

Moore
Moran
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal
Nolan
O'Rourke
Owens
Pallone
Pascarell
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters (CA)
Peters (MI)
Peterson
Pingree (ME)
Pocan
Polis
Price (NC)
Quigley
Rahall
Rangel

Richmond
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sanchez, Linda
T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schrader
Scott (VA)
Scott, David
Serrano
Sewell (AL)
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sinema
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Speier

Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Titus
Tonko
Tsongas
Van Hollen
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Waxman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—20

Chaffetz
Collins (NY)
Crawford
Diaz-Balart
Gosar
Green, Al
Green, Gene

Hinojosa
Johnson, Sam
Jones
King (IA)
McAllister
McCarthy (NY)
Negrete McLeod

Pastor (AZ)
Rogers (MI)
Roskam
Ryan (WI)
Schneider
Schwartz

□ 1018

Messrs. SCHRADER and RUPPERSBERGER changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So the previous question was ordered.
The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. KING of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 99 I was not present due to unavoidable air travel delays. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

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

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 225, nays 190, not voting 15, as follows:

[Roll No. 100]

YEAS—225

Aderholt
Amash
Amodi
Bachmann
Bachus
Barletta
Barr
Barton
Benishek
Bentivolio
Billrakis
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Bridenstine
Brooks (AL)
Brooks (IN)
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Bucshon
Burgess
Byrne
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Cantor

Capito
Carter
Cassidy
Chabot
Coble
Coffman
Cole
Collins (GA)
Conaway
Cook
Cotton
Cramer
Crenshaw
Culberson
Daines
Davis, Rodney
Denham
Dent
DeSantis
DesJarlais
Diaz-Balart
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Ellmers
Farenthold
Fincher
Fitzpatrick

Fleischmann
Fleming
Flores
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxy
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gardner
Garrett
Gerlach
Gibbs
Gibson
Gingrey (GA)
Gohmert
Goodlatte
Gowdy
Granger
Graves (GA)
Graves (MO)
Griffin (AR)
Griffith (VA)
Grimm
Guthrie
Hall
Hanna
Harper
Harris

Hartzler
Hastings (WA)
Heck (NV)
Hensarling
Herrera Beutler
Holding
Hudson
Huelskamp
HuiZenga (MI)
Hultgren
Hunter
Hurt
Issa
Jenkins
Johnson (OH)
Jordan
Joyce
Kelly (PA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kinzinger (IL)
Kline
Labrador
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Lance
Lankford
Latham
Latta
LoBiondo
Long
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Lummis
Marchant
Marino
Massie
McAllister
McCarthy (CA)
McCaul
McClintock
McHenry
McIntyre
McKeon
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers

Meadows
Meehan
Messer
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Mullin
Mulvaney
Murphy (PA)
Neugebauer
Noem
Nugent
Nunes
Nunnelee
Olson
Palazzo
Paulsen
Pearce
Perry
Petri
Pittenger
Pitts
Poe (TX)
Pompeo
Posey
Price (GA)
Reed
Reichert
Renacci
Ribble
Rice (SC)
Rigell
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rooney
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothfus
Royce
Runyan
Ryan (WI)
Salmon

Sanford
Scalise
Schock
Schweikert
Scott, Austin
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (MO)
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Southerland
Stewart
Stivers
Stockman
Stutzman
Terry
Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Wagner
Walberg
Walden
Walorski
Weber (TX)
Webster (FL)
Wenstrup
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Williams
Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Wolf
Womack
Woodall
Yoder
Yoho
Young (AK)
Young (IN)

NAYS—190

Barber
Barrow (GA)
Bass
Beatty
Becerra
Bera (CA)
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bonamici
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown (FL)
Brownley (CA)
Bustos
Butterfield
Capps
Capuano
Cárdenas
Carney
Carson (IN)
Cartwright
Castor (FL)
Castro (TX)
Chu
Cicilline
Clark (MA)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Connolly
Conyers
Cooper
Costa
Courtney
Crowley
Cuellar
Cummings
Davis (CA)
Davis, Danny
DeFazio
DeGette
Delaney
DeLauro
DelBene
Deutch
Dingell

Doggett
Doyle
Duckworth
Edwards
Ellison
Engel
Enyart
Eshoo
Esty
Farr
Fattah
Foster
Frankel (FL)
Frankel
Fudge
Gabbard
Gallego
Garamendi
Garcia
Grayson
Grijalva
Gutiérrez
Hahn
Hanabusa
Hastings (FL)
Heck (WA)
Higgins
Himes
Holt
Honda
Horsford
Hoyer
Huffman
Israel
Jackson Lee
Jeffries
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.
Kaptur
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilmer
Kind
Kirkpatrick
Kuster
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)

Lee (CA)
Levin
Lewis
Lipinski
Loebach
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowey
Lujan Grisham
(NM)
Luján, Ben Ray
(NM)
Lynch
Maffei
Maloney
Maffei
Maloney, Sean
Matheson
Matsui
McCollum
McDermott
McGovern
McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Michaud
Miller, George
Moore
Moran
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano
Neal
Nolan
O'Rourke
Owens
Pallone
Pascarell
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters (CA)
Peters (MI)
Peterson
Pingree (ME)
Pocan
Polis
Price (NC)
Quigley

Rahall
Rangel
Richmond
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sanchez, Linda
T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schrader
Scott (VA)

Scott, David
Serrano
Sewell (AL)
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sinema
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Speier
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Titus

Tonko
Tsongas
Van Hollen
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz
Wasserman
Schultz
Takano
Waters
Waxman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—15

Chaffetz
Collins (NY)
Crawford
Gosar
Green, Al

Green, Gene
Hinojosa
Johnson, Sam
Jones
McCarthy (NY)

Negrete McLeod
Pastor (AZ)
Roskam
Schneider
Schwartz

□ 1028

So the resolution was agreed to.
The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

ELECTRICITY SECURITY AND AFFORDABILITY ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. POE of Texas). Pursuant to House Resolution 497 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. 3826.

Will the gentleman from Washington (Mr. HASTINGS) kindly take the chair.

□ 1030

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. 3826) to provide direction to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency regarding the establishment of standards for emissions of any greenhouse gas from fossil fuel-fired electric utility generating units, and for other purposes, with Mr. HASTINGS of Washington (Acting Chair) in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The Acting CHAIR. When the Committee of the Whole rose on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, a request for a recorded vote on amendment No. 8 printed in House Report 113-373, offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. WAXMAN) had been postponed.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, proceedings will now resume on those amendments printed in House Report 113-373 on which further proceedings were postponed, in the following order:

Amendment No. 1 by Mr. SMITH of Texas.

