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## NOES-150

Diaz-Balart, L. Aderholt Akin Diaz-Balart, M. Alexander Dreier Austria Duncan Bachmann Emerson Bachus Fallin Barrett (SC) Flake Fleming Barton (TX) Bilbray Forbes Bilirakis Fortenberry Bishop (UT) Foxx Franks (AZ) Blackburn Blunt Frelinghuysen Boehner Gallegly Garrett (NJ) Bonner Bono Mack Gingrey (GA) Gohmert Boozman Boustany Goodlatte Brady (TX) Granger Broun (GA) Griffith Brown (SC) Guthrie Hall (TX) Buchanan Harper Burgess Burton (IN) Hastings (WA) Buver Heller Hensarling Calvert Camp Campbell Herger Hoekstra Cantor Hunter Inglis Carter Cassidy Issa Chaffetz Jenkins Coble Johnson, Sam Coffman (CO) Jordan (OH) Cole King (IA) Conaway King (NY) Culberson Kingston

Latham LaTourette Lewis (CA) Linder LoBiondo Lucas Luetkemever Lummis Lungren, Daniel Mack Manzullo Marchant McCarthy (CA) McClintock McCotter McHenry McKeon McMorris Rodgers Mica Miller (FL) Miller (MI) Miller, Gary Moran (KS) Murphy, Tim Myrick Neugebauer Nunes Olson Paul Paulsen Pence Petri

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## NOT VOTING-20

Graves Boren Radanovich Brown-Waite, Hastings (FL) Ryan (WI) Ginny Jones Serrano Davis (AL) Latta Shuler Davis (KY) Smith (TX) McDermott Delahunt McNerney Stupak Diou Melancon Whitfield

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

#### □ 1501

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. McNERNEY. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 332, Final Passage of America Competes Act, had I been present, I would have voted "ave."

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BOREN. Mr. Speaker, I was absent on Friday, May 8, when call votes occurred for H.R. 5116, the America COMPETES Reauthorization Act of 2010. I was not present because I was attending a funeral for a family member.

If I would have been present for the rollcall votes listed below for H.R. 5116, I would have voted in the following manner:

- 1. Roll No. 326, on agreeing to the first portion of the divided question, proposing to strike section 228: I would have voted "nay."
- 2. Roll No. 327, on agreeing to the second portion of the divided question, proposing to strike sections 406(b) and (c): I would have voted "nay."
- 3. Roll No. 328, on agreeing to the sixth portion of the divided question, proposing to amend section 702: I would have voted "nay."
- 4. Roll No. 329, on agreeing to the seventh portion of the divided question, proposing to add a section 704: I would have voted "aye."
- 5. Roll No. 330, on agreeing to the eighth portion of the divided question, proposing to add a section 705: I would have voted "ave."
- 6. Roll No. 331, on agreeing to the ninth portion of the divided question, proposing to add a section 706: I would have voted "nay."
- 7. Roll No. 332, on final passage of H.R. 5116: I would have voted "aye."

## NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZA-TION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 1404 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 5136.

□ 1501

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 5136) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2011 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes, with Mr. SERRANO (Acting Chair) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The Acting CHAIR. When the Committee of the Whole rose on Thursday, May 27, 2010, a request for a recorded vote on amendments en bloc No. 9, printed in House Report 111-498, offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. SKELTON) had been postponed.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Chairman, I ask unanimous consent that the demand for a recorded vote on amendment No. 81 be withdrawn

The Acting CHAIR. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Missouri?

There was no objection.

The Acting CHAIR. The amendment is adopted pursuant to the earlier voice vote.

AMENDMENTS EN BLOC NO. 9 OFFERED BY MR. SKELTON

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendments en bloc, as modified, offered by the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. Skelton) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote

Clerk will redesignate The the amendments en bloc.

The Clerk redesignated the amendments en bloc.

## RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 416, noes 1, not voting 20, as follows:

# [Roll No. 333]

## AYES-416

Bishop (UT) Ackerman Campbell Aderholt Blackburn Adler (NJ) Blumenauer Cao Akin Blunt Alexander Boccieri Altmire Boehner Andrews Bonner Bono Mack Arcuri Austria Boozman Ba.ca. Boswell 1 Bachmann Boucher Bachus Boustany Baird Boyd Brady (PA) Baldwin Brady (TX) Braley (IA) Barrett (SC) Barrow Bartlett Bright Broun (GA) Bean Chu Becerra Brown (SC) Brown, Corrine Berkley Clay Berman Buchanan Berry Burgess Biggert Burton (IN) Bilbray Butterfield Bilirakis Cole Buyer Bishop (GA) Calvert Conaway Connolly (VA) Bishop (NY) Camp

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Conyers	Israel	Murphy, Tim
Cooper	Issa	Nadler (NY)
Costa	Jackson (IL)	Napolitano
Costello	Jackson Lee	Neal (MA)
Courtney Crenshaw	(TX) Jenkins	Neugebauer Norton
Critz	Johnson (GA)	Nunes
Crowley	Johnson (IL)	Nye
Cuellar	Johnson, E. B.	Oberstar
Culberson	Johnson, Sam	Obey
Cummings	Jordan (OH)	Olson
Dahlkemper Davis (CA)	Kagen Kanjorski	Olver Ortiz
Davis (IL)	Kanjorski	Owens
Davis (TN)	Kennedy	Pallone
DeFazio	Kildee	Pascrell
DeGette	Kilpatrick (MI)	Pastor (AZ)
DeLauro Dent	Kilroy Kind	Paulsen
Deutch	King (IA)	Payne Pence
Diaz-Balart, L.	King (NY)	Perlmutter
Diaz-Balart, M.	Kingston	Perriello
Dicks	Kirk	Peters
Dingell	Kirkpatrick (AZ)	Peterson Petri
Djou Doggett	Kissell Klein (FL)	Pierluisi
Donnelly (IN)	Kline (MN)	Pingree (ME)
Doyle	Kosmas	Pitts
Dreier	Kratovil	Platts
Driehaus	Kucinich	Poe (TX)
Duncan Edwards (MD)	Lamborn Lance	Polis (CO) Pomeroy
Edwards (TX)	Langevin	Posey
Ehlers	Larsen (WA)	Price (GA)
Ellison	Larson (CT)	Price (NC)
Ellsworth	Latham	Putnam
Emerson Engel	LaTourette Lee (CA)	Quigley Radanovich
Eshoo	Lee (NY)	Rahall
Etheridge	Levin	Rangel
Fallin	Lewis (CA)	Rehberg
Farr	Lewis (GA)	Reichert
Fattah Filner	Linder Lipinski	Reyes Richardson
Flake	LoBiondo	Rodriguez
Fleming	Loebsack	Roe (TN)
Forbes	Lofgren, Zoe	Rogers (AL)
Fortenberry Foster	Lowey	Rogers (KY)
Foxx	Lucas Luetkemeyer	Rogers (MI) Rohrabacher
Frank (MA)	Luján	Rooney
Franks (AZ)	Lummis	Ros-Lehtinen
Frelinghuysen	Lungren, Daniel	Roskam
Fudge Gallegly	E. Lynch	Ross Rothman (NJ)
Garamendi	Mack	Roybal-Allard
Garrett (NJ)	Maffei	Royce
Gerlach	Maloney	Ruppersberger
Giffords Gingrey (GA)	Manzullo Marchant	Rush Ryan (OH)
Gohmert	Markey (CO)	Salazar
Gonzalez	Markey (MA)	Sánchez, Linda
Goodlatte	Marshall	T.
Gordon (TN)	Matheson	Sanchez, Loret
Granger Grayson	Matsui McCarthy (CA)	Sarbanes Scalise
Green, Al	McCarthy (NY)	Schakowsky
Green, Gene	McCaul	Schauer
Griffith	McClintock	Schiff
Grijalva	McCollum	Schmidt
Guthrie Gutierrez	McCotter McDermott	Schock Schrader
Hall (NY)	McGovern	Schwartz
Hall (TX)	McHenry	Scott (GA)
Halvorson	McIntyre	Scott (VA)
Hare Harman	McKeon McMahon	Sensenbrenner Serrano
Harper	McMorris	Sessions
Hastings (WA)	Rodgers	Sestak
Heinrich	McNerney	Shadegg
Heller	Meek (FL)	Shea-Porter
Hensarling Herger	Meeks (NY) Mica	Sherman Shimkus
Herseth Sandlin	Michaud	Shuster
Higgins	Miller (FL)	Simpson
Hill Himes	Miller (MI)	Sires
Himes Hinchey	Miller (NC) Miller, Gary	Skelton Slaughter
Hinojosa	Miller, George	Smith (NE)
Hirono	Minnick	Smith (NJ)
Hodes	Mitchell	Smith (TX)
Hoekstra Holden	Mollohan Moore (KS)	Smith (WA) Snyder
Holt	Moore (WI)	Space
Honda	Moran (KS)	Speier
Hoyer	Moran (VA)	Spratt
Hunter Inglis	Murphy (CT) Murphy (NY)	Stark Stearns
Inslee	Murphy, Patrick	Sullivan

