

bill would have established a Department of Labor grant program to subsidize employers for salaries paid to newly hired veterans working in the energy sector.

The ranking member of the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity, Mr. BOOZMAN, Dr. BOOZMAN, expressed some reservations, some concerns about the approach, and he offered to work with Mr. TEAGUE to craft a bill that would pay for skilled development, providing on-the-job training for veterans in the energy sector. And to the credit of Mr. TEAGUE, he's worked with our side in a bipartisan manner.

I believe we have a better bill that will promote greater veterans employment results in the long run. I liken it to helping a veteran, in a way, instead of perhaps giving him something for a day, we're also giving him the opportunity to learn so that it will be for a lifetime.

Madam Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. FILNER. Madam Speaker, I have no further speakers and am prepared to close.

Mr. STEARNS. Madam Speaker, once again, I thank Chairwoman HERSETH SANDLIN for her leadership and Ranking Member Dr. BOOZMAN and Mr. TEAGUE for their work to bring us a bipartisan bill. I urge my colleagues to support it, as amended, to provide for the establishment of a pilot program to encourage the employment of veterans in energy-related positions.

I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. FILNER. Madam Speaker, as we conclude this package of six bills that I think do so much for our Nation's veterans, this committee has been proud to work in a bipartisan way to get these bills to the floor.

I would like to remind my colleagues that this committee, in the last 4 years, has, in fact, done a tremendous amount for our Nation's veterans. We have increased the health care budget by more than \$20 billion, 60 percent increase in health care for our Nation's veterans. We've updated the GI bill and have a GI bill for the 21st century that about 200,000 students are taking advantage of in this first year of the bill.

We are helping to improve access for our rural veterans, for our women veterans, and, as we show today, to make sure we bring an end to our homeless veterans. So we are very proud of the work that we are doing for the veterans that we are so proud of.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. FILNER. And as I close, Madam Speaker, I would ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material, both on the previous bill, H.R. 4667, and the current bill, H.R. 4592, as amended.

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

There was no objection.

Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas. Madam Speaker, I rise in strong support of H.R. 4592,

"To provide for the establishment of a pilot program to encourage the employment of veterans in energy-related positions," a bill sponsored by my colleague Congressman TEAGUE from New Mexico.

H.R. 4592 increases job opportunities in energy-related positions, a bill sponsored by my colleague Congressman TEAGUE from New Mexico.

We have an obligation to ensure that our veterans can continue to use their expertise and talents that they have so ably used in serving this great nation. We can do this by showing our appreciation of the service of veterans and actively provide opportunities for them to work. These veterans have given great contributions and made incredible personal sacrifices so that all of us in this country might live in a safe and secure nation and world. It is time that we pay up and stand up for our heroes. For, what is the price of freedom?

As President Kennedy once said, 'The price of freedom is high, but Americans have always paid it.' And no one has paid a higher price than the brave men and women through the years who gave the last full measure of devotion to their country. Whether it is the ultimate sacrifice of life or the loss of limb or the loss of time with family and friends, we owe our veterans an enormous outstanding debt of gratitude.

From Bunker Hill to Yorktown, from Washington, D.C. to the Battle of New Orleans, from Bull Run to Gettysburg and Antietam to Appomattox, brave Americans gave their lives so that the nation might live. And from Alsace Lorain to Verdun, and Normandy to Berlin and Pearl Harbor to Okinawa, from Inchon and Corregidor to Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Kuwait, Afghanistan, and Iraq, Americans have nobly sacrificed their lives so that the world may live in freedom.

The debt of gratitude we owe to the soldiers, sailors, marines, and airmen who answered their nation's call and made supreme sacrifices can never be repaid. But the nation can follow President Lincoln's admonition to 'care for him who has borne the battle, and for his [family].' Indeed, it is the least we can do.

It is out of my profound respect and gratitude for all who wear and have worn the uniform of the United States that I continue to work so hard to pass legislation that will ensure that veterans receive the health care, job opportunities, housing assistance, and educational benefits they deserve. Caring for our veterans also means giving them our support when they need it.

Madam Speaker, I strongly urge my colleagues to support H.R. 4592.

Mr. FILNER. I would urge my colleagues to support this bill. 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 California (Mr. FILNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4592, as amended.

The question was taken.

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

Mr. FILNER. Madam 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 and the Chair's prior announcement, further proceedings on this motion will be postponed.

The point of no quorum is considered withdrawn.

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 3 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess until approximately 6:30 p.m.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. TEAGUE) at 6 o'clock and 33 minutes p.m.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4899, DISASTER RELIEF AND SUMMER JOBS ACT OF 2010

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 111-454) on the resolution (H. Res. 1204) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4899) making emergency supplemental appropriations for disaster relief and summer jobs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4849, SMALL BUSINESS AND INFRASTRUCTURE JOBS TAX ACT OF 2010

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 111-455) on the resolution (H. Res. 1205) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4849) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives for small business job creation, extend the Build America Bonds program, provide other infrastructure job creation tax incentives, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

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. 4810, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 4667, by the yeas and nays.

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

END VETERAN HOMELESSNESS ACT OF 2010

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4810, 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 California (Mr. FILNER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 4810.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 413, nays 0, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 170]

YEAS—413

Ackerman	Cassidy	Fudge	King (IA)	Moore (WI)	Schock
Aderholt	Castle	Galleghy	King (NY)	Moran (KS)	Schrader
Adler (NJ)	Castor (FL)	Garamendi	Kingston	Murphy (CT)	Schwartz
Akin	Chaffetz	Garrett (NJ)	Kirk	Murphy (NY)	Scott (GA)
Alexander	Chandler	Gerlach	Kirkpatrick (AZ)	Murphy, Patrick	Scott (VA)
Altmire	Childers	Giffords	Kissell	Murphy, Tim	Sensenbrenner
Andrews	Chu	Gingrey (GA)	Klein (FL)	Myrick	Serrano
Arcuri	Clarke	Gohmert	Kline (MN)	Nadler (NY)	Sessions
Austria	Clay	Gonzalez	Kosmas	Napolitano	Sestak
Baca	Cleaver	Goodlatte	Kratovil	Neugebauer	Shea-Porter
Bachmann	Clyburn	Gordon (TN)	Kucinich	Nunes	Sherman
Bachus	Coble	Granger	Lamborn	Nye	Shimkus
Baird	Coffman (CO)	Graves	Lance	Oberstar	Shuler
Baldwin	Cohen	Grayson	Langevin	Obey	Shuster
Barrow	Cole	Green, Al	Larsen (WA)	Olson	Simpson
Bartlett	Conaway	Green, Gene	Larson (CT)	Olver	Sires
Barton (TX)	Connolly (VA)	Griffith	Latham	Ortiz	Skelton
Bean	Conyers	Grijalva	LaTourette	Owens	Slaughter
Becerra	Cooper	Guthrie	Latta	Pallone	Smith (NE)
Berkley	Costa	Gutierrez	Lee (CA)	Pascarell	Smith (NJ)
Berman	Costello	Hall (NY)	Lee (NY)	Pastor (AZ)	Smith (TX)
Berry	Crenshaw	Hall (TX)	Levin	Paul	Smith (WA)
Biggert	Crowley	Halvorson	Lewis (CA)	Paulsen	
Bilbray	Cuellar	Hare	Lewis (GA)	Pence	Snyder
Bilirakis	Culberson	Harman	Linder	Perlmutter	Souder
Bishop (GA)	Cummings	Harper	Lipinski	Perriello	Space
Bishop (NY)	Dahlkemper	Hastings (FL)	LoBiondo	Peters	Speier
Bishop (UT)	Davis (CA)	Hastings (WA)	LoBiondo	Peterson	Spratt
Blackburn	Davis (IL)	Heinrich	LoBiondo	Petri	Stark
Blumenauer	Davis (KY)	Heller	LoBiondo	Pingree (ME)	Stearns
Boccheri	DeFazio	Hensarling	LoBiondo	Pitts	Stupak
Boehner	DeGette	Herger	LoBiondo	Platts	Sullivan
Bonner	Delahunt	Hersey	LoBiondo	Poe (TX)	Sutton
Bono Mack	DeLauro	Higgins	LoBiondo	Polis (CO)	Tanner
Boozman	Dent	Hill	LoBiondo	Pomeroy	Taylor
Boren	Diaz-Balart, L.	Himes	LoBiondo	Posey	Teague
Boswell	Diaz-Balart, M.	Hinchee	LoBiondo	Price (GA)	Terry
Boucher	Dingell	Hinojosa	LoBiondo	Price (NC)	Thompson (CA)
Boustany	Doggett	Hirono	LoBiondo	Putnam	Thompson (MS)
Boyd	Donnelly (IN)	Hodes	LoBiondo	Quigley	Thompson (PA)
Brady (PA)	Doyle	Holden	LoBiondo	Radanovich	Thornberry
Brady (TX)	Dreier	Holt	LoBiondo	Rahall	Tiahrt
Braley (IA)	Driehaus	Honda	LoBiondo	Rangel	Tiberi
Bright	Duncan	Hoyer	LoBiondo	Rehberg	Tierney
Broun (GA)	Edwards (MD)	Hunter	LoBiondo	Reichert	Titus
Brown (SC)	Edwards (TX)	Inglis	LoBiondo	Reyes	Tonko
Brown, Corrine	Ehlers	Inslee	LoBiondo	Richardson	Towns
Brown-Waite,	Ellison	Israel	LoBiondo	Rodriguez	Tsongas
Ginny	Ellsworth	Issa	LoBiondo	Roe (TN)	Turner
Buchanan	Emerson	Jackson (IL)	LoBiondo	Rogers (AL)	Upton
Burgess	Engel	Jackson Lee	LoBiondo	Rogers (KY)	Van Hollen
Burton (IN)	Eshoo	(TX)	LoBiondo	Rogers (MI)	Velázquez
Butterfield	Etheridge	Jenkins	LoBiondo	Rohrabacher	Visclosky
Calvert	Fallin	Johnson (GA)	LoBiondo	Rooney	Walden
Camp	Farr	Johnson (IL)	LoBiondo	Ros-Lehtinen	Walz
Campbell	Fattah	Johnson, E. B.	LoBiondo	Roskam	Wasserman
Cantor	Filner	Johnson, Sam	LoBiondo	Ross	Schultz
Cao	Flake	Jones	LoBiondo	Rothman (NJ)	Waters
Capito	Fleming	Jordan (OH)	LoBiondo	Roybal-Allard	Watson
Capps	Forbes	Kagen	LoBiondo	Royce	Watt
Capuano	Fortenberry	Kanjorski	LoBiondo	Ruppersberger	Waxman
Cardoza	Foster	Kaptur	LoBiondo	Rush	Weiner
Carnahan	Fox	Kennedy	LoBiondo	Ryan (OH)	Welch
Carney	Frank (MA)	Kildee	LoBiondo	Ryan (WI)	Westmoreland
Carson (IN)	Franks (AZ)	Kilroy	LoBiondo	Salazar	Whitfield
Carter	Frelinghuysen	Kind	LoBiondo	Sánchez, Linda	Wilson (OH)
			LoBiondo	T.	Wilson (SC)
			LoBiondo	Sanchez, Loretta	Wittman
			LoBiondo	Sarbanes	Wolf
			LoBiondo	Scalise	Woolsey
			LoBiondo	Schakowsky	Wu
			LoBiondo	Schauer	Yarmuth
			LoBiondo	Schiff	Young (AK)
			LoBiondo	Schmidt	Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—16

Barrett (SC)	Dicks	Neal (MA)
Blunt	Hoekstra	Payne
Buyer	Kilpatrick (MI)	Shadegg
Courtney	Lynch	Wamp
Davis (AL)	McCarthy (NY)	
Davis (TN)	Moran (VA)	

□ 1904

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.

MOMENT OF SILENCE IN MEMORY OF THE LATE HONORABLE FRED HEINEMAN, FORMER MEMBER OF CONGRESS

(Mr. PRICE of North Carolina asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. PRICE of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I rise to ask our colleagues to observe a moment of silence in memory of our former colleague, Representative Fred Heineman, who represented North Carolina's Fourth District in the 104th Congress. Fred passed away Saturday, March 20, at the age of 80.

Fred Heineman was first and foremost a man who sought to serve his country. He was a marine, a law enforcement professional, and a Member of Congress.

He started out as a beat cop in Harlem. During his 25-year career with the New York Police Department, he shut down organized crime, he rooted out police corruption, and he tried to keep young people away from drugs and crime by giving them positive alternatives to the streets.

In 1979, he came to Raleigh, North Carolina, to serve as the capital city's chief of police. Fred played a role in making that city what it is today, one of the best places to live and raise a family in our country. I worked with him while he served in that role and admired his commitment to the State that became his home.

In 1995, Fred came to this body, serving in the 104th Congress from 1995 to 1996. In the Halls of Congress, he eschewed the title of Congressman or Representative, preferring instead to be called, simply, "The Chief."

Over the last few days, I have heard his former colleagues on the police force and in this institution recount the ways he affected their lives. Fred's colleagues respected his expertise on issues of public safety and his strength of conviction. The nature of this institution, I firmly believe, is such that those who remain true to their convictions, who fight for what they believe in, leave it with pride in the service they have rendered.

Fred is survived by his wife, Linda, and six children. I wish to offer condolences to her and the rest of the family on behalf of my wife, Lisa, and me, and on behalf of colleagues in this body.

I would now like to yield to my colleague from North Carolina (Mr. COBLE), the dean of our delegation, for his thoughts.

Mr. COBLE. I thank the gentleman for yielding.

When Fred Heineman—and you've pretty well touched on it, David, most of it—when Fred Heineman came to this people's House as a result of the 1994 election, I went to him one day and I said, what are your committees of choice? He said, well, I'm not sure. I said, why don't you select House Judiciary? He said, well, my legal background is not that formidable. I said, your law enforcement background is formidable indeed. He said, well, I'm