Kirkpatrick (AZ)

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Kratovil

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Langevin

Lee (CA)

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Larsen (WA)

Larson (CT)

Lewis (GA)

Lofgren, Zoe

Markey (CO)

Markey (MA)

McCarthy (NY)

Marshall

Matheson

McCollum

McGovern

McIntyre

McMahon

McNerney

Meeks (NY)

Melancon

Miller (NC)

Miller, George

Michaud

Minnick

Mollohan

Moore (KS)

Moran (VA)

Murphy (CT)

Murphy (NY)

Nadler (NY)

Napolitano

Neal (MA)

Oberstar

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Olver

Ortiz

Owens

Pallone

Pascrell

Payne

Pastor (AZ)

Perlmutter

Perriello

Peterson

Pomeroy

Pingree (ME)

Peters

Murphy, Patrick

McDermott

Matsui

Klein (FL)

Kind

Price (NC)

Quiglev

Rahall

Rangel

#### NOT VOTING-15

Barrett (SC)	Gordon (TN)	Moore (WI)
Boucher	Himes	Moran (VA)
Brown (SC)	Hoekstra	Richardson
Childers	Inglis	Smith (TX)
Fallin	Meek (FL)	Wamn

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Mr. BAIRD and Mrs. McCARTHY of New York changed their vote from 'ave'' to "no."

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

So the motion to recommit was reiected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Ms. RICHARDSON. Mr. Speaker, earlier today I was unavoidably detained and was unable to return in time for rollcall vote 374.

Had I been present, I would have voted as follows: On rollcall No. 374, I would have voted "no" (Motion to Recommit H.R. 5297, the Small Business Lending Fund Act of 2010).

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. WESTMORELAND. 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 241, noes 182, not voting 9, as follows:

#### [Roll No. 375]

	AYES-241	
Ackerman	Boccieri	Castor (FL)
Adler (NJ)	Boren	Chandler
Altmire	Boswell	Chu
Andrews	Boucher	Clarke
Arcuri	Brady (PA)	Clay
Baca	Braley (IA)	Cleaver
Baird	Brown, Corrine	Clyburn
Baldwin	Butterfield	Cohen
Barrow	Cao	Connolly (VA)
Bean	Capps	Conyers
Becerra	Capuano	Costa
Berkley	Cardoza	Costello
Berman	Carnahan	Courtney
Bishop (GA)	Carney	Critz
Bishop (NY)	Carson (IN)	Crowley
Blumenauer	Castle	Cuellar

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Alexander

Bachmann

Austria

Bachus

Berry Biggert

Bilbray

Blunt

Boehner

Bonner Bono Mack

Boozman

Boustany

Brady (TX)

Broun (GA)

Ginny

Buchanan

Burton (IN)

Burgess

Buver

Camp

Calvert

Brown-Waite,

Boyd

Bright

Bilirakis

Bishop (UT)

Blackburn

Bartlett

Akin

#### NOES-182

Campbell
Cantor
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Carter
Cassidy
Chaffetz
Coble
Coffman (CO)
Cole
Conaway
Cooper
Crenshaw
Culberson
Dahlkemper
Davis (KY)
Dent
Diaz-Balart, L.
Diaz-Balart, M.
Djou
Doggett
Dreier
Duncan
Edwards (TX)
Ehlers
Emerson
Fallin
Flake
Fleming
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxx

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Franks (AZ) Frelinghuvsen Gallegly Garrett (NJ) Gerlach Gingrey (GA) Gohmert Goodlatte Granger Graves (GA) Graves (MO) Griffith Guthrie Hall (TX) Harper Hastings (WA) Heller Hensarling Herger Herseth Sandlin Hunter Issa. Jenkins Johnson (IL) Johnson, Sam Jordan (OH) King (IA) King (NY) Kingston Kirk Kline (MN)

Murphy, Tim Myrick Schock Lamborn Sensenbrenner Lance Latham Neugebauer Sessions LaTourette Nunes Shadegg Latta Olson Shimkus Lee (NY) Paul Shuster Lewis (CA) Paulsen Simpson Linder Pence Smith (NE) Petri Smith (N.I) Pitts Smith (TX) Luetkemeyer Platts Stearns Poe (TX) Sullivan Lungren, Daniel Polis (CO) Taylor Posey Terry Price (GA) Thompson (CA) Putnam Thompson (PA) Radanovich Thornberry McCarthy (CA) Rehberg Tiahrt Reichert Tiberi McClintock Roe (TN) Titus Rogers (AL) Turner Rogers (KY) Upton Rogers (MI) Walden Rohrabacher Westmoreland Rooney Ros-Lehtinen Whitfield Miller (FL) Wilson (SC) Roskam Wittman Miller (MI) Royce Ryan (WI) Miller, Gary Wolf Young (AK) Scalise Moran (KS) Schmidt Young (FL)

#### NOT VOTING-

Barrett (SC) Childers Meek (FL) Barton (TX) Hoekstra Moore (WI) Brown (SC) Inglis Wamp

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remain-

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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.

#### RECOGNIZING 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF KOREAN WAR

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and passing the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 86) recognizing the 60th anniversary of the outbreak of the Korean War and reaffirming the United States-Korea alliance. as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the joint 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 pass the joint resolution, as amended.

The question was taken; and (twothirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the joint resolution, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### THE FIRST AMENDMENT IS FOR ALL AMERICANS

(Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California. Madam Speaker, once again, we have discovered that there appears to be some glitch in the majority's effort to bring the so-called DISCLOSE Act to the floor. It apparently is over how many people get exempted from the disclosure rules that otherwise prevail.

