

of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on February 8, 2008, at 2:22 p.m.:

That the Senate agreed to without amendment H. Con. Res. 273.

That the Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 67.

That the Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 68.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

LORRAINE C. MILLER,
Clerk of the House.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 12, 2008.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on February 12, 2008, at 10:30 a.m.:

That the Senate agreed to S. Res. 446.

That the Senate passed S. 2071.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,

LORRAINE C. MILLER,
Clerk of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that, in light of the passing of the gentleman from California (Mr. LANTOS), the whole number of the House is 429.

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 55 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 (Ms. BALDWIN) 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. Res. 954, by the yeas and nays;

H. Res. 909, by the yeas and nays;

H. Con. Res. 281, by the yeas and nays.

The vote on H. Res. 960 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.

HONORING THE LIFE OF SENIOR BORDER PATROL AGENT LUIS A. AGUILAR

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 954, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Mississippi (Mr. THOMPSON) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 954, as amended.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 357, nays 0, not voting 71, as follows:

[Roll No. 43]

YEAS—357

Abercrombie

Aderholt

Akin

Alexander

Allen

Altmire

Andrews

Arcuri

Baca

Bachmann

Bachus

Baird

Baldwin

Barrett (SC)

Barrow

Barton (TX)

Becerra

Berkley

Berman

Berry

Biggert

Bilbray

Bilirakis

Bishop (GA)

Bishop (NY)

Bishop (UT)

Blackburn

Blunt

Boehner

Bonner

Boozman

Boren

Boswell

Boucher

Boustany

Boyd (FL)

Boyd (KS)

Brady (PA)

Brady (TX)

Braley (IA)

Broun (GA)

Brown (SC)

Brown-Waite,

Ginny

Buchanan

Burgess

Butterfield

Calvert

Camp (MI)

Campbell (CA)

Cannon

Capito

Capps

Capuano

Cardoza

Carnahan

Carney

Carter

Castle

Castor

Chabot

Clarke

Cleaver

Clyburn

Coble

Cohen

Cole (OK)

Conaway

Conyers

Cooper

Costello

Courtney

Cramer

Crenshaw

Crowley

Cubin

Culberson

Davis (AL)

Davis (CA)

Davis (IL)

Davis, David

Davis, Lincoln

Deal (GA)

DeFazio

DeGette

Delahunt

DeLauro

Dent

Diaz-Balart, L.

Diaz-Balart, M.

Dicks

Dingell

Doggett

Donnelly

Doolittle

Drake

Dreier

Duncan

Edwards

Ehlers

Ellison

Ellsworth

Emanuel

Emerson

English (PA)

Eshoo

Etheridge

Everett

Fallin

Farr

Fattah

Feeney

Ferguson

Filner

Forbes

Fortenberry

Fossella

Fox

Frank (MA)

Frelinghuysen

Galleghy

Garrett (NJ)

Gerlach

Giffords

Gillibrand

Gingrey

Gohmert

Gonzalez

Goode

Goodlatte

Gordon

Granger

Graves

Green, Al

Grijalva

Hall (NY)

Hall (TX)

Hare

Harman

Hastings (FL)

Hastings (WA)

Heller

Hensarling

Herger

Herseth Sandlin

Higgins

Hill

Hirono

Hobson

Hodes

Hoekstra

Holden

Holt

Hooley

Hoyer

Hunter

Inslee

Israel

Issa

Jackson (IL)

Jones (NC)

Jones (OH)

Jordan

Kanjorski

Kaptur

Keller

Kennedy

Kildee

Kilpatrick

Kind

King (IA)

King (NY)

Kingston

Kirk

Klein (FL)

Kline (MN)

Knollenberg

Kucinich

LaHood

Lamborn

Langevin

Larsen (WA)

Larson (CT)

Latham

LaTourette

Latta

Lee

Levin

Lewis (CA)

Lewis (GA)

LoBiondo

Loeb

Lofgren, Zoe

Lucas

Lungren, Daniel

E.

Lynch

Mahoney (FL)

Maloney (NY)

Manzullo

Markey

Marshall

Matheson

Matsui

McCarthy (CA)

McCarthy (NY)

McCaul (TX)

McCollum (MN)

McCotter

McDermott

McGovern

McHenry

McHugh

McIntyre

McKeon

McMorris

Rodgers

McNerney

McNulty

Meek (FL)

Meeks (NY)

Melancon

Mica

Michaud

Miller (FL)

Miller (MI)

Miller (NC)

Miller, Gary

Miller, George

Mitchell

Mollohan

Moore (KS)

Moore (WI)

Moran (KS)

Moran (VA)

Murphy (CT)

Ackerman

Bartlett (MD)

Bean

Blumenauer

Bono Mack

Brown, Corrine

Burton (IN)

Buyer

Cantor

Chandler

Clay

Costa

Cuellar

Cummings

Davis (KY)

Davis, Tom

Doyle

Engel

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMEMORATING THE COURAGE OF THE HAITIAN SOLDIERS THAT FOUGHT FOR AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE IN THE "SIEGE OF SAVANNAH"

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 909, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from American Samoa (Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 909, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 361, nays 0, not voting 67, as follows:

[Roll No. 44]

YEAS—361

Abercrombie	Carney	Filner
Aderholt	Carter	Forbes
Akin	Castle	Fortenberry
Alexander	Castor	Fossella
Allen	Chabot	Fox
Altmire	Clarke	Frank (MA)
Andrews	Clay	Frelinghuysen
Arcuri	Cleaver	Gallely
Baca	Clyburn	Garrett (NJ)
Bachmann	Coble	Gerlach
Bachus	Cohen	Giffords
Baird	Cole (OK)	Gillibrand
Baldwin	Conaway	Gingrey
Barrett (SC)	Conyers	Gohmert
Barrow	Cooper	Gonzalez
Bartlett (MD)	Costello	Goode
Barton (TX)	Courtney	Goodlatte
Becerra	Cramer	Gordon
Berkley	Crenshaw	Granger
Berman	Crowley	Graves
Berry	Cubin	Green, Al
Biggert	Culberson	Grijalva
Bilbray	Davis (AL)	Hall (NY)
Bilirakis	Davis (CA)	Hall (TX)
Bishop (GA)	Davis (IL)	Hare
Bishop (NY)	Davis, David	Harman
Bishop (UT)	Davis, Lincoln	Hastings (FL)
Blackburn	Deal (GA)	Hastings (WA)
Blunt	DeFazio	Heller
Boehner	DeGette	Hensarling
Bonner	Delahunt	Herger
Boozman	DeLauro	Herseth Sandlin
Boren	Dent	Higgins
Boswell	Diaz-Balart, L.	Hill
Boucher	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hirono
Boustany	Dicks	Hobson
Boyd (FL)	Dingell	Hodes
Boyd (KS)	Doggett	Hoekstra
Brady (PA)	Donnelly	Holden
Brady (TX)	Doolittle	Holt
Braley (IA)	Drake	Hookey
Broun (GA)	Dreier	Hoyer
Brown (SC)	Duncan	Hunter
Brown-Waite,	Edwards	Inslee
Ginny	Ehlers	Israel
Buchanan	Ellison	Issa
Burgess	Ellsworth	Jackson (IL)
Butterfield	Emanuel	Jackson-Lee
Buyer	Emerson	(TX)
Calvert	English (PA)	Johnson (GA)
Camp (MI)	Eshoo	Johnson (IL)
Campbell (CA)	Etheridge	Johnson, E. B.
Cannon	Everett	Johnson, Sam
Capito	Fallin	Jones (NC)
Capps	Farr	Jones (OH)
Capuano	Fattah	Jordan
Cardoza	Feeney	Kanjorski
Carnahan	Ferguson	Kaptur

Keller	Mollohan	Shea-Porter
Kennedy	Moore (KS)	Sherman
Kildee	Moran (KS)	Shimkus
Kilpatrick	Moran (VA)	Shuler
Kind	Murphy (CT)	Shuster
King (IA)	Murphy, Patrick	Simpson
King (NY)	Murphy, Tim	Sires
Kingston	Musgrave	Skelton
Kirk	Myrick	Slaughter
Klein (FL)	Nadler	Smith (NE)
Kline (MN)	Napolitano	Smith (NJ)
Knollenberg	Neal (MA)	Smith (TX)
Kucinich	Neugebauer	Smith (WA)
LaHood	Nunes	Snyder
Lamborn	Oberstar	Solis
Langevin	Obey	Souder
Larsen (WA)	Olver	Spratt
Larson (CT)	Pallone	Stark
Latham	Pascarella	Stearns
LaTourette	Pastor	Stupak
Latta	Payne	Sutton
Lee	Pearce	Tancredo
Levin	Pence	Tanner
Lewis (CA)	Perlmutter	Tauscher
Lewis (GA)	Peterson (MN)	Taylor
LoBiondo	Petri	Thompson (CA)
Loeb	Pitts	Thompson (MS)
Lofgren, Zoe	Poe	Thornberry
Lucas	Pomeroy	Tiahrt
Lungren, Daniel	Porter	Tiberi
E.	Price (NC)	Tierney
Lynch	Putnam	Tsongas
Mahoney (FL)	Rahall	Turner
Maloney (NY)	Ramstad	Udall (NM)
Manzullo	Rangel	Upton
Markey	Rehberg	Van Hollen
Marshall	Reichert	Velázquez
Matheson	Reynolds	Visclosky
Matsui	Richardson	Walberg
McCarthy (CA)	Rogers (AL)	Walden (OR)
McCarthy (NY)	Rogers (MI)	Walsh (NY)
McCaul (TX)	Ros-Lehtinen	Walz (MN)
McCollum (MN)	Ross	Wamp
McCotter	Rothman	Wasserman
McDermott	Roybal-Allard	Schultz
McGovern	Royce	Watson
McHenry	Rush	Watt
McHugh	Salazar	Waxman
McIntyre	Sali	Welch (VT)
McKeon	Sánchez, Linda	Weller
McMorris	T.	Westmoreland
Rodgers	Sanchez, Loretta	Wexler
McNerney	Sarbanes	Whitfield (KY)
McNulty	Saxton	Wilson (NM)
Meek (FL)	Schakowsky	Wilson (SC)
Meeks (NY)	Schiff	Wittman (VA)
Melancon	Schwartz	Wolf
Mica	Scott (GA)	Woolsey
Michaud	Scott (VA)	Wu
Miller (FL)	Sensenbrenner	Yarmuth
Miller (MI)	Serrano	Young (AK)
Miller (NC)	Sessions	Young (FL)
Miller, Gary	Sestak	
Miller, George	Shadegg	
Mitchell	Shays	

NOT VOTING—67

Ackerman	Honda	Radanovich
Bean	Hulshof	Regula
Blumenauer	Inglis (SC)	Renzi
Bono Mack	Jefferson	Reyes
Brown, Corrine	Kagen	Rodriguez
Burton (IN)	Kuhl (NY)	Rogers (KY)
Cantor	Lampson	Rohrabacher
Chandler	Lewis (KY)	Roskam
Costa	Linder	Ruppersberger
Cuellar	Lipinski	Ryan (OH)
Cummings	Lowe	Ryan (WI)
Davis (KY)	Mack	Schmidt
Davis, Tom	Marchant	Space
Doyle	McCrery	Sullivan
Engel	Moore (WI)	Terry
Flake	Murtha	Towns
Franks (AZ)	Ortiz	Udall (CO)
Gilchrest	Paul	Weiner
Green, Gene	Peterson (PA)	Weldon (FL)
Gutierrez	Pickering	Wilson (OH)
Hayes	Platts	Wynn
Hinchey	Price (GA)	
Hinojosa	Pryce (OH)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Members are advised that there is 1 minute remaining in this vote.

□ 1904

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin. Madam Speaker, on rollcall No. 44, had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

ANNOUNCING THE PASSING OF THE HONORABLE TOM LANTOS

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

Mr. STARK. Madam Speaker, as dean of the California delegation, it is my sad responsibility to make the formal announcement to the House of Representatives about yesterday's passing of our good friend and colleague, TOM LANTOS of California.

I ask that we observe a moment of silence to honor TOM's legacy of service to his constituents, the House of Representatives, and the people around the world for whom he sought human rights. He will be sorely missed.

The SPEAKER. Members will please rise and observe a moment of silence in memory of our esteemed colleague, the Honorable TOM LANTOS.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

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

There was no objection.

CELEBRATING THE BIRTH OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN

The SPEAKER. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 281, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Ms. BALDWIN). The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from North Carolina (Mr. BUTTERFIELD) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the concurrent resolution, H. Con. Res. 281.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 357, nays 0, not voting 71, as follows:

[Roll No. 45]

YEAS—357

Abercrombie	Baldwin	Bishop (NY)
Aderholt	Barrett (SC)	Bishop (UT)
Akin	Barrow	Blackburn
Alexander	Bartlett (MD)	Blunt
Allen	Barton (TX)	Boehner
Altmire	Becerra	Bonner
Andrews	Berman	Boozman
Arcuri	Berry	Boren
Baca	Biggert	Boswell
Bachmann	Bilbray	Boucher
Bachus	Bilirakis	Boustany
Baird	Bishop (GA)	Boyd (FL)