Amendment No. 2 by Mrs. CAPPS of California.

Amendment No. 6 by Ms. SCHAKOWSKY of Illinois.

Amendment No. 8 by Mr. WAXMAN of California.

The Chair will reduce to 2 minutes the minimum time for each electronic vote in this series.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 OFFERED BY MR. SMITH OF TEXAS

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Texas (Mr. SMITH) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This will be a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 230, noes 184, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 101]

AYES—230

| | | |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Aderholt | Gardner | Meehan |
| Amash | Garrett | Messer |
| Amodel | Gerlach | Mica |
| Bachmann | Gibbs | Miller (FL) |
| Bachus | Gingrey (GA) | Miller (MI) |
| Barletta | Gohmert | Miller, Gary |
| Barr | Goodlatte | Mullin |
| Barrow (GA) | Gowdy | Mulvaney |
| Barton | Granger | Murphy (PA) |
| Benishek | Graves (GA) | Neugebauer |
| Bentivolio | Graves (MO) | Noem |
| Bilirakis | Griffin (AR) | Nunes |
| Bishop (GA) | Griffith (VA) | Nunnelee |
| Bishop (UT) | Grimm | Olson |
| Black | Guthrie | Palazzo |
| Blackburn | Hall | Paulsen |
| Boustany | Hanna | Pearce |
| Brady (TX) | Harper | Perry |
| Bridenstine | Harris | Peterson |
| Brooks (AL) | Hartzler | Petri |
| Brooks (IN) | Hastings (WA) | Pittenger |
| Broun (GA) | Heck (NV) | Pitts |
| Buchanan | Hensarling | Poe (TX) |
| Bucshon | Herrera Beutler | Pompeo |
| Burgess | Holding | Posey |
| Byrne | Hudson | Price (GA) |
| Calvert | Huelskamp | Rahall |
| Camp | Huizenga (MI) | Reed |
| Campbell | Hultgren | Reichert |
| Cantor | Hunter | Renacci |
| Capito | Hurt | Ribble |
| Carter | Issa | Rice (SC) |
| Cassidy | Jenkins | Rigell |
| Chabot | Johnson (OH) | Roby |
| Coble | Jordan | Roe (TN) |
| Coffman | Joyce | Rogers (AL) |
| Cole | Kelly (PA) | Rogers (KY) |
| Collins (GA) | King (IA) | Rogers (MI) |
| Conaway | King (NY) | Rohrabacher |
| Cook | Kingston | Rokita |
| Costa | Kinzinger (IL) | Rooney |
| Cotton | Kline | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Cramer | Labrador | Roskam |
| Crenshaw | LaMalfa | Ross |
| Cuellar | Lamborn | Rothfus |
| Culberson | Lance | Royce |
| Daines | Lankford | Runyan |
| Davis, Rodney | Latham | Ryan (WI) |
| Denham | Latta | Salmon |
| Dent | Long | Sanford |
| DeSantis | Lucas | Scallise |
| DesJarlais | Luetkemeyer | Schock |
| Diaz-Balart | Lummis | Schweikert |
| Duffy | Marchant | Scott, Austin |
| Duncan (SC) | Marino | Sensenbrenner |
| Duncan (TN) | Masie | Sessions |
| Ellmers | Matheson | Shimkus |
| Farenthold | McAllister | Shuster |
| Fincher | McCarthy (CA) | Simpson |
| Fitzpatrick | McCaul | Smith (MO) |
| Fleischmann | McClintock | Smith (NE) |
| Fleming | McHenry | Smith (NJ) |
| Flores | McIntyre | Smith (TX) |
| Forbes | McKeon | Southerland |
| Fortenberry | McKinley | Stewart |
| Fox | McMorris | Stivers |
| Franks (AZ) | Rodgers | Stockman |
| Frelinghuysen | Meadows | Stutzman |

Terry Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Wagner

Barber
Bass
Beatty
Becerra
Bera (CA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bonamici
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown (FL)
Brownley (CA)
Bustos
Butterfield
Capps
Capuano
Cárdenas
Carney
Carson (IN)
Cartwright
Castor (FL)
Castro (TX)
Chu
Cicilline
Clark (MA)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Connolly
Conyers
Cooper
Courtney
Crowley
Cummings
Davis (CA)
Davis, Danny
DeFazio
DeGette
Delaney
DeLauro
DelBene
Deutch
Dingell
Doggett
Doyle
Duckworth
Edwards
Ellison
Engel
Enyart
Eshoo
Esty
Farr
Fattah
Foster
Frankel (FL)
Fudge
Gabbard
Galleo
Garamendi
García

Gibson
Grayson
Grijalva
Gutiérrez
Hahn
Hanabusa
Hastings (FL)
Heck (WA)
Higgins
Himes
Holt
Honda
Horsford
Hoyer
Huffman
Israel
Jackson Lee
Jeffries
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.

Kaptur
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilmer
Kind
Kirkpatrick
Kuster
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lee (CA)
Levin
Lewis
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loeb sack
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowe
Lujan Grisham (NM)
Luján, Ben Ray (NM)
Lynch
Maffei
Maloney
Carolyn
Maloney, Sean
Matsui
McCollum
McDermott
McGovern
McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Michaud
Miller, George
Moore
Moran
Murphy (FL)
Nadler

Chaffetz
Collins (NY)
Crawford
Gosar
Green, Al
Green, Gene

Walberg
Walden
Walorski
Weber (TX)
Webster (FL)
Wenstrup
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Williams

NOES—184

Gibson
Grayson
Grijalva
Gutiérrez
Hahn
Hanabusa
Hastings (FL)
Heck (WA)
Higgins
Himes
Holt
Honda
Horsford
Hoyer
Huffman
Israel
Jackson Lee
Jeffries
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, E. B.

