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This message and accompanying papers referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the Committee on Financial Services, the Committee on House Administration, the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, the Committee on Rules, the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, the Committee on Small Business, the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and the Committee on Ways and Means.

To the Congress of the United States:

Today, I am pleased to submit to the Congress the enclosed legislative proposal, the "American Jobs Act of 2011," together with a section-by-section analysis of the legislation.

The American people understand that the economic crisis and the deep recession were not created overnight and will not be solved overnight. The economic security of the middle class has been under attack for decades. That is why I believe we need to do more than just recover from this economic crisis—we need to rebuild the economy the American way, based on balance, fairness, and the same set of rules for everyone from Wall Street to Main Street. We can work together to create the jobs of the future by helping small business entrepreneurs, by investing in education, and by making things the world buys.

To create jobs, I am submitting the American Jobs Act of 2011—nearly all of which is made up of the kinds of proposals supported by both Republicans and Democrats, and that the Congress should pass right away to get the economy moving now. The purpose of the American Jobs Act of 2011 is simple: put more people back to work and put more money in the pockets of working Americans. And it will do so without adding a dime to the deficit.

First, the American Jobs Act of 2011 provides a tax cut for small businesses, to help them hire and expand now, and an additional tax cut to any business that hires or increases wages. In addition, the American Jobs Act of 2011 puts more money in the pockets of working and middle class Americans by cutting in half the payroll tax that comes out of the paycheck of every worker, saving typical families an average of \$1,500 a year.

Second, the American Jobs Act of 2011 puts more people back to work, including teachers laid off by State budget cuts, first responders and veterans coming back from Iraq and Afghanistan, and construction workers repairing crumbling bridges, roads and more than 35,000 schools, with projects chosen by need and impact, not earmarks

and politics. It will repair and refurbish hundreds of thousands of foreclosed homes and businesses in communities across the country.

Third, the American Jobs Act of 2011 helps out-of-work Americans by extending unemployment benefits to help them support their families while looking for work, and by reforming the system with training programs that build real skills, connect to real jobs, and help the long-term unemployed. It bans employers from discriminating against the unemployed when hiring, and provides a new tax credit to employers hiring workers who have been out of a job for over 6 months. And, it expands job opportunities for hundreds of thousands of low-income youth and adults through a new Pathways Back to Work Fund that supports summer and year round jobs for youth; innovative new job training programs to connect low-income workers to jobs quickly; and successful programs to encourage employers to bring on disadvantaged workers.

Lastly, this legislation is fully paid for. The legislation includes specific offsets to close corporate tax loopholes and asks the wealthiest Americans to pay their fair share that more than cover the cost of the jobs measures. The legislation also increases the deficit reduction target for the Joint Committee by the amount of the cost of the jobs package and specifies that, if the Committee reaches that higher target, then their measures would replace and turn off the specific offsets in this legislation.

I urge the prompt and favorable consideration of this proposal.

BARACK OBAMA.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 12, 2011.

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. 2076, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 2633, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 1059, by the yeas and nays.

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

INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANCE FOR VIOLENT CRIMES ACT OF 2011

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2076) to amend title 28, United States Code, to clarify the statutory authority for the longstanding practice of the Department of Justice of providing investigatory assistance on request of State and local authorities with respect to certain serious violent crimes, and for other purposes, as amended, 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 South Carolina (Mr. GOWDY) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 358, nays 9, not voting 64, as follows:

[Roll No. 699]

YEAS—358

Ackerman	DesJarlais	Johnson, E. B.
Adams	Deutch	Johnson, Sam
Aderholt	Diaz-Balart	Jones
Akin	Dicks	Jordan
Alexander	Dingell	Kaptur
Altmire	Dold	Keating
Andrews	Donnelly (IN)	Kelly
Baca	Doyle	Kildee
Bachus	Dreier	Kind
Baldwin	Duffy	Kingston
Barrow	Duncan (SC)	Kissell
Bartlett	Duncan (TN)	Kline
Barton (TX)	Edwards	Kucinich
Bass (CA)	Ellison	Labrador
Bass (NH)	Ellmers	Lance
Becerra	Emerson	Landry
Berg	Eshoo	Langevin
Berkley	Farenthold	Lankford
Biggart	Farr	Larsen (WA)
Blibray	Fattah	Larson (CT)
Bilirakis	Filner	Latham
Bishop (GA)	Fincher	LaTourette
Bishop (NY)	Fitzpatrick	Latta
Black	Fleischmann	Lee (CA)
Blackburn	Fleming	Levin
Blumenauer	Flores	Lewis (CA)
Bonner	Forbes	LoBiondo
Bono Mack	Fortenberry	Loebsack
Boren	Fox	Lofgren, Zoe
Boswell	Frelinghuysen	Long
Boustany	Fudge	Lowey
Brady (PA)	Garamendi	Lucas
Brady (TX)	Gardner	Luetkemeyer
Braley (IA)	Garrett	Lujan
Brooks	Gerlach	Lummis
Brown (FL)	Gibbs	Lungren, Daniel
Bucshon	Gibson	E.
Buerkle	Gingrey (GA)	Mack
Burgess	Gohmert	Maloney
Burton (IN)	Gonzalez	Manzullo
Butterfield	Goodlatte	Markey
Calvert	Gosar	Matheson
Camp	Gowdy	Matsui
Campbell	Granger	McCarthy (CA)
Canseco	Graves (MO)	McCarthy (NY)
Capito	Green, Gene	McCaul
Capps	Griffin (AR)	McCollum
Carnahan	Griffith (VA)	McCotter
Carney	Grijalva	McDermott
Carson (IN)	Grimm	McGovern
Carter	Guinta	McHenry
Cassidy	Guthrie	McIntyre
Castor (FL)	Hahn	McKeon
Chabot	Hall	McKinley
Cicilline	Hanabusa	McMorris
Clarke (MI)	Hanna	Rodgers
Clarke (NY)	Harper	McNerney
Clay	Harris	Meehan
Cleaver	Hartzler	Mica
Clyburn	Hastings (FL)	Michaud
Coble	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)
Coffman (CO)	Hayworth	Miller (MI)
Cohen	Heck	Miller (NC)
Cole	Hensarling	Moore
Conaway	Herrera Beutler	Mulvaney
Connolly (VA)	Higgins	Murphy (PA)
Conyers	Himes	Myrick
Cooper	Hinojosa	Napolitano
Costa	Hirono	Neal
Courtney	Hochul	Nugent
Cravaack	Holden	Nunes
Crawford	Honda	Nunnelee
Crenshaw	Hoyer	Olson
Critz	Huelskamp	Olver
Crowley	Huizenga (MI)	Owens
Cuellar	Hultgren	Palazzo
Culberson	Hunter	Pallone
Cummings	Hurt	Pascrell
Davis (CA)	Israel	Pearce
Davis (IL)	Issa	Pelosi
DeGette	Jackson (IL)	Pence
DeLauro	Jenkins	Perlmutter
Denham	Johnson (IL)	Peters
Dent	Johnson (OH)	Peterson

Petri
Pingree (ME)
Pitts
Platts
Pompeo
Posey
Price (GA)
Price (NC)
Quayle
Quigley
Rangel
Reed
Rehberg
Reichert
Renacci
Richardson
Richmond
Rigell
Rivera
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rokita
Rooney
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Ross (AR)
Ross (FL)
Rothman (NJ)
Roybal-Allard
Runyan
Ruppersberger
Ryan (OH)
Ryan (WI)

Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Scalise
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schilling
Schmidt
Schock
Schrader
Schwartz
Schweikert
Scott (SC)
Scott (VA)
Scott, Austin
Scott, David
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Sewell
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (NE)
Smith (TX)
Southernland
Speier
Stark
Stearns
Stivers
Stutzman
Sullivan
Sutton
Terry

Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tierney
Tipton
Tonko
Tsongas
Turner
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walberg
Walden
Walsh (IL)
Walz (MN)
Waters
Watt
Webster
Welch
West
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Wilson (FL)
Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Wolf
Womack
Woodall
Adams
Aderholt
Akin
Alexander
Altmire
Amash
Andrews
Austria
Baca
Bachus
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett
Barton (TX)
Bass (CA)
Bass (NH)
Becerra
Benishkek
Berg
Berkley
Berman
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Blumenauer
Bonner
Bono Mack
Boren
Boswell
Boustany
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brooks
Broun (GA)
Brown (FL)
Bucshon
Buerkle
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Canseco
Cantor
Capito
Capps
Carnahan
Carney
Carson (IN)
Carter
Cassidy
Castor (FL)
Chabot
Chandler
Chu
Cicilline
Clarke (MI)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn

NAYS—9

Amash
Benishkek
Broun (GA)

Flake
Graves (GA)
McClintock

Ribble
Rohrabacher
Young (AK)

NOT VOTING—64

Austria
Bachmann
Barletta
Berman
Bishop (UT)
Buchanan
Cantor
Capuano
Cardoza
Chaffetz
Chandler
Chu
Costello
Davis (KY)
DeFazio
Doggett
Engel
Frank (MA)
Franks (AZ)
Gallegly
Giffords
Green, Al

Gutierrez
Heinrich
Herger
Hinchey
Holt
Inslee
Jackson Lee
(TX)
Johnson (GA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kinzinger (IL)
Lamborn
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lynch
Marchant
Marino
Meeks
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Moran

Murphy (CT)
Nadler
Neugebauer
Noem
Pastor (AZ)
Paul
Paulsen
Payne
Poe (TX)
Polis
Rahall
Reyes
Royce
Rush
Sessions
Shuler
Smith (NJ)
Smith (WA)
Towns
Wasserman
Schultz
Waxman

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain in this vote.

□ 1857

Messrs. ROHRABACHER and GRAVES of Georgia changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

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:

Mr. HERGER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. RAHALL. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. MARCHANT. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, my plane flight was delayed. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

APPEAL TIME CLARIFICATION ACT OF 2011

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2633) to amend title 28, United States Code, to clarify the time limits for appeals in civil cases to which United States officers or employees are parties, as amended, 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 North Carolina (Mr. COBLE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 384, nays 0, not voting 47, as follows:

[Roll No. 700]
YEAS—384

Ackerman
Adams
Aderholt
Akin
Alexander
Altmire
Amash
Andrews
Austria
Baca
Bachus
Baldwin
Barrow
Bartlett
Barton (TX)
Bass (CA)
Bass (NH)
Becerra
Benishkek
Berg
Berkley
Berman
Biggert
Bilbray
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Blumenauer
Bonner
Bono Mack
Boren
Boswell
Boustany
Brady (PA)
Brady (TX)
Braley (IA)
Brooks
Broun (GA)
Brown (FL)
Bucshon
Buerkle
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Butterfield
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Canseco
Cantor
Capito
Capps
Carnahan
Carney
Carson (IN)
Carter
Cassidy
Castor (FL)
Chabot
Chandler
Chu
Cicilline
Clarke (MI)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn

Coble
Coffman (CO)
Cohen
Cole
Conaway
Connolly (VA)
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Courtney
Cravaack
Crawford
Crenshaw
Critz
Crowley
Cuellar
Culberson
Cummings
Davis (CA)
Davis (IL)
DeGette
DeLauro
Denham
Dent
DesJarlais
Deutch
Diaz-Balart
Dicks
Dingell
Doggett
Dold
Donnelly (IN)
Doyle
Dreier
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Edwards
Ellison
Ellmers
Emerson
Eshoo
Farenthold
Farr
Fattah
Filner
Fincher
Fitzpatrick
Flake
Fleischmann
Fleming
Flores
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxy
Frelinghuysen
Fudge
Garamendi
Gardner
Garrett
Gerlach
Gibbs
Gibson
Gingrey (GA)
Gohmert
Gonzalez
Goodlatte
Gosar
Gowdy