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Towns	Waxman	

#### NOES-1

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#### NOT VOTING-20

Barton (TX)	Davis (AL)	Latta
Bordallo	Davis (KY)	Melancon
Boren	Delahunt	Myrick
Brown-Waite,	Faleomavaega	Ryan (WI)
Ginny	Graves	Sablan
Christensen	Hastings (FL)	Shuler
Cohen	Jones	Stupak

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR. There is 1 minute remaining in the vote.

#### □ 1519

So the amendments en bloc were agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Ms. BORDALLO. Mr. Chair, I was absent from the Chamber today, Friday, May 28, 2010, due to the travel schedule for my return to my district on account of official business. Had I been present for the one rollcall vote taken today in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union on the amendments that were offered to H.R. 5136—National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011, I would have voted as follows: "aye" on the En Bloc Amendments, as modified, No. 9 offered by Chairman SKELTON of Missouri (rollcall vote 333).

Mr. COHEN. Mr. Chair, I was detained from voting and missed one vote on Friday, May 28, 2010. If present, I would have voted "yea" on the following rollcall vote: Rollcall 333.

The Acting CHAIR. The question is on the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

The amendment was agreed to.

The Acting CHAIR. Under the rule, the Committee rises.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. JACKSON of Illinois) having assumed the chair, Mr. SERRANO, Acting Chair of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 5136) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2011 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 1404, reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the rule, the previous question is ordered.

The question is on the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, as amended.

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the third time.

#### MOTION TO RECOMMIT

Mrs. BACHMANN. Mr. Speaker, I have a motion to recommit at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentlewoman opposed to the bill?

Mrs. BACHMANN. Yes, in its current form.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I reserve a point of order against the motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The point of order is reserved.

The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mrs. Bachmann moves to recommit the bill back to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

At the end of the bill, add the following new title:

#### TITLE —PAY FREEZE

#### SEC. 01. PAY FREEZE.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, for purposes of computing compensation for service performed during fiscal year 2011 and the first quarter of fiscal year 2012, the rate of salary or basic pay for any office or position within the civil service, as defined by section 2101 of title 5, United States Code, shall be deemed to be equal to the rate of salary or basic pay payable for such office or position as of September 30, 2010.

(b) CONGRESSIONAL PAY FREEZE.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no adjustment shall be made under section 601(a) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 31) (related to the Compensation of Members of Congress) during fiscal year 2011 and the first quarter of fiscal year 2012.

(c) RULE FOR NEW POSITIONS.—For purposes of subsection (a), the rate of salary or basic pay payable as of September 30, 2010, for any office or position which was not in existence on such date shall be deemed to be the rate of salary or basic pay payable to individuals in comparable offices or positions on such date.