Kaptur
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilmer
Kind
Kirkpatrick
Kuster
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lee (CA)
Levin
Lewis
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loeb sack
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowe
Lujan Grisham (NM)
Luján, Ben Ray (NM)
Lynch
Maffei
Maloney
Carolyn
Maloney, Sean
Matsui
McCollum
McDermott
McGovern
McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Michaud
Miller, George
Moore
Moran
Murphy (FL)
Nadler

Napolitano
Neal
Nolan
O'Rourke
Owens
Pallone
Pascarell
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters (CA)
Peters (MI)
Pingree (ME)
Pocan
Polis
Price (NC)
Quigley
Richmond
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sánchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schrader
Scott (VA)
Scott, David
Serrano
Sewell (AL)
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sinema
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Speier
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Titus
Tonko
Tsongas
Van Hollen
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Waxman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—16

Hinojosa
Johnson, Sam
Jones
McCarthy (NY)
Negrete McLeod
Nugent

Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Wolf
Womack
Woodall
Yoder
Yoho
Young (AK)
Young (IN)

vote on the amendment offered by the gentlewoman from California (Mrs. CAPPS) on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This is a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 184, noes 228, not voting 18, as follows:

[Roll No. 102]

AYES—184

| | | |
|---------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Barber | Garamendi | Napolitano |
| Bass | Garcia | Neal |
| Beatty | Grayson | Nolan |
| Becerra | Grijalva | O'Rourke |
| Bera (CA) | Gutiérrez | Owens |
| Bishop (NY) | Hahn | Pallone |
| Blumenauer | Hanabusa | Pascarell |
| Bonamici | Hastings (FL) | Payne |
| Brady (PA) | Heck (WA) | Pelosi |
| Braley (IA) | Herrera Beutler | Perlmutter |
| Brown (FL) | Higgins | Peters (CA) |
| Brownley (CA) | Himes | Peters (MI) |
| Bustos | Holt | Pingree (ME) |
| Butterfield | Honda | Pocan |
| Capps | Horsford | Polis |
| Capuano | Hoyer | Price (NC) |
| Cárdenas | Huffman | Quigley |
| Carney | Israel | Rangel |
| Carson (IN) | Jackson Lee | Richmond |
| Cartwright | Jeffries | Roybal-Allard |
| Castor (FL) | Johnson, E. B. | Ruiz |
| Castro (TX) | Kaptur | Ruppersberger |
| Chu | Keating | Rush |
| Cicilline | Kelly (IL) | Ryan (OH) |
| Clark (MA) | Kennedy | Sánchez, Linda T. |
| Clarke (NY) | Kildee | Sanchez, Loretta |
| Clay | Kilmer | Sarbanes |
| Cleaver | Kind | Schakowsky |
| Clyburn | Kirkpatrick | Schiff |
| Cohen | Kuster | Scott (VA) |
| Connolly | Langevin | Scott, David |
| Conyers | Larsen (WA) | Serrano |
| Cooper | Larson (CT) | Sewell (AL) |
| Costa | Lee (CA) | Shea-Porter |
| Courtney | Levin | Sherman |
| Crowley | Lewis | Sinema |
| Cuellar | Lipinski | Sires |
| Cummings | Loeb sack | Slaughter |
| Davis (CA) | Lofgren | Smith (WA) |
| Davis, Danny | Lowenthal | Speier |
| DeFazio | Lowe | Swalwell (CA) |
| DeGette | Lujan Grisham (NM) | Takano |
| Delaney | Luján, Ben Ray (NM) | Thompson (CA) |
| DeLauro | Lynch | Thompson (MS) |
| DelBene | Maffei | Tierney |
| Deutch | Maloney | Titus |
| Dingell | Carolyn | Tonko |
| Doggett | Maloney, Sean | Tsongas |
| Doyle | Matsui | Van Hollen |
| Duckworth | McCollum | Vargas |
| Edwards | McDermott | Veasey |
| Engel | McGovern | Vela |
| Enyart | McNerney | Velázquez |
| Eshoo | Meeks | Visclosky |
| Esty | Meng | Walz |
| Farr | Michaud | Wasserman |
| Fattah | Miller, George | Schultz |
| Fitzpatrick | Moore | Waters |
| Foster | Moran | Waxman |
| Frankel (FL) | Murphy (FL) | Welch |
| Fudge | Nadler | Wilson (FL) |
| Gabbard | | Yarmuth |
| Galleo | | |

NOES—228

| | | |
|----------|-------------|-------------|
| Aderholt | Barrow (GA) | Black |
| Amash | Barton | Blackburn |
| Amodel | Benishek | Boustany |
| Bachmann | Bentivolio | Brady (TX) |
| Bachus | Bilirakis | Bridenstine |
| Barletta | Bishop (GA) | Brooks (AL) |
| Barr | Bishop (UT) | Brooks (IN) |

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR (during the vote). There is 1 minute remaining.

□ 1034

Mr. RICE of South Carolina changed his vote from “no” to “aye.”

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 OFFERED BY MRS. CAPPS

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished business is the demand for a recorded

Broun (GA) Huelskamp Reichert
 Buchanan HuiZenga (MI) Renacci
 Bucshon Hultgren Ribble
 Burgess Hunter Rice (SC)
 Byrne Hurt Rigell
 Calvert Issa Roby
 Camp Jenkins Roe (TN)
 Campbell Johnson (OH) Rogers (AL)
 Cantor Jordan Rogers (KY)
 Capito Joyce Rogers (MI)
 Carter Kelly (PA) Rohrabacher
 Cassidy King (IA) Rokita
 Chabot King (NY) Rooney
 Coble Kingston Ros-Lehtinen
 Coffman Kinzinger (IL) Roskam
 Cole Kline Ross
 Collins (GA) Labrador Rothfus
 Conaway LaMalfa Royce
 Cook Lamborn Runyan
 Cotton Lance Ryan (WI)
 Cramer Lankford Salmon
 Crenshaw Latham Scott, Austin
 Culberson Latta Sensenbrenner
 Daines LoBiondo Sessions
 Davis, Rodney Long Shimkus
 Denham Lucas Shuster
 Dent Luetkemeyer Simpson
 DeSantis Lummis Smith (MO)
 DesJarlais Marchant Smith (NE)
 Diaz-Balart Marino Smith (NJ)
 Duffy Massie McIntyre
 Duncan (SC) Matheson Smith (TX)
 Duncan (TN) McCarthy (CA) Southerland
 Ellmers McCaul Stewart
 Farenthold McClintock Stivers
 Fincher McHenry Stockman
 Fleischmann McKeon Stutzman
 Fleming McKinley Terry
 Flores McKinley Messer
 Forbes McMorris Mica
 Fortenberry Rodgers Miller (FL)
 Foxx Meadows Miller (MI)
 Franks (AZ) Meehan Miller, Gary
 Frelinghuysen Messer Mullin
 Gardner Mica Mulvaney
 Garrett Miller (FL) Murphy (PA)
 Gerlach Miller (MI) Neugebauer
 Gibbs Miller, Gary Noem
 Gibson Mullin Nugent
 Gingrey (GA) Mulvaney Nunes
 Gohmert Murphy (PA) Nunnelee
 Goodlatte Neugebauer Olson
 Gowdy Noem Palazzo
 Granger Nugent Paulsen
 Graves (GA) Nunes Pearce
 Graves (MO) Nunnelee Perry
 Griffin (AR) Olson Peterson
 Griffith (VA) Palazzo Petri
 Grimm Paulsen Pittenger
 Guthrie Pearce Potts
 Hall Perry Pompeo
 Hanna Peterson Posey
 Harper Petri Price (GA)
 Harris Pittenger Rahall
 Hartzler Poe (TX) Reed
 Hastings (WA) Pompeo Young (AK)
 Heck (NV) Posey Young (IN)
 Hensarling Price (GA)
 Holding Rahall
 Hudson Reed

