
Radanovich	Sires	Weiner
Rahall	Skelton	Welch (VT)
Ramstad	Slaughter	Weller
Rangel	Smith (NE)	Wexler
Regula	Smith (NJ)	Whitfield (KY)
Rehberg	Smith (TX)	Wilson (NM)
Reichert	Smith (WA)	Wilson (OH)
Renzi	Snyder	Wilson (SC)
Reyes	Solis	Wittman (VA)
Richardson	Souder	Wolf
Rodriguez	Space	Woolsey
Rogers (AL)	Speier	Wu
Rogers (KY)	Spratt	Yarmuth
Rogers (MI)	Stark	Young (AK)
Rohrabacher	Stearns	Young (FL)
Ros-Lehtinen	Stupak	

## NOES—20

Barrett (SC)	Foxx	Neugebauer
Broun (GA)	Franks (AZ)	Paul
Campbell (CA)	Garrett (NJ)	Sali
Cannon	Johnson, Sam	Tancredo
Carter	Lamborn	Westmoreland
Coble	Lungren, Daniel	
Conaway	E.	
Deal (GA)	Mack	

## NOT VOTING—42

Biggert	Hastings (FL)	Napolitano
Bishop (GA)	Hastings (WA)	Nunes
Bishop (UT)	Hulshof	Pence
Brady (TX)	Hunter	Pitts
Burgess	Issa	Poe
Conyers	Jackson-Lee	Pryce (OH)
Cramer	(TX)	Reynolds
Crowley	King (NY)	Roybal-Allard
Cubin	Kingston	Sestak
Dreier	Lampson	Shadegg
Everett	Marchant	Shea-Porter
Flake	McCrery	Velázquez
Frelinghuysen	McMorris	Walden (OR)
Gingrey	Rodgers	Weldon (FL)
Grijalva	McNerney	

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1733

Mr. SALI changed his vote from "aye" to "no."

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) 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.

Stated for:

Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD. Madam Speaker, I was not present for rollcall vote 615 on Thursday, September 18, 2008. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" to suspend the rules

and pass H.R. 6460, the Great Lakes Legacy Reauthorization Act of 2008.

Mr. REYNOLDS. Madam Speaker, on rollcall No. 615 I was inadvertently absent. As a representative of a Great Lakes State, a co-sponsor of H.R. 6460, and a strong supporter of the Great Lakes Basin, had I been present, I would have voted "aye."

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. NUNES. Madam Speaker, today, September 18, 2008, I was unavoidably detained and was unable to cast a vote on a number of rollcall votes. Had I been present, I would have voted: rollcall 612, "no"; rollcall 613, "no"; rollcall 614, "nay"; rollcall 615, "aye."

## REPORT ON H.R. 6947, DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2009

Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 110-862) on the bill (H.R. 6947) making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes, which was referred to the Union Calendar and ordered to be printed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Ms. BERKLEY). Pursuant to clause 1, rule XXI, all points of order are reserved on the bill.

## LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. BLUNT. I yield to my friend, the majority leader, to give us an update on what we intend to do next week.

Mr. HOYER. I thank the whip for yielding.

On Monday, the House will meet at 10:30 a.m. for morning hour and 12 p.m. for legislative business, with votes postponed until 6:30 p.m.

On Tuesday, the House will meet at 9 a.m. for morning hour and 10 a.m. for legislative business.

On Wednesday and Thursday, Mr. Speaker, the House will meet at 10 a.m. for legislative business.

On Friday, the House will meet at 9 a.m. for legislative business.

We will consider several bills under suspension of the rules. The complete list of suspension bills will be announced by close of business tomorrow. We will also consider H.R. 5244, the Credit Cardholders' Bill of Rights Act of 2008; the fiscal year 2009 Department of Defense Authorization Act; and a continuing resolution for fiscal year 2009.

In addition, we will consider any bills we get back from the Senate, including an energy tax extender bill, the alternative minimum tax bill, and the mental health parity bill.

Mr. BLUNT. I thank the gentleman.

On the Department of Defense Authorization Act, would that be a conference report we'd expect?

Mr. HOYER. We're hopeful. As you know, the Senate has passed it but has not, as I understand it, agreed to go to conference. So we may have to just have an informal conference, as I call them, or others call it ping-ponging. In other words, I think Mr. SKELTON and Mr. LEVIN and the ranking members are working to see whether they can agree on a form of the bill that would then pass from here again to them, and they would then pass it finally. It's effectively a conference, but the Senate has not gone to conference. So we can't very well have a conference report if the Senate doesn't go to conference. But both Mr. SKELTON and Mr. LEVIN and I believe the ranking members as well want to get the reauthorization bill done.

Mr. BLUNT. I thank the gentleman for that. I am tempted to go into the whole topic of the informal conference. It's so frustrating to all of us.

Mr. HOYER. I know you have time constraints that would dictate against that.

Mr. BLUNT. This may very well be the last time, certainly before the election, we have a chance to talk about the work we get done in the next few days, and so I do have some questions, and I won't go there, but I would like to see us get that Defense authorization bill done. I do think it's a shame that we can't do that in an appropriate conference and go through the regular process.

Mr. HOYER. Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. BLUNT. I yield.

Mr. HOYER. I share his angst about not getting this bill done. As you know, I gave Mr. SKELTON on May 18 of this year to do that bill. The committee brought the bill out on May 18. We passed the bill. It's been in the Senate ever since, and I think we both share a concern that that hasn't been done, but of course, as you know, the Senate just passed it a few days ago, yesterday as a matter of fact.

Mr. BLUNT. I thank the gentleman for that.

On your indication the House will and of course has to consider some way to continue funding the government with the fiscal year ending at the end of this month and no appropriation bills passed up until now, we would be considering a continuing resolution next week. Does the gentleman have a sense of whether that would be a continuing resolution with other items on it and what any of those other items might be?

I would yield.

Mr. HOYER. I thank the gentleman for yielding.

I expect it to be a continuing resolution as opposed to an omnibus, an omnibus, of course, being the cumulative bills put into a very large bill. I don't expect that to be the case. I expect it to be a CR, but I do expect to have additional items on that continuing resolution. The extent of that has not yet been determined. There's a lot of discussion, as I'm sure you're well aware