(d) RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this section shall be considered to apply with respect to any office or position within the uniformed services, as defined by section 2101 of title 5, United States Code.

Mrs. BACHMANN (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to dispense with the reading.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from Minnesota?

Mr. SKELTON. I object.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Objection is heard.

The reading will continue.

The Clerk continued to read.

Mr. SKELTON (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to dispense with the continuing of the reading.

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

There was no objection.

POINT OF ORDER

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I make a point of order against this motion as it is not germane, and I insist on that point of order.

Mrs. BACHMANN. Mr. Speaker, I ask to be heard on the point of order.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman from Minnesota is recognized.

Mrs. BACHMANN. Mr. Speaker, the motion to recommit proposes to add a new amendment to the bill freezing the rate of pay for ourselves, Members of Congress, and for the non-uniformed Federal employees. The amendment relies on the definition of civil service provided in title V of the United States Code which covers positions in the executive, the judicial, and the legislative branches.

The bill before us contains numerous and repeated references to title V of the United States Code, yet the gentleman makes the point of order that this amendment is not germane to the bill.

Mr. Speaker, the bill before us includes provisions, such as the recently adopted Sarbanes amendment, that affect the policies of all executive branch agencies, not just the Department of Defense. And on that basis, I believe that the Chair will find the provisions of the amendment limiting pay for civilian executive branch employees germane. I also believe that the bill is broad enough to cover judicial employees as well.

So, Mr. Speaker, that then leaves the question of ourselves, our pay, and that of non-uniformed Federal employees, legislative branch employees. So, therefore, Mr. Speaker, I believe it would be improper for the Chair to use a point of order for the purpose of protecting the employees of the legislative branch and for the purpose of protecting and shielding us Members of Congress from the pay freeze herein being proposed. And it would otherwise be in order for employees of the executive branch.

And so, Mr. Speaker, I ask the question: Do we really want to go on record saying that the rules of this House should not be used to shield our own Members of Congress' salaries and also those of the legislative salaries of the non-uniformed branch from being fiscally irresponsible?

So, Mr. Speaker, I urge you not to sustain the point of order because when the average wage and benefit package of government workers is double that of private employees, then we should not use—

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I insist on my point of order.

Mrs. BACHMANN. I am speaking on the point of order, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentlewoman is reminded to confine her remarks to the point of order.

Mrs. BACHMANN. Yes, Mr. Speaker. We should not use the arcane rules to somehow exempt ourselves as a Member of Congress from our own pay increases and that of the non-uniformed Federal offices under the responsibility of tightening our belt.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I insist on my point of order. It is not germane.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will rule.

The gentleman from Missouri makes the point of order that the instructions proposed in the motion to recommit offered by the gentlewoman from Minnesota are not germane. The bill broaches a range of subject matters related to both national defense and to general operations of the Federal Government. This range of subject matters implicates the jurisdiction of several committees.

The instructions proposed in the motion to recommit seek to prohibit certain future increases in pay for Members of Congress and employees across the Federal Government. This prohibition, by addressing the legislative branch, involves the jurisdiction of the Committee on House Administration.

One of the fundamental principles of germaneness is that an amendment must confine itself to matters within the jurisdiction of the committees with jurisdiction over the pending text. To the Chair's knowledge, the underlying bill is devoid of subject matter within the jurisdiction of the Committee on House Administration. Thus, the motion offered by the gentlewoman from Minnesota is not germane. The point of order is sustained. The motion is not in order.

Mrs. BACHMANN. Mr. Speaker, I appeal the ruling of the Chair.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is, Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the judgment of the House?

## MOTION TO TABLE

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I move to table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to lay the appeal on the table.

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

# RECORDED VOTE

Mrs. BACHMANN. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 and clause 9 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on tabling the appeal will be followed by 5-minute votes on passage of H.R. 5136 and adoption of H. Res. 407, unless sooner followed by further proceedings in recommittal.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 227, noes 183, not voting 21, as follows:

## [Roll No. 334]

## AYES-227

Ackerman Arcuri Barrow
Adler (NJ) Baca Bean
Altmire Baird Becerra
Andrews Baldwin Berkley

Hinchey Berry Hinojosa Bishop (GA) Hirono Bishop (NY) Holt Blumenauer Honda Boccieri Hover Boswell 8 1 Inslee Boucher Israel Boyd Brady (PA) Braley (IA) (TX) Brown, Corrine Butterfield Capps Kagen Capuano Cardoza Kaptur Carnahan Kennedy Carney Kildee Carson (IN) Castor (FL) Kilroy Chandler Kind Kissell Clarke Clay Cleaver Kratovil Clyburn Kucinich Cohen Connolly (VA) Convers Lee (CA) Cooper Costa Levin Costello Courtney Lipinski Critz Crowley Lowey Cuellar Luián Cummings Lynch Davis (IL) Maffei Davis (TN) Malonev DeLauro Deutch Dicks Dingell Matsui Doggett Donnelly (IN) Driehaus Edwards (MD) Edwards (TX) Ellison Ellsworth Eshoo Etheridge Farr Fattah Filner Frank (MA) Fudge Garamendi Gonzalez Gordon (TN) Grayson Green, Al Green, Gene Grijalva Oberstar Hall (NY) Obey Hare Olver Harman Ortiz Heinrich Owens Herseth Sandlin Pallone Higgins Pascrell Hill Pastor (AZ) Himes Pavne

Perlmutter Perriello Peters Peterson Pingree (ME) Polis (CO) Pomeroy Price (NC) Jackson (IL) Quiglev Jackson Lee Rahall Rangel Johnson (GA) Reyes Johnson, E. B. Richardson Rodriguez Kanjorski Ross Rothman (NJ) Rovbal-Allard Ruppersberger Kilpatrick (MI) Rush Ryan (OH) Salazar Sánchez, Linda Klein (FL) Sanchez, Loretta Sarbanes Langevin Schakowsky Larsen (WA) Schauer Larson (CT) Schiff Schrader Schwartz Lewis (GA) Scott (GA) Scott (VA) Loebsack Serrano Lofgren, Zoe Sestak Shadegg Shea-Porter Sherman Sires Skelton Markey (CO) Slaughter Markey (MA) Smith (WA) Matheson Snyder Space McCarthy (NY) Speier McCollum Spratt McDermott Stark McGovern Sutton McMahon Tanner McNerney Thompson (CA) Meek (FL) Thompson (MS) Meeks (NY) Tierney Michaud Miller (NC) Tonko Towns Miller, George Tsongas Mollohan Van Hollen Moore (KS) Moore (WI Velázquez Visclosky Moran (VA) Walz Murphy (CT) Wasserman Murphy (NY) Schultz Murphy, Patrick Waters Nadler (NY) Napolitano Watson Watt Neal (MA) Waxman Weiner Welch Wilson (OH) Wolf Woolsev Wu Yarmuth

## NOES-183

Aderholt Burgess Burton (IN) Akin Alexander Buyer Austria Calvert Bachmann Camp Bachus Campbell Barrett (SC) Cantor Bartlett Cao Capito Barton (TX) Biggert Carter Bilbray Cassidy Bilirakis Castle Blackburn Chaffetz Blunt Childers Boehner Coble Coffman (CO) Bonner Bono Mack Cole Conaway Boozman Boustany Crenshaw Culberson Brady (TX) Dahlkemper Bright Broun (GA) Dent Diaz-Balart, L. Brown (SC) Buchanan Diaz-Balart, M. Djou Dreier Duncan Ehlers Emerson Fallin Flake Fleming Forbes Fortenberry Foster Foxx Franks (AZ) Frelinghuysen Gallegly Garrett (NJ) Gerlach Giffords Gingrey (GA) Gohmert Goodlatte Granger Griffith

Guthrie

Young (AK)