NOT VOTING—18

Chaffetz Green, Gene McCarthy (NY)
 Collins (NY) Hinojosa Negrete McLeod
 Crawford Johnson (GA) Pastor (AZ)
 Ellison Johnson, Sam Pitts
 Gosar Jones Schneider
 Green, Al McAllister Schwartz

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR (during the vote).
 There is 1 minute remaining.

□ 1038

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced
 as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 6 OFFERED BY MS.
SCHAKOWSKY

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished
 business is the demand for a recorded
 vote on the amendment offered by the
 gentlewoman from Illinois (Ms. SCHA-
 KOWSKY) on which further proceedings
 were postponed and on which the noes
 prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the
 amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amend-
 ment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote
 has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This is a 2-
 minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic de-
 vice, and there were—ayes 190, noes 221,
 not voting 19, as follows:

[Roll No. 103]

AYES—190

Barber Garcia Neal
 Barrow (GA) Gibson Nolan
 Bass Grayson O'Rourke
 Beatty Grijalva Owens
 Becerra Gutierrez Pallone
 Bera (CA) Hahn Pascrell
 Bishop (GA) Hanabusa Payne
 Bishop (NY) Hastings (FL) Pelosi
 Blumenauer Heck (WA) Perlmutter
 Bonamici Higgins Peters (CA)
 Brady (PA) Himes Peters (MI)
 Braley (IA) Holt Pingree (ME)
 Brown (FL) Honda Pocan
 Brownley (CA) Horsford
 Bustos Hoyer
 Butterfield Huffman
 Capps Israel
 Capuano Jackson Lee
 Carney Jeffries
 Carson (IN) Johnson (GA)
 Cartwright Johnson, E. B.
 Castor (FL) Kaptur
 Castro (TX) Keating
 Chu Kelly (IL)
 Cicilline Kennedy
 Clark (MA) Kildee
 Clarke (NY) Kilmer
 Clay Kind
 Cleaver Kirkpatrick
 Cloburn Kuster
 Cohen Langevin
 Connolly Larsen (WA)
 Conyers Larson (CT)
 Cooper Lee (CA)
 Costa Levin
 Courtney Lewis
 Crowley Lipinski
 Cuellar Loeb sack
 Cummings Lofgren
 Davis (CA) Lowenthal
 Davis, Danny Lowey
 DeFazio Lujan Grisham
 DeGette (NM)
 Delaney Luján, Ben Ray
 DeLauro (NM)
 DelBene Lynch
 Deutch Maffei
 Dingell Maloney,
 Doggett Carolyn
 Doyle Maloney, Sean
 Duckworth Matheson
 Edwards Matsui
 Ellison McCollum
 Engel McDermott
 Enyart McGovern
 Eshoo McNerney
 Esty Meeks
 Farr Meng
 Fattah Michaud
 Foster Miller, George
 Frankel (FL) Moore
 Fudge Moran
 Gabbard Murphy (FL)
 Gallego Nadler
 Garamendi Napolitano

NOES—221

Aderholt Black
 Amash Blackburn
 Amodei Boustany
 Bachmann Brady (TX)
 Bachus Bridenstine
 Barletta Brooks (AL)
 Barr Brooks (IN)
 Barton Broun (GA)
 Benishek Buchanan
 Bentivolio Bucshon
 Bilirakis Burgess
 Bishop (UT) Byrne

Conaway Jordan
 Cook Joyce
 Cotton Kelly (PA)
 Cramer King (IA)
 Crenshaw King (NY)
 Culberson Kingston
 Daines Kinzinger (IL)
 Davis, Rodney Kline
 Denham Labrador
 Dent LaMalfa
 DeSantis Lamborn
 DesJarlais Lance
 Diaz-Balart Lankford
 Duffy Latham
 Duncan (SC) Latta
 Duncan (TN) LoBiondo
 Ellmers Long
 Farenthold Lucas
 Fincher Luetkemeyer
 Fitzpatrick Lummis
 Fleischmann Marchant
 Fleming Marino
 Flores Massie
 Forbes McCarthy (CA)
 Fortenberry McCaul
 Foxx McClintock
 Franks (AZ) McHenry
 Frelinghuysen McKeon
 Gardner McKinley
 Garrett McMorris
 Gerlach Rodgers
 Gibbs Meadows
 Gingrey (GA) Meehan
 Gohmert Messer
 Goodlatte Mica
 Gowdy Miller (FL)
 Granger Miller (MI)
 Graves (GA) Miller, Gary
 Graves (MO) Mullin
 Griffin (AR) Mulvaney
 Griffith (VA) Murphy (PA)
 Grimm Neugebauer
 Guthrie Noem
 Hall Nugent
 Hanna Nunes
 Harper Nunnelee
 Harris Olson
 Hartzler Palazzo
 Hastings (WA) Paulsen
 Heck (NV) Pearce
 Hensarling Perry
 Herrera Beutler Peterson
 Holding Petri
 Hudson Pittenger
 Huelskamp Pitts
 HuiZenga (MI) Pompeo
 Hultgren Posey
 Hunter Rahall
 Hurt Reed
 Issa Renacci
 Jenkins Ribble
 Johnson (OH) Rice (SC)

NOT VOTING—19

Cárdenas Hinojosa Pastor (AZ)
 Chaffetz Johnson, Sam Poe (TX)
 Collins (NY) Jones Price (GA)
 Crawford McAllister
 Gosar McCarthy (NY) Schneider
 Green, Al McIntyre Schwartz
 Green, Gene Negrete McLeod

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR (during the vote).
 There is 1 minute remaining.

□ 1042

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced
 as above recorded.

AMENDMENT NO. 8 OFFERED BY MR. WAXMAN

The Acting CHAIR. The unfinished
 business is the demand for a recorded
 vote on the amendment offered by the
 gentleman from California (Mr. WAX-
 MAN) on which further proceedings
 were postponed and on which the noes
 prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the
 amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amend-
 ment.

RECORDED VOTE

The Acting CHAIR. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The Acting CHAIR. This is a 2-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 178, noes 231, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 104]

AYES—178

| | | |
|---------------|----------------|------------------|
| Barber | Garamendi | O'Rourke |
| Bass | Garcia | Owens |
| Beatty | Grayson | Pallone |
| Becerra | Grijalva | Pascarell |
| Bera (CA) | Gutiérrez | Payne |
| Bishop (NY) | Hahn | Pelosi |
| Blumenauer | Hanabus | Perlmutter |
| Bonamici | Hastings (FL) | Peters (CA) |
| Brady (PA) | Heck (WA) | Peters (MI) |
| Braley (IA) | Higgins | Pingree (ME) |
| Brown (FL) | Himes | Pocan |
| Brownley (CA) | Holt | Polis |
| Bustos | Honda | Price (NC) |
| Butterfield | Horsford | Quigley |
| Capps | Hoyer | Rangel |
| Capuano | Huffman | Richmond |
| Cárdenas | Israel | Roybal-Allard |
| Carney | Jackson Lee | Ruiz |
| Carson (IN) | Jeffries | Ruppersberger |
| Cartwright | Johnson, E. B. | Rush |
| Castor (FL) | Keating | Ryan (OH) |
| Castro (TX) | Kelly (IL) | Sánchez, Linda |
| Chu | Kennedy | T. |
| Cicilline | Kildee | Sanchez, Loretta |
| Clark (MA) | Kilmer | Sarbanes |
| Clarke (NY) | Kind | Schakowsky |
| Clay | Kirkpatrick | Schiff |
| Cleaver | Langevin | Scott (VA) |
| Clyburn | Larsen (WA) | Scott, David |
| Cohen | Larson (CT) | Serrano |
| Connolly | Lee (CA) | Sewell (AL) |
| Conyers | Levin | Shea-Porter |
| Cooper | Lewis | Sherman |
| Courtney | Lipinski | Sinema |
| Crowley | Loeb sack | Sires |
| Cuellar | Lofgren | Slaughter |
| Cummings | Lowenthal | Smith (WA) |
| Davis (CA) | Lowey | Speier |
| Davis, Danny | Lujan, Grisham | Swalwell (CA) |
| DeFazio | (NM) | Takano |
| DeGette | Lujan, Ben Ray | Thompson (CA) |
| Delaney | (NM) | Thompson (MS) |
| DeLauro | Lynch | Tierney |
| DeBene | Maffei | Titus |
| Deutch | Maloney, Sean | Tonko |
| Dingell | Matsui | Tsongas |
| Doggett | McCollum | Vale |
| Doyle | McDermott | Hollen |
| Duckworth | McGovern | Vargas |
| Edwards | McNerney | Veasey |
| Ellison | Meeks | Vela |
| Engel | Meng | Velázquez |
| Eshoo | Michaud | Visclosky |
| Esty | Miller, George | Walz |
| Farr | Moore | Wasserman |
| Fattah | Moran | Schultz |
| Foster | Murphy (FL) | Waters |
| Frankel (FL) | Nadler | Waxman |
| Fudge | Napolitano | Welch |
| Gabbard | Neal | Wilson (FL) |
| Gallego | Nolan | Yarmuth |

NOES—231

| | | |
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| Aderholt | Broun (GA) | Cramer |
| Amash | Buchanan | Crenshaw |
| Amodei | Bucshon | Culberson |
| Bachmann | Burgess | Daines |
| Bachus | Byrne | Davis, Rodney |
| Barletta | Calvert | Denham |
| Barr | Camp | Dent |
| Barrow (GA) | Campbell | DeSantis |
| Barton | Cantor | DesJarlais |
| Benishek | Capito | Diaz-Balart |
| Bentivolio | Carter | Duffy |
| Bilirakis | Cassidy | Duncan (SC) |
| Bishop (GA) | Chabot | Duncan (TN) |
| Bishop (UT) | Coble | Elmers |
| Black | Coffman | Enyart |
| Blackburn | Cole | Farenthold |
| Boustany | Collins (GA) | Fincher |
| Brady (TX) | Conaway | Fitzpatrick |
| Bridenstine | Cook | Fleischmann |
| Brooks (AL) | Costa | Fleming |
| Brooks (IN) | Cotton | Flores |

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| Forbes | Luetkemeyer | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Fortenberry | Lummis | Roskam |
| Fox | Marchant | Ross |
| Franks (AZ) | Marino | Rothfus |
| Frelinghuysen | Massie | Royce |
| Gardner | Matheson | Runyan |
| Garrett | McAllister | Ryan (WI) |
| Gibbs | McCarthy (CA) | Salmon |
| Gibson | McCaul | Sanford |
| Gingrey (GA) | McClintock | Scalise |
| Gohmert | McHenry | Schock |
| Goodlatte | McIntyre | Schrader |
| Gowdy | McKeon | Schweikert |
| Granger | McKinley | Scott, Austin |
| Graves (GA) | McMorris | Sensenbrenner |
| Graves (MO) | Rodgers | Sessions |
| Griffin (AR) | Meadows | Shimkus |
| Griffith (VA) | Meehan | Shuster |
| Grimm | Messer | Simpson |
| Guthrie | Mica | Smith (MO) |
| Hall | Miller (FL) | Smith (NE) |
| Hanna | Miller (MI) | Smith (NJ) |
| Harper | Miller, Gary | Smith (TX) |
| Harris | Mullin | Southerland |
| Hartzler | Mulvaney | Stewart |
| Hastings (WA) | Murphy (PA) | Stivers |
| Heck (NV) | Neugebauer | Stockman |
| Hensarling | Noem | Stutzman |
| Herrera Beutler | Nugent | Terry |
| Holding | Nunes | Thompson (PA) |
| Hudson | Nunnelee | Thornberry |
| Huelskamp | Olson | Tiberi |
| Huizenga (MI) | Palazzo | Tipton |
| Ruiz | Pearce | Turner |
| Hunter | Perry | Upton |
| Hurt | Peterson | Valadao |
| Issa | Petri | Wagner |
| Jenkins | Pittenger | Walberg |
| Johnson (OH) | Pitts | Walden |
| Jordan | Poe (TX) | Walorski |
| Joyce | Pompeo | Weber (TX) |
| Kelly (PA) | Posey | Webster (FL) |
| King (IA) | Rahall | Wenstrup |
| King (NY) | Reed | Westmoreland |
| Kingston | Reichert | Whitfield |
| Kinzinger (IL) | Renacci | Williams |
| Kline | Ribble | Wilson (SC) |
| Labrador | Rice (SC) | Wittman |
| LaMalfa | Rigell | Wolf |
| Lamborn | Roby | Womack |
| Lance | Roe (TN) | Woodall |
| Lankford | Rogers (AL) | Yoder |
| Latham | Rogers (KY) | Yoho |
| Latta | Rogers (MI) | Young (AK) |
| LoBiondo | Rohrabacher | Young (IN) |
| Long | Rokita | |
| Lucas | Rooney | |

NOT VOTING—21

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| Chaffetz | Johnson (GA) | Negrete McLeod |
| Collins (NY) | Johnson, Sam | Pastor (AZ) |
| Crawford | Jones | Paulsen |
| Gerlach | Kaptur | Price (GA) |
| Gosar | Kuster | Schneider |
| Green, Al | Maloney, | Schwartz |
| Green, Gene | Carolyn | |
| Hinojosa | McCarthy (NY) | |

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ACTING CHAIR

The Acting CHAIR (during the vote). There is 1 minute remaining.

□ 1046

So the amendment was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. PAULSEN. Mr. Chair, on rollcall No. 104 I was detained while meeting with a constituent. Had I been present, I would have voted "no."

The Acting CHAIR. The question is on the 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. FLEISCHMANN) having assumed the chair, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, 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. 3826) to provide direction to the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency regarding the establishment of standards for emissions of any greenhouse gas from fossil fuel-fired electric utility generating units, and for other purposes, and, pursuant to House Resolution 497, he 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.

Is a separate vote demanded on any amendment to the amendment reported from the Committee of the Whole?

If not, the question is on the 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

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, I have a motion to recommit at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. HASTINGS of Washington). Is the gentleman opposed to the bill?

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, I am opposed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the motion to recommit.

The Clerk read as follows:

Ms. Brownley of California moves to recommit the bill H.R. 3826 to the Committee on Energy and Commerce with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

Redesignate section 5 as section 6 and insert after section 4 the following:

SEC. 5. SAVING CONSUMERS MONEY ON THEIR ELECTRICITY BILLS.

This Act shall not apply with respect to rules that save consumers money on electricity bills, including rules that allow for or encourage energy efficiency, demand response, and other approaches to lower the cost of electricity for consumers.

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

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, this is the final amendment to H.R. 3826, which will not kill the bill or send it back to committee. If adopted, the bill will immediately proceed to final passage, as amended.

My amendment is a simple, straightforward improvement that I believe both sides of the aisle can agree is absolutely necessary, and would be overwhelmingly supported by the American people.

If my amendment passes, it will ensure that the American people and American businesses throughout our country will be protected from avoidable energy price increases.

Specifically, my amendment ensures that nothing in this act would limit

the ability of regulators to issue rules that save consumers money on their electricity bills, including rules that allow for or encourage energy efficiency, demand response, and other approaches to lower the cost of electricity for consumers.

Making our homes and businesses more energy-efficient will save Americans trillions of dollars and, simultaneously, fight climate change by reducing our country's carbon footprint.

Energy efficiency standards have already saved Americans \$40 billion, and we are on track to save \$1.7 trillion in energy costs by 2035. Proven Federal programs, like Energy Star, boost energy efficiency and have conserved energy by helping consumers and businesses find energy-efficient appliances and products.

In fact, commercial buildings which used Energy Star technology show an average of 7 percent energy savings. Progress in energy efficiency is a win/win that is good for our pocketbooks and good for our environment. We can do more.

If just 1 in 10 households used current technology to upgrade their home heating systems, we could keep 17 billion pounds of pollution out of our air.

A vote for my amendment is a vote to ensure that we keep every tool available to conserve energy and help consumers avoid needless energy costs.

Mr. Speaker, price increases in the energy sector are a very real and very serious problem. It hurts working families struggling to make ends meet. It hurts homeowners who struggle every month to pay their mortgage and utility bills, including many of my hard-working families in Ventura County.

It hurts small and large businesses, driving up the price of doing business and impacting their ability to invest in new equipment and hire new workers.

It hurts our military and impacts military readiness, including Naval Base Ventura County, costing more to keep the lights on and operate critical facilities at Point Mugu and Port Huemene.

It hurts our seniors who live on fixed incomes and cannot afford an increase in their utility bills.

It hurts the specialty crop growers in Ventura County, our lemon, strawberry, avocado, and lettuce growers, as well as our cut flower producers, whose bottom line is so closely tied to the price of energy.

It also hurts our overall national economy and threatens to slow job creation and the recovery of our very fragile economy.

This is why it is so important that we allow regulators, like the EPA, to move forward with rules that can save consumers money on their electricity bills, encourage energy efficiency, and lower the cost of electricity for all of our consumers.

I urge my colleagues to vote "yes" on the motion to recommit to ensure a better and cleaner America for our children, our grandchildren, and many, many more generations to come.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. WHITFIELD. Mr. Speaker, I claim time in opposition to the motion to recommit.

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

Mr. WHITFIELD. Mr. Speaker, if there was ever a motion to recommit that we don't need, it is this one. The entire purpose of the Electricity Security and Affordability Act, H.R. 3826, is to ensure that America remains competitive in the global marketplace by lowering electricity costs.

The Energy Information Agency reported recently that 41 out of 50 States have higher electricity rates today than they did 4 years ago. Primarily, these electricity rates are going up because of the policies of the Obama administration.

This act specifically allows in the future the opportunity to build a new coal-powered plant in America the way coal-powered plants are being built around the world. We don't anticipate one to be built as long as natural gas prices are low, but if they go up, as they have in Europe, we want the flexibility to build a coal-powered plant in America.

The President talks frequently about an all-of-the-above energy policy, and yet, his policies, his regulations, his executive orders do not allow us to use as much coal. We simply want that flexibility. We are not mandating it, but it gives us additional flexibility.

For that reason, I would ask us to defeat the motion to recommit and adopt H.R. 3826.

Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

PARTNERSHIP FOR A
BETTER ENERGY FUTURE,
February 28, 2014.

TO THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES: The Partnership for a Better Energy Future (the Partnership), a coalition of more than 100 organizations representing over 80 percent of the U.S. economy, urges your support for H.R. 3826, the "Electricity Security and Affordability Act," which is expected to receive a vote in the House next week. H.R. 3826 provides a more reasonable path forward in relation to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) greenhouse gas (GHG) regulations, while also protecting jobs, economic growth and international competitiveness.

The Partnership's fundamental mission is to promote an "all-of-the-above" energy strategy that ensures the continued availability of reliable and affordable energy for American families and businesses while also protecting the environment. Unfortunately, the EPA's proposed GHG regulations on new power plants fail to meet this test.

The EPA has begun implementing a suite of new regulations designed to address GHG emissions from the electric power sector. By law, these regulations are supposed to be flexible and take into account cost and commercial availability; however, in practice the EPA's proposed GHG regulations have been the exact opposite. The very first regulation the EPA unveiled, which applies to new power plants, mandates technologies that are not yet commercially available—effectively banning the construction of coal-

fired power plants going forward. With similar regulations on existing power plants due in June, followed immediately by regulations on other energy-intensive industries, the EPA's heavy-handed approach is not an encouraging sign for the regulated community.

H.R. 3826 provides a reasonable path forward for the EPA's power plant GHG regulations, allowing the agency to regulate while also protecting a diverse energy mix. For new power plants, the bill requires separate standards for coal and gas, with the coal standard subcategorized for coal types and aligned with the best-performing commercially available generation technologies. It provides a reasonable path forward for carbon dioxide capture and sequestration (CCS), prohibiting the EPA from mandating its use until the technology has been deployed by at least six units located at different commercial power plants in the United States—in other words, until it is truly ready. Finally, it allows the EPA to craft rules or guidelines for existing power plants, but requires Congress to review them and set a start date before they can take effect.

The members of the Partnership support regulations that are cost-effective, technologically achievable and allow for a robust "all-of-the-above" energy strategy. H.R. 3826 would achieve these goals by allowing the EPA to regulate in a balanced, reasonable fashion. The Partnership urges your support for H.R. 3826.

Sincerely,

Air-Conditioning, Heating, and Refrigeration Institute; Alabama Automotive Manufacturer's Association; Alaska Chamber of Commerce; American Coalition for Clean Coal Electricity; American Farm Bureau Federation; American Fuel and Petrochemical Manufacturers; American Knife Manufacturers Association; American Petroleum Institute; American Road and Transportation Builders Association; Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce; Associated Industries of Florida; Associated Industries of Missouri; Association of American Railroads; Automotive Recyclers Association; Balanced Energy for Texas; Baltimore Washington Corridor Chamber; Bettisworth North Architects and Planners; Bismarck-Mandan Chamber of Commerce; Brick Industry Association; Buckeye Power, Inc.

California Cotton Ginners Association; California Cotton Growers Association; California Manufacturers & Technology Association; Colorado Association of Commerce and Industry; Consumer Energy Alliance; CropLife America; Dallas Regional Chamber; Electric Reliability Coordinating Council; Florida State Hispanic Chamber of Commerce; Forging Industry Association; Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce; Georgia Association of Manufacturers; Georgia Chamber of Commerce; Greater Houston Partnership; Greater North Dakota Chamber; Greater Phoenix Chamber of Commerce; Greater Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce; Gulf Coast Lignite Coalition; Illinois Coal Association; Illinois Manufacturers' Association.

Independent Petroleum Association of America; Indiana Chamber of Commerce; Indiana Manufacturers Association; Industrial Minerals Association—North America; Institute for 21st Century Energy; Iowa Association of Business and Industry; Kansas Chamber of Commerce; Kentucky Coal Association; Kerrville Area Chamber of Commerce; Longview Chamber of Commerce; Louisiana Association of Business and Industry; Lubbock Chamber of Commerce; Metals Service Center Institute; Michigan Manufacturers Association; Michigan Railroads Association; Midwest Food Processors Association Inc.; Minnesota Chamber of Commerce; Mississippi Manufacturers Association; Missouri

Chamber of Commerce; Montana Chamber of Commerce.

Myrtle Beach Chamber of Commerce; National Association of Home Builders; National Association of Manufacturers; National Cattlemen's Beef Association; National Marine Manufacturers Association; National Mining Association; National Oilseed Processors; Association; National Rural Electric Cooperative Association; Natural Gas Supply Association; Nebraska Chamber of Commerce & Industry; Non-Ferrous Founders' Society; North Carolina Chamber of Commerce; Oklahoma Railroad Association; Ohio Chamber of Commerce; Ohio Coal Association; Ohio Manufacturers' Association; Ohio Rural Electric Cooperatives, Inc.; Partnership for Affordable Clean Energy; Pennsylvania Coal Alliance; Pennsylvania Manufacturers Association.

Portland Cement Association; Printing Industries of America; Railway Supply Industry, Inc.; Small Business & Entrepreneurship Council; South Carolina Chamber of Commerce; Southwest Louisiana Economic Development Alliance; SPI: The Plastics Industry Trade Association; Tennessee Chamber of Commerce & Industry; Texas Association of Business; Texas Cotton Ginners' Association; Texas Railroad Association; The Chamber of Sparks, Reno & Northern Nevada; The Fertilizer Institute; The Vinyl Institute; U.S. Chamber of Commerce; United Transportation Union; Valve Manufacturers Association of America; Virginia Chamber of Commerce; West Virginia Chamber of Commerce; Western Agricultural Processors Association; Wisconsin Industrial Energy Group Inc.; Wisconsin Manufacturers & Commerce; Wyoming Chamber Partnership.

UNITED MINE WORKERS

OF AMERICA,

Triangle, VA, March 4, 2014.

DEAR MEMBER: On behalf of the United Mine Workers of America (UMWA) and our members I want to ask you to vote for H.R. 3826, the Electricity Security and Affordability Act introduced by Representative Ed Whitfield.

The UMWA is gravely concerned that the EPA has proposed an emission rate limit for new coal electric generation plants that requires carbon capture and sequestration (CCS) that has not been adequately demonstrated nor is commercially available at this time. Furthermore, EPA has based this requirement on federally-subsidized coal generation plants still under construction and that have yet to produce one kilowatt of electricity.

EPA has estimated that the CCS requirement will increase the cost of new coal generation by 30 to 80 percent. Adding this increased cost to building new coal generation clearly demonstrates that coal is not part of the Administration's "All of the Above" energy policy. Myself, along with five other Union Presidents, wrote President Obama last year with our recommendations on ways to build new efficient coal generation that would reduce carbon emissions without requiring CCS.

The Edison Electric Institute estimates that over 60 gigawatts of coal generation will close between now and 2015 as a result of EPA's final Mercury regulation and lower natural gas prices. It is important to point out that most of these plants were required to run to meet demand during the recent polar vortex.

The UMWA is very concerned about the impact the proposed NSPS regulation for existing coal plants scheduled to be released in June will have on the remaining fleet of coal plants and on UMWA members and other jobs in our rural communities. The EPA and the Administration consistently ignore the

impact the loss of jobs in coal mining, utility and transportation sectors will have on rural coalfield communities.

As these well paying jobs disappear, how do we continue to provide wages, pensions, and health care benefits that miners and others have worked a lifetime to earn? How will the loss of these jobs impact the local tax base, school systems and health care facilities in these rural communities? UMWA contracts alone pump billions of dollars annually into these communities through our wages, pensions and health care. If that disappears, there will be nothing to replace it.

The UMWA urges you to vote for H.R. 3826, the Electricity and Affordability Act.

Sincerely yours,

CECIL E. ROBERTS,
International President.

AMERICAN IRON AND STEEL INSTITUTE,

March 5, 2014

To: Members of the U.S. House of Representatives, House staff assigned to steel and/or energy issues.

SUPPORT H.R. 3826—THE ELECTRICITY SECURITY AND AFFORDABILITY ACT

BACKGROUND

As the production of steel is energy-intensive, the availability and reliability of energy is essential to the international competitiveness of the domestic steel industry. In order to reduce costs and improve its competitiveness, the industry in the U.S. has reduced its energy-intensity by 27% since 1990. In fact, a recent Department of Energy-sponsored report concluded that the steel industry in the U.S. is the most energy efficient of any major steel producing country.

The steel industry in the U.S. is subject to substantial international competition, often from nations such as China, where the industry is largely state-owned, controlled, and subsidized. In fact, in two recent cases, the Department of Commerce determined that Chinese steel producers were receiving below market rates for electricity, which constitutes a subsidy. Given these challenges, policies enacted in the U.S. that raise energy costs on domestic companies threaten the industry's ability to remain competitive internationally.

SITUATION

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has undertaken a two-pronged approach to regulate greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions from electric generating utilities. It has proposed a rule to limit GHGs from new power plants that will likely be finalized soon, while the Agency plans to issue a draft rule on GHG emissions from existing power plants later this year. Although these regulations are placed directly on the utility sector, electricity customers will bear the costs associated with compliance. The rules will likely raise the cost of electricity to large industrial customers like steel producers, while potentially lessening the quality and reliability of our nation's electricity supply. H.R. 3826, the Electricity Security and Affordability Act, directs EPA to use achievable and realistic standards when setting GHG limits for new power plants and would ensure a role for Congress in determining when the GHG rule for existing plants goes into effect.

REQUEST

AISI urges all members of the House to support H.R. 3826, the Electricity Security and Affordability Act, when it is considered by the full House. Doing so will help uphold the international competitiveness of the domestic steel industry by maintaining an affordable and reliable supply of electricity.

Sincerely,

THOMAS J. GIBSON.

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 yeas appeared to have it.

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX, this 5-minute vote on the motion to recommit will be followed by a 5-minute vote on the passage of the bill, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 184, nays 223, not voting 23, as follows:

[Roll No. 105]

YEAS—184

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| Barber | Gallego | Napolitano |
| Barrow (GA) | Garamendi | Neal |
| Bass | Garcia | Nolan |
| Beatty | Grayson | O'Rourke |
| Becerra | Grijalva | Owens |
| Bera (CA) | Gutiérrez | Pallone |
| Bishop (GA) | Hahn | Pascarell |
| Bishop (NY) | Hanabusa | Payne |
| Blumenauer | Hastings (FL) | Pelosi |
| Bonamici | Heck (WA) | Perlmutter |
| Brady (PA) | Higgins | Peters (CA) |
| Braley (IA) | Himes | Peters (MI) |
| Brown (FL) | Holt | Peterson |
| Brownley (CA) | Honda | Pocan |
| Bustos | Horsford | Polis |
| Butterfield | Huffman | Price (NC) |
| Capps | Israel | Rangel |
| Capuano | Jackson Lee | Richmond |
| Cárdenas | Jeffries | Roybal-Allard |
| Carney | Johnson (GA) | Ruiz |
| Carson (IN) | Johnson, E. B. | Ruppersberger |
| Cartwright | Kaptur | Rush |
| Castor (FL) | Keating | Ryan (OH) |
| Castro (TX) | Kelly (IL) | Sánchez, Linda T. |
| Chu | Kildee | Sanchez, Loretta |
| Ciçilline | Kilmer | Sarbanes |
| Clark (MA) | Kind | Schakowsky |
| Clarke (NY) | Kirkpatrick | Schiff |
| Clay | Kuster | Schrader |
| Cleaver | Langevin | Scott (VA) |
| Clyburn | Larsen (WA) | Scott, David |
| Cohen | Larson (CT) | Serrano |
| Connolly | Lee (CA) | Sewell (AL) |
| Conyers | Levin | Shea-Porter |
| Cooper | Lewis | Sherman |
| Costa | Lipinski | Sinema |
| Courtney | Loebuck | Sires |
| Crowley | Loftgren | Slaughter |
| Cuellar | Lowenthal | Smith (WA) |
| Cummings | Lowey | Speier |
| Davis (CA) | Lujan Grisham (NM) | Swalwell (CA) |
| Davis, Danny | Luján, Ben Ray (NM) | Takano |
| DