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NOES-199

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ANSWERED "PRESENT"-1

Sensenbrenner

NOT VOTING-13

Berman Mack Paulsen Burgess McIntyre Slaughter Donnelly (IN) Napolitano Stutzman Filner Noem Heinrich Paul

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

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

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 against:

Mr. FILNER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall 247, I was away from the Capitol due to prior commitments to my constituents. Had I been present. I would have voted "no."

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, May 10, 2012, I was absent during rollcall vote No. 247 in order to attend my grandson's graduation. Had I been present, I would have voted "no" on final passage of H.R. 5652, To provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 201 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2013.

COMMERCE. JUSTICE. SCIENCE. AND RELATED AGENCIES APPRO-PRIATIONS ACT, 2013

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. WEST). Pursuant to clause 1(c) of rule XIX, further consideration of the bill (H.R. 5326) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes, will now resume.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. MOTION TO RECOMMIT

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

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

Mr. NADLER. I am opposed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recom-

The Clerk read as follows:

Mr. Nadler moves to recommit the bill H.R. 5326 to the Committee on Appropriations with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

Page 17, line 6, after the dollar amount, insert "(reduced by \$1,500,000)".

Page 21, line 23, after the dollar amount, insert "(reduced by \$3,000,000)"

Page 37, line 23, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$20,500,000)

Page 38, line 18, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$2,000,000)"

Page 39, line 11, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$10,000,000)"

Page 39, line 17, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$4,500,000)"

Page 39, line 20, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$500,000)"

Page 40, line 5, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$2,500,000)"

Page 40, line 8, after the dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$1,000,000)"

Page 65, line 1, after the dollar amount, insert "(reduced by \$9,000,000)"

Page 70, line 6, after the first dollar amount, insert "(reduced by \$7,000,000)"

Mr. NADLER (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 gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

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

Parliamentary Inquiry

Mr. NADLER, Mr. Speaker, I have a parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman will state his inquiry.

Mr. NADLER. Mr. Speaker, if the final amendment I am offering were to be adopted, is it not the case that the bill will be amended and that the House will then proceed to final passage right away?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. As the Chair stated earlier today, if a motion to recommit with forthwith instructions is adopted, the amendment is reported by the chair of the committee and is immediately before the House.

Mr. NADLER. Thank you, Mr. Speak-

Mr. Speaker, whether it is an attempt to deny women reproductive or other health services, or a refusal to support efforts to achieve equal pay for equal work, many women in America today feel under siege. Indeed, many women across the country feel a war is being waged upon them by policymakers.

Today, with this final amendment to the CJS Appropriations bill, Members of the House will have a chance to say where they stand.

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This is the final amendment to the bill. It will not kill the bill or send it back to committee. If adopted, the bill, as amended, will proceed to final passage.

This amendment would increase, by \$20 million, money spent on grants under the Violence Against Women Act, or VAWA.

Passed in 1994, VAWA is a landmark piece of legislation that has helped an incalculable number of women and families avoid or recover from crimes of violence. Grant programs under VAWA target domestic violence, dating violence, stalking, sexual assault, and rape. These are crimes many women know all too well.

Indeed, violence against women remains a pervasive problem and a national tragedy. In 2008, about 1.8 million women over the age of 12 were subjected to a crime of violence. In that same year, almost 3,000 women were murdered, many by someone close to them. Every year, 1.3 million women over the age of 18 are assaulted by intimate partners. We need to do more to stop this epidemic; we need to do more for America's women.

I want to acknowledge what I expect the opponents of this motion may say—that funding for the VAWA grant programs in the underlying bill is a few million dollars above last year's level and above the President's request. I would point out, as a response, that the money in this bill is hundreds of millions of dollars below the last authorized amount and \$15 million below the appropriation for fiscal year 2010. Additionally, this is not the last stop for this bill. When we conference with the Senate, which has a higher total funding level for CJS, we should have the highest possible funding level for VAWA from which to negotiate.

The amendment offsets the \$20 million increase for VAWA by cuts to administrative accounts. We have heard from our colleagues of the need to cut government spending, to cut administrative expenses, to prevent the types of excesses we have seen recently in the GSA and other agencies with Las Vegas conference extravaganzas. Well, now is our chance to put our money where our mouth is and shift funding from these types of administrative expenses to preventing violence against women.

This is a question of values and priorities. What kind of message do we want to send to women across the country? Do we want GSA-style wild party, extravagant conferences or do we want to safeguard the lives of women? Do we value women's safety? Are we willing to make sure that we have the resources needed?

I ask all Members today: Stand up for your mothers; stand up for your wives; stand up for your daughters and for women everywhere. Stop the violence. Pass this motion to recommit.

I now yield to the sponsor of a truly meaningful bill to reauthorize VAWA based on bipartisan legislation which has already passed the Senate and a former victim of domestic violence herself, the gentlelady from Wisconsin (Ms. MOORE).

Ms. MOORE. Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to please see this request through the eyes of a child who was assaulted by a family member and comes forward at school to confide in a beloved teacher; the woman in an isolated rural area, where local law enforcement is under-resourced and transportation or legal services may be lacking or nonexistent; the women on college campuses, where rates of intimate partner violence are among the highest. Please, Mr. Speaker, see this through the eves of victims with disabilities who are at high risk of abuse and are often dependent on their abusers for care.

In short, this VAWA funding means that a woman—and even men—who have been victimized can step out of the shadows away from their abusers and get access to counseling, legal services, or other services. And, Mr. Speaker, every single day, for three women, this VAWA funding is a difference between life and death.

It is so true that the CJS legislation before us has provided the requested level of support for victims and their families; but it's been chronically underfunded since the day they opened their doors, and there are thousands of men, women, and children who are not being served.

Please, this is an opportunity to provide a small increase to fill the gap between available resources and the desperate need to serve folks. We must commit adequate resources toward these effective, lifesaving programs. And, Mr. Speaker, we must do it now. I ask my colleagues to vote for this

I ask my colleagues to vote for this motion to recommit.

Mr. NADLER. Mr. Speaker, to sum-

marize, we can devote \$20 million to Las Vegas-style conferences and administrative expenses or to services to prevent violence against women. That's the choice. Vote "yes" on the motion to recommit.

I yield back the balance of my time. Mr. WOLF. Mr. Speaker, I rise in opposition to the motion to recommit.

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

Mr. WOLF. You know, Mr. NADLER, you could have offered an amendment last night. We had a whole total open process. And Mr. RUNYAN—where is Mr. RUNYAN?—Mr. RUNYAN added money to this project, to Violence Against Women.

Secondly, this is a bipartisan bill. There's been no political shenanigans at all. And let me tell you something—I wasn't going to mention it; we didn't make it a big deal—this bill has \$420 million. We're \$7.5 million above the current fiscal year for this issue. Also, we're \$7.5 million above President Obama's request for Violence Against Women. We're above it. And then with Mr. RUNYAN, we are even higher above it.

Also, this administration has not been good on sexual trafficking. We have language in this bill to direct the Attorney General to have a task force at every U.S. attorney's office for sexual trafficking. We are above the administration on sexual trafficking. So, I mean, it is kind of political. We are above the administration, and we have a task force on this issue. And so I could go on and on and on.

But last night, we had a whole, totally open, and we accepted a number of amendments. You could have come down here up to midnight last night.

There is no disagreement about the importance of these programs and need to stop it. It is very important. This is a good bill, a solid bill, bipartisan support. Members on both sides of the aisle had ample opportunity to have their amendments considered. In fact, on floor consideration, 63 amendments were offered and 36 were adopted.

We were above the President's request on Violence Against Women. We were above the President's request on the issue of sexual trafficking. Also, and I know some of you were concerned about it, the NICS background check, we were above the administration on that, and also have language directing the Attorney General to deal with that NICS issue. The Brady Commission, the Brady people support it, and the NRA supports it. So on all of those issues, we were above the administration.

I yield to the gentlewoman from Florida.

Mrs. ADAMS. I thank you, and I would again ask my colleagues on the other side of the aisle to quit making politics with an issue so near and dear to all of us.