Hall (TX) Manzullo Rogers (AL) Halvorson Marchant Rogers (KY) Harper Marshall Rohrabacher Hastings (WA) McCarthy (CA) Rooney Heller McCaul Ros-Lehtinen Hensarling McClintock Roskam Herger McCotter Royce Hodes McHenry Scalise Hoekstra McIntvre Schmidt Holden McKeon Schock Hunter McMorris Sensenbrenner Inglis Rodgers Sessions Miller (FL) Issa. Shimkus Jenkins Miller (MI) Shuster Johnson (II.) Miller, Garv Simpson Johnson, Sam Minnick Smith (NE) Jordan (OH) Mitchell Smith (NJ) King (IA) Moran (KS) Smith (TX) King (NY) Murphy, Tim Stearns Kingston Sullivan Kirk Neugebauer Taylor Kirkpatrick (AZ) Nunes Teague Kline (MN) Terry Kosmas Olson Thompson (PA) Lamborn Paul Thornberry Lance Paulsen Tiahrt Latham Pence Tiberi LaTourette Petri Titus Pitts Lee (NY) Turner Lewis (CA) Platts Upton Linder Poe (TX) LoBiondo Posey Price (GA) Walden Wamp Lucas Westmoreland Luetkemeyer Putnam Lummis Radanovich Whitfield Lungren, Daniel Wilson (SC) Rehberg Reichert Wittman Mack Roe (TN) Young (FL)

#### NOT VOTING-21

Bishop (UT) DeGette Melancon Boren Delahunt Mica. Brown-Waite, Rogers (MI) Engel Ryan (WI) Ginny Graves Chu Gutierrez Shuler Davis (AL) Hastings (FL) Stupak Davis (KY) Jones DeFazio Latta

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE
The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain in this

vote.

# □ 1545

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

Messrs. OBERSTAR and DOGGETT changed their vote from "no" to "aye." So the motion to table was agreed to. The result of the vote was announced

as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated Against:

Mr. MICA. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 334, Motion to Table, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

 $$\operatorname{\textsc{Motion}}$  to recommit Mr. FORBES. Mr. Speaker, I have a

motion to recommit at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is the gentleman opposed to the bill?

Mr. FORBES. I am, Mr. Speaker. The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Forbes moves to recommit the bill H.R. 5136 to the Committee on Armed Services with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith, with the following amendment:

Strike section 1032 and insert the following:

SEC. 1032. PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF FUNDS FOR THE TRANSFER OR RELEASE OF INDIVIDUALS DETAINED AT UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION, GUANTA-NAMO BAY, CUBA.

None of the funds authorized to be appropriated by this Act may be used to transfer,

release, or assist in the transfer or release to or within the United States, its territories, or possessions of Khalid Sheikh Mohammed or any other detainee who—

(1) is not a United States citizen or a member of the Armed Forces of the United States; and

(2) is or was held on or after January 20, 2009, at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, by the Department of Defense.

In section 1037(a)(1)(C), strike "within the exclusive investigative jurisdiction of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense" and insert "of the United States".

In section 1037, strike subsection (b). In section 1037(f), strike paragraph (2).

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Virginia is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. FORBES. Mr. Speaker, sometimes things are not as complex as we try to make them here in Washington. In fact, sometimes our best decisions come down to simple truths. One of those truths is that Americans are safer when our government fights to keep terrorists off U.S. soil rather than when it fights to bring them here.

Mr. Speaker, in January 2009, 17 months ago, the worst terrorists who had ever attacked the United States were on the verge of conviction in Guantanamo. The most experienced and best prosecutor the U.S. had against terrorists and a full prosecution team had been prosecuting these terrorists for almost 2 years. They had handled over 56 motions, countless hearings, and, according to them, would have had guilty pleas out of all five of the 9/11 defendants within 6 months; in other words, June a year ago.

But this administration issued an order 17 months ago that destroyed all the work that prosecutor had done, all the work his entire team had done, every motion they had won, done away with every hearing, for nothing, and forced us as a nation to begin this prosecution anew sometime, somewhere.