We have had the NRA exemption, which was for organizations which have over 1 million people, which have actually existed more than 10 years, which have people in all 50 States, in D.C. and in Puerto Rico, and which have less than 15 percent of their funds from corporations. Now we understand they have dropped it to 500,000.

Madam Speaker, we did not take the oath to the Constitution to only uphold part of the Constitution. It is time that we stop auctioning off the First Amendment and start understanding that we here are supposed to protect the First Amendment, not parcel it out, not deny it to some and give it to others. The First Amendment is for all Americans, not just for those favored by one party or another.

#### POLITICAL HYSTERIA

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

Mr. POE of Texas. Madam Speaker, the administration's knee-jerk banning of deepwater drilling for 6 months is the second disaster in the gulf.

The government is intentionally putting companies out of business in the gulf with this unscientific moratorium. There are 50,000 workers who are losing their jobs due to government overreaction. The administration is not only purposely putting blue collar workers out of work; the government is sending those jobs to Brazil and to Indonesia.

In 2005, there was a BP refinery explosion in Texas City, Texas. Fifteen people were killed; 180 were injured. The government did not close all of the refineries for 6 months in the United States to investigate the sins of BP then. That would have been foolish nonsense. It would have destroyed jobs, the economy, and it would have caused the loss of U.S. energy.

So investigate the rig explosion and hold BP accountable for their conduct, but don't in a moment of political hysteria stop deepwater drilling. Don't wipe out jobs, American companies, and sabotage the U.S. economy.

And that's just the way it is.

## PROVIDE TAX RELIEF, NOT TAX CREEP

(Mr. GRAVES of Georgia asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. GRAVES of Georgia. Madam Speaker, in Georgia's Ninth Congressional District, there is the small town of Ellijay. It is known not only for Colonel Poole's barbecue and as the apple capital of Georgia but also as the home of the McCutchen-Poole Small Business Coalition. The reason is that community leaders like Colonel Oscar

Poole and Joe McCutchen are committed to creating an environment where small business can thrive. However, taxation and regulation are stifling small business expansion.

Throughout my legislative career, I have focused my efforts on removing these unnecessary barriers in order to unleash America's entrepreneurial spirit. As a small business man, I know that cutting spending here in Washington, eliminating the capital gains tax and reducing the corporate income tax, along with empowering the private sector, is the way to create jobs and to get Americans back to work.

Stimulating the economy must come from expanding the private sector, not by expanding government. We have a 16-month track record of failed economic policies, and they continued once more here today. We should be encouraging small businesses, not penalizing them with higher taxes and more regulation.

So I hope you will join me. Let's empower the taxpayer. Let's provide tax relief, not tax creep.

# COMPENSATION FOR SURVIVAL FOR VICTIMS OF THE GULF COAST DISASTER

(Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas. Madam Speaker, everyone knows that we are in the grips of trying to overcome the devastation of the gulf and to help the people of that region. That is why I want to applaud the serious work that was done at the White House to establish the independent framework that I called for 2 weeks ago, which was to ensure that the impacted communitiesrestaurants, fishermen, shrimpers, oyster persons, and people with small restaurants and large restaurants—in the gulf region, from Florida to Texas. have the ability to secure the kind of compensation needed now to make their bills.

This is not compensation for the injury as much as it is compensation to survive. For anyone to suggest that this was a shakedown is a misinterpretation and a distortion to the American people.

What do they want the government to do? They want the government to be responsive, to make sure that we work on their behalf and to make sure that people whose lights are being turned off can pay their bills.

Good news. We can now get claims and can help the people in the gulf region.

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### SPECIAL ORDERS

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mrs. Dahlkemper). Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 6, 2009, and under a previous order of the House,

the following Members will be recognized for 5 minutes each.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from Kansas (Mr. MORAN) is recognized for 5 minutes.

(Mr. MORAN of Kansas addressed the House. His remarks will appear hereafter in the Extensions of Remarks.)

## RECOGNIZING FLORIDA'S SMALL BUSINESSES

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentlewoman from Florida (Ms. Ros-Lehtinen) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. Madam Speaker, I am proud to rise to recognize the many small businesses throughout the Nation, and especially in my home State of Florida and in my area of south Florida, that I hope will lead us into the great economic recovery.

As we have in the past, we shall recover again. Small business owners are going to be an essential part of that recovery because small business owners are truly the backbone of our Nation's economy, employing tens of millions of workers and creating most of the new private sector jobs that are so important for true economic growth.

I'd like to take this opportunity to especially recognize two small businesses in my district which definitely represent America's tradition of free enterprise and individual initiative.

Tri-City Electric has reached a wellrespected place in both Florida and the electrical contracting industry with well over 300 employees. This family firm has been providing electrical design, installation, and service in south Florida for three generations since 1946. This small business's name also played a role in the fascinating rise of small business after World War II, in that it was selected to represent our area's three major cities at that time: Miami, Coral Gables, and Miami Beach. Like most small businesses, Tri-City Electric is made of folks who didn't start at the top and, in this case, started in the trenches digging to lay pipeline in the hot weather while working whatever hours it takes to get the job done.

Another small business with a long tradition of service in south Florida is Riverside Electric Company. This was established in 1922—I love anything older than I am—which is one of oldest electrical contracting firms in the southeastern United States. Another firm with a proud family tradition, its roots go back to Atlanta, where the company played a key role in converting the city's streetlights from gas to electric. Its founder, Eugene M. Irvin, Sr., later moved his family to Miami and began Riverside Electric Company. His great grandson, James Irvin, is now co-owner of the company, along with Alexander Rodriguez, who started as an apprentice and worked