We are above what the President put in. Just like the chairman said, we have constantly been above what the President has asked for. And you, as well as I, know that this has become a political issue when it should never have been a political issue. We can no longer allow politics to take control over good policy. We can no longer allow misrepresentation about amounts and this and that over good policy.

We have a bill coming to the floor. We know that we need to address this issue, and it has been addressed even more than the administration has asked for. So with that, I would ask that you do not—do not—approve this motion to recommit.

Mr. WOLF. Mr. Speaker, I think we have actually said enough. I think it is a good bill. I want to thank again Mr. FATTAH and all the Members on both sides of the aisle. It was a good, bipartisan bill. I urge rejection of the amendment, and 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 noes appeared to have it.

Jordan

Kelly

Davis (KY)

Denham

Dent

Reichert

Renacci

Ribble

Mr. NADLER. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were 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 the bill, and approval of the Journal, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—veas 181, navs 233, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 248]

YEAS-181

Pallone

Pascrell

Pelosi

Peters

Polis

Quigley

Rahall

Rangel

Reyes

Rush

T.

Schiff

Sarbanes

Schakowsky

Peterson

Price (NC)

Richardson

Richmond

Ross (AR)

Rothman (NJ)

Roybal-Allard

Ruppersberger

Sánchez, Linda

Sanchez, Loretta

Ryan (OH)

Pastor (AZ)

Perlmutter

Pingree (ME)

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Eshoo

Fattah

Fudge

Frank (MA)

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Schrader Schwartz Scott (VA) Scott, David Serrano Sewell Sherman Shuler Sires Smith (WA) Speier Stark Sutton Thompson (CA) Thompson (MS) Tierney Tonko Towns Tsongas Van Hollen Velázquez Visclosky Walz (MN) Wasserman Schultz Waters Watt Murphy (CT) Waxman Welch Wilson (FL) Woolsey Yarmuth

NAYS-233

Moran

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NOT VOTING-17

NOT VOTING—II		
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Berman	Mack	Paulsen
Burgess	Markey	Royce
Cardoza	McIntyre	Slaughter
Donnelly (IN)	Napolitano	Stutzman
Filner	Noem	

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Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ changed her vote from "nav" to "vea." So the motion to recommit was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. FILNER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall 248, I was away from the Capitol due to prior commitments to my constituents. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea."

Mr. LUJAN. Mr. Speaker, during rollcall vote No. 248 on H.R. 5326, I mistakenly recorded my vote as "nay" when I should have voted "yea."

Mr. MARKEY. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 248, I was unavoidably detained, but had I voted I would have voted "yea."

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, May 10th, 2012, I was absent during rollvote No. 248 in order to attend my

grandson's graduation. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on the Motion to Recommit with Instructions H.R. 5326, Making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. question is on the passage of the bill.

Under clause 10 of rule XX, the yeas and nays are ordered.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 247, nays 163, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 249]

McMorris

Meehan

Rodgers

Mica Miller (FL)

YEAS-247

Ackerman Frelinghuysen Adams Gardner Aderholt Garrett Akin Alexander Gerlach Gibbs Amodei Gibson Austria Bachmann Gingrey (GA) Gohmert Bachus Goodlatte Barletta Gosar Barrow Gowdy Bartlett Granger Bass (NH) Graves (GA) Benishek Graves (MO) Berg Griffin (AR) Berkley Griffith (VA) Biggert Grimm Bilbray Guinta Bilirakis Guthrie Bishop (GA) Hall Bishop (NY) Hanna Bishop (UT) Harper Black Harris Blackburn Hartzler Bonner Hastings (WA) Bono Mack Hayworth Boren Heck Boswell 8 | Hensarling Boustany Herger Brady (TX) Herrera Beutler Brooks Higgins Brown (FL) Hochul Buchanan Huelskamp Bucshon Huizenga (MI) Buerkle Hultgren Calvert Hunter Camp Hurt. Canseco Issa Cantor Jenkins Capito Johnson (IL) Carney Johnson (OH) Carter Johnson, Sam Cassidy Jones Chabot Jordan Chaffetz Kelly Coble King (IA) Coffman (CO) King (NY) Cole Kingston Conaway Kinzinger (IL) Costa Kissell Cravaack Kline Crawford Labrador Crenshaw Lamborn Cuellar Lance Culberson Landry Davis (KY) Denham Lankford Dent Latham LaTourette Des Jarlais Latta Diaz-Balart Lewis (CA) Dicks Lipinski Dold LoBiondo Dreier Duffy Long Duncan (SC) Lucas Luetkemeyer Ellmers Emerson Lungren, Daniel Farenthold E. Manzullo Fattah Fincher Marchant Fitzpatrick Marino Fleischmann McCarthy (CA) Fleming McCaul McCotter Flores McHenry Forbes

Fortenberry

Foxx

McKeon

McKinley

Miller (MI) Miller, Gary Mulvaney Murphy (PA) Myrick Neugebauer Nugent Nunes Nunnelee Olson Owens Palazzo Pearce Pence Perlmutter Peterson Petri Pitts Platts Poe (TX) Pompeo Posey Price (GA) Quayle Reed Rehberg Reichert Renacci Ribble Rigell Rivera. Roby Roe (TN) Rogers (AL) Rogers (KY) Rogers (MI) Rohrabacher Rokita Rooney Ros-Lehtinen Roskam Ross (FL) Rovce Runyan Ruppersberger Ryan (WI) Scalise Schilling Schmidt Schock Schweikert Scott (SC) Scott, Austin Sensenbrenner Sessions Shimkus Shuler Shuster Simpson Smith (NE) Smith (NJ) Smith (TX) Southerland Stearns Stivers Sullivan Terry Thompson (PA) Thornberry Tiberi Tipton Turner (NY)

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West Westmoreland Whitfield Wilson (SC) Wittman Wolf Womack

Woodall Yoder Young (AK) Young (FL) Young (IN)

Pascrell

Pelosi

Peters

Polis

Pastor (AZ)

Pingree (ME)

Price (NC)

Quigley

Rahall

Rangel

NAYS-163

Altmire Amash Andrews Baldwin Bass (CA) Becerra Blumenauer Bonamici Brady (PA) Bralev (IA) Broun (GA) Butterfield Campbell Capps Capuano Carnahan Castor (FL) Chandler Chu Cicilline Clarke (MI) Kildee Clarke (NY) Kind Clay Cleaver Clyburn Cohen Connolly (VA) Convers Levin Courtney Critz Crowley Cummings Lowey Davis (CA) Luián Davis (IL) DeFazio Lynch DeGette DeLauro Deutch Dingell Matsui Doggett Doyle Duncan (TN) McCollum McDermott Edwards Ellison McGovern Engel McNerney Eshoo Meeks Farr Michaud Flake Miller (NC) Frank (MA) Miller, George Franks (AZ) Moore Fudge Moran Garamendi Murphy (CT) Gonzalez Nadler

Gutierrez Hahn Hanabusa Hastings (FL) Himes Hinchey Hinoiosa Hirono Holden Holt Honda Hoyer Israel Jackson (IL) Jackson Lee (TX) Johnson (GA) Johnson, E. B. Kaptur

Reves Richardson Richmond Ross (AR) Rothman (N.I) Roybal-Allard Rush Ryan (OH) Sánchez, Linda Keating T. Sanchez, Loretta Kucinich Sarbanes Schakowsky Langevin Larsen (WA) Schiff Schrader Larson (CT) Lee (CA) Schwartz Scott (VA) Lewis (GA) Scott, David Loebsack Lofgren, Zoe Serrano Sewell Sherman Sires Lummis Smith (WA) Speier Maloney Stark Markey Sutton Matheson Thompson (CA) Thompson (MS) McCarthy (NY) Tiernev McClintock Tonko

Towns

Tsongas

Van Hollen

Velázquez

Walz (MN)

Wasserman

Schultz

Waters

Wayman

Wilson (FL)

Welch

Woolsey

Yarmuth

Watt

NOT VOTING-21

Neal

Pallone

Baca Barton (TX) Berman Burgess Burton (IN) Cardoza Carson (IN)

Green, Al

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Cooper Costello Donnelly (IN) Filner Gallegly Heinrich Mack

McIntyre Napolitano Noem Paul Paulsen Slaughter Stutzman

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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 against:

Mr. FILNER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall 249, I was away from the Capitol due to prior commitments to my constituents. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay."

Mr. COOPER. Mr. Speaker, I was unable to be present for rollcall vote No. 249 today. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay."

Mrs. NAPOLITANO. Mr. Speaker, on Thursday, May 10th, 2012, I was absent during rollcall vote No. 249 in order to attend my grandson's graduation. Had I been present, I would have voted "nay" on final passage of

H.R. 5326, Making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. SLAUGHTER. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably detained and missed rollcall vote Nos. 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, and 249. Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on rollcall vote Nos. 246 and 248. Had I been present, I would have voted "no" on rollcall vote Nos. 244, 245, 247 and 249.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal, which the Chair will put de novo.

The question is on the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

REMOVAL OF NAME OF MEMBER AS COSPONSOR OF H.R. 4004

Mr. COLE. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to remove myself as a cosponsor of H.R. 4004.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SOUTHERLAND). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Oklahoma?

There was no objection.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to yield to my friend, the majority leader, Mr. CANTOR, for the purpose of inquiring as to the schedule for the week to come.

Mr. CANTOR. I thank the gentleman from Maryland, the Democratic whip, for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, on Monday, the House is not in session. On Tuesday, the House will meet at noon for morninghour and at 2 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m. On Wednesday and Thursday, the House will meet at 10 a.m. for morninghour and at noon for legislative business. On Friday, the House will meet at 9 a.m. for legislative business. The last votes of the week are expected no later than 3 p.m.

Mr. Speaker, the House will consider a number of bills under suspension of the rules, a complete list of which will be announced by the close of business tomorrow. Among next week's suspensions will be H.R. 365, the National Blue Alert Act, sponsored by Congressman MICHAEL GRIMM, which will coincide with National Police Week and will help deter the threat of violence against our Nation's law enforcement officers.

In addition, the House will consider two important bills under a rule. The

first is H.R. 4970, the Violence Against Women Act reauthorization, sponsored by Congresswoman SANDY ADAMS, herself a former sheriff. Our second rule bill, which will take up the remainder of the week, is H.R. 4310, the National Defense Authorization Act, sponsored by Chairman Buck McKeon. This bipartisan bill provides for the funding of our armed services prior to Memorial Day, as is the House's appropriate cus-

Mr. HOYER. I thank the gentleman for his information.

On the Violence Against Women Act, a very important piece of legislation which we have reauthorized in the past in a bipartisan fashion, it is under a rule. Does the gentleman know whether it will be an open rule or whether there will be, perhaps, a modified open rule with amendments being printed? Will the gentleman tell us? I have a lot of folks on my side of the aisle who are very interested in dealing with certain portions of that bill, and they'd be interested to know whether or not they will be able to offer amendments.

Mr. CANTOR. I will just tell the gentleman, as he knows, the Rules Committee is the one to decide the process by which bills come to the floor and the rules for those bills; and the Rules Committee will be meeting on Tuesday.

Mr. HOYER. I would tell the majority leader, for the purposes of his planning and anticipation, as he may well know, the bill that has been reported out of the Judiciary Committee is controversial. There was a bill that passed through the other Chamber, which passed overwhelmingly-more than 2-1—and it is not like this bill.

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There are Members that would like to incorporate the Senate's provisions in the House bill, and I know we would appreciate it if we would be given that opportunity to offer that on the floor as an alternative. If the gentleman would take that into consideration, perhaps talk to Mr. Dreier about making such amendments in order, we would very much appreciate that. Of course we would also appreciate, perhaps, if you wanted to take up the Senate bill as a substitute. We think we would have overwhelming votes for that on this side of the aisle. In light of the fact that you and I have been working in such a bipartisan fashion lately, perhaps that would be a good way to continue that process.

I yield to my friend.

Mr. CANTOR. It has certainly been an improved sense of cooperation, and I appreciate that on the gentleman's part in trying to deliver results and trying to make sure we get America back to work.

I would say to the gentleman, as he rightly noted, that this bill has traditionally been reauthorized. The approach that we tried to focus on was to do what it is that the gentleman and I have been trying to do the last couple