Today, 17 months later, there is not a single individual in this Chamber that has a clue as to when, where, how, or even if these terrorists will be prosecuted. All we know is that we are now  $3\frac{1}{2}$  more years down the road and the clock is still ticking while the Attorney General continues to debate whether we should prosecute them here or we should prosecute them there.

Now, while the victims of 9/11 have been waiting, the ACLU has not. They have moved forward with the John Adams Project to robustly defend these terrorists who, by the way, have admitted their guilt. And while the victims of 9/11 have been waiting, there are allegations that the identities of key military and intelligence personnel have been passed to the 9/11 defendants more than a year ago, and allegations that such passage could have come from the attorneys involved in the case. There are further allegations that the passage of this information could have been a criminal act and could have jeopardized the safety of some of the individuals involved.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, there have been concerns that the Secretary of Defense and the Attorney General have failed to timely and adequately investigate these matters.

So what is the difference between our motion to recommit and this bill? First, we say, enough is enough; try the terrorists in Guantanamo. And we therefore prohibit the transfer of the detainees to the United States. Simple, straightforward, no more wobbling.

The majority's position in the bill, Mr. Speaker, is that the President can continue to take all the time he wants to determine if, when, where, and how he will prosecute the terrorists and where he will house them until he does, and all he has to do is file a plan when and if he ultimately decides to do so.

Now, my good friend, the chairman of the committee, loves to tell us, just read the bill. Well, if you just read the bill, you will find that the bill prohibits the Department of Defense from spending any money to reinforce security or other facilities, but it does not stop them from coming. It just stops us from preparing for them to come.

Secondly, Mr. Speaker, this motion to recommit says that the inspector general shall investigate as to whether or not there has been a crime from any of these allegations of distributing this information about military personnel and intelligence personnel. The current bill only allows him to investigate matters within the Department of Defense.

This bill makes sure that if any crime has been committed, he can investigate it, but the bill gives two getout-of-jail-free cards. If the Secretary of Defense or the Attorney General decides that this would impair or interfere with an investigation, they can stop it—the same Secretary of Defense who has punted the investigation for a year, the same Attorney General who has not prosecuted these terrorists.

Mr. Speaker, I would just say if the Attorney General won't prosecute the terrorists, he is not going to investigate the attorneys that are representing them.

Mr. Speaker, let me say this in conclusion. The bottom line is, we can't stop every terrorist from coming to the United States, but we can stop the ones that are coming from Guantanamo. This motion to recommit does that. We can't protect all of our military and intelligence personnel from terrorists, but we can help the ones involved in this case. And that is what this motion to recommit does.

With that, Mr. Speaker, I yield back my time.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, I seek time in opposition to the motion to recommit, although I am not opposed to

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the gentleman from Missouri is recognized for 5 minutes.

There was no objection.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, we have dealt with these issues strongly in the

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committee. This adds to those particular issues, and we are in a position to accept this motion. I just wish to point out that there is no difference between the Democrats and Republicans when it comes to fighting terrorism.

I agree with the motion.

I yield back the balance of my time. The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the previous question is ordered on the motion to recommit.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to recommit.

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

## RECORDED VOTE

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

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 and clause 9 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on the motion to recommit will be followed by 5 minute votes on passage of H.R. 5136, if ordered, and suspending the rules and agreeing to House Resolution 407, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 282, noes 131, not voting 18, as follows:

# [Roll No. 335]

# AYES-282

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> third time. The SPEAKER pro tempore. The

question is on the passage of the bill.

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

# RECORDED VOTE

Mr. SKELTON. 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 229, noes 186, not voting 17, as follows:

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

the vote). Two minutes remain in this

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during

PAYNE, GREEN of Messrs. ALPERLMUTTER. Texas. HOLT. GEORGE MILLER of California, MICHAUD, and ROTHMAN of New Jersey changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

So the motion to recommit was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Mr. SKELTON. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the instructions of the House in the motion to recommit, I report the bill, H.R. 5136, back to the House with an amendment.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the amendment.

The Clerk read as follows:

Amendment offered by Mr. Skelton:

Strike section 1032 and insert the following:

SEC. 1032. PROHIBITION ON THE USE OF FUNDS FOR THE TRANSFER OR RELEASE OF INDIVIDUALS DETAINED AT UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION, GUANTA-NAMO BAY, CUBA.

None of the funds authorized to be appropriated by this Act may be used to transfer, release, or assist in the transfer or release to or within the United States, its territories, or possessions of Khalid Sheikh Mohammed or any other detainee who-

(1) is not a United States citizen or a member of the Armed Forces of the United States; and

(2) is or was held on or after January 20, 2009, at United States Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, by the Department of De-

In section 1037(a)(1)(C), strike "within the exclusive investigative jurisdiction of the Inspector General of the Department of Defense" and insert "of the United States".

In section 1037, strike subsection (b). In section 1037(f), strike paragraph (2).

Mr. SKELTON (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the amendment be considered as read and printed in the RECORD.

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

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. question is on the amendment.

The amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. question is on the engrossment and third reading of the bill.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, and was read the

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ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

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So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. LEVIN. Mr. Speaker, earlier today, I was unavoidably absent during rollcall vote 336, passage of H.R. 5136, the National Defense Authorization Act. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

# PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BOREN. Mr. Speaker, I was absent on Thursday, May 27, and Friday, May 28, when call votes occurred for H.R. 5136, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2011. I was not present on these days because I was attending a funeral for a family member

If I would have been present for the rollcall votes listed below for H.R. 5136, I would have voted in the following manner:

1. Roll No. 310, amendment No. 1, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."

2. Roll No. 311, amendment No. 3, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."

- 3. Roll No. 312, amendment No. 13, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "ave.
- 4. Roll No. 313, amendment No. 82, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."
- 5. Roll No. 314, amendment No. 21, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."
- 6. Roll No. 315, amendment No. 42, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "nav."
- 7. Roll No. 316, amendment No. 80, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."
- 8. Roll No. 317, amendment No. 79, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "nay."
- 9. Roll No. 318, amendment No. 47, printed in House Report 111-498: I would have voted "aye."
- 10. Roll No. 333, en bloc amendment No. 9: I would have voted "aye."
- 11. Roll No. 334, on a motion to table the appeal of the ruling of the chair: I would have voted "nay."
- 12. Roll No. 335, on the motion to recommit H.R. 5136: I would have voted "aye."
- 13. Roll No. 336, final passage of H.R. 5136: I would have voted "nay."

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, on Friday, May 28, 2010, I was unable to participate in all of the day's votes due to a family emergency.

Had I been present I would have voted:

On rollcall No. 319—"no"—On Approving the Journal; on rollcall No. 320-"yes"-H. Res. 1391, Congratulating and commending Israel for its accession to membership in the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development; on rollcall No. 321-"no"-Previous Question on H. Res. 1403, Providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 4213) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes; on rollcall 322—"no"—Slaughter of New Amendment to H. Res. 1403; on rollcall No. 323-"no"-H. Res. 1403, Providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 4213) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes; on rollcall No. 324—"no"—H.R. 4213, American Workers, State, and Business Relief Act of 2010-on concurring in Senate amendment with amendment (except portion comprising section 523); on rollcall No. 325-"no"-H.R. 4213, American Workers, State, and Business Relief Act of 2010-on concurring in Senate amendment with portion of amendment comprising section 523; on rollcall No. 326—"yes"—America COMPETES Act-First portion of the Divided Question, Proposing to Strike Section 228; on rollcall No. 327-"yes"-America COMPETES Act—Second portion of the Divided Question, Proposing to Strike Sections 406(b) and (c); on rollcall No. 328-"ves"-America COM-PETES Act-Sixth Portion of the Divided Question, Proposing to Amend Section 702; on rollcall No. 329-"ves"-America COM-PETES Act-Seventh Portion of the Divided Question, Proposing to Add a Section 704; on rollcall No. 330-"yes"-America COMPETES Act-Eighth Portion of the Divided Question,