Granger
Graves (GA)
Graves (MO)
Green, Gene
Griffin (AR)
Griffith (VA)
Grijalva
Grimm
Guinta
Guthrie
Gutierrez
Hahn
Hall
Hanabusa
Hanna
Harper
Harris
Hartzler
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
Hayworth
Heck
Hensarling
Herger
Herrera Beutler
Higgins
Himes
Hinojosa
Hirono
Hochul
Holden
Honda
Hoyer
Huelskamp
Huizenga (MI)
Hultgren
Hunter
Inslee
Israel
Issa
Jackson (IL)
Jenkins
Johnson (GA)
Johnson (IL)
Johnson (OH)
Johnson, E. B.
Johnson, Sam
Jones
Jordan
Kaptur
Keating
Kelly
Kildee
Kind
King (IA)
Kingston
Kissell
Kline
Kucinich
Labrador
Lamborn
Lance
Landry
Langevin
Lankford
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Latham
LaTourette

Latta
Lee (CA)
Levin
Lewis (CA)
LoBiondo
Loeb sack
Lofgren, Zoe
Long
Lowey
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Luján
Lummis
Lungren, Daniel E.
Mack
Maloney
Manzullo
Marchant
Markey
Matheson
Matsui
McCarthy (CA)
McCarthy (NY)
McCaul
McClintock
McCollum
McCotter
McDermott
McGovern
McHenry
McIntyre
McKeon
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
McNerney
Meehan
Meeks
Mica
Michaud
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller (NC)
Moore
Mulvaney
Murphy (PA)
Myrick
Napolitano
Neal
Nugent
Nunes
Nunnelee
Olson
Olver
Owens
Palazzo
Pallone
Pascrell
Pearce

Pelosi
Pence
Perlmutter
Peters
Peterson
Petri
Pingree (ME)
Pitts
Platts
Pompeo
Posey
Price (GA)
Price (NC)
Quayle
Quigley
Rahall
Rangel
Reed
Rehberg
Reichert
Renacci
Ribble
Richardson
Richmond
Rigell
Rivera
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rooney
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Ross (AR)
Ross (FL)
Rothman (NJ)
Roybal-Allard
Royce
Runyan
Ruppersberger
Ryan (OH)
Ryan (WI)
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Scalise
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schilling
Schmidt
Schock
Schrader
Schwartz
Schweikert
Scott (SC)
Scott (VA)

Scott, Austin
Scott, David
Sensenbrenner
Serrano
Serrano
Sewell
Sherman
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Southernland
Speier
Stark
Stearns
Stivers
Stutzman
Sullivan
Sutton
Terry
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tierney
Tipton
Tonko
Tsongas
Turner
Upton
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walberg
Walden
Walsh (IL)
Walz (MN)
Waters
Watt
Webster
Welch
West
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Wilson (FL)
Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Wolf
Womack
Woodall
Yoder
Young (AK)
Young (FL)
Young (IN)

NOT VOTING—47

Bachmann
Barletta
Buchanan
Capuano
Cardoza
Chaffetz
Chandler
Chu
Costello
Davis (KY)
DeFazio
Engel
Frank (MA)
Franks (AZ)
Gallegly
Giffords
Green, Al
Heinrich
Hinchey

Holt
Hurt
Jackson Lee
(TX)
King (NY)
Kinzinger (IL)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lynch
Marino
Miller, Gary
Miller, George
Moran
Murphy (CT)
Nadler
Neugebauer
Noem

Pastor (AZ)
Paul
Paulsen
Payne
Poe (TX)
Polis
Reyes
Rush
Shuler
Smith (WA)
Towns
Wasserman
Schultz
Waxman
Yarmuth

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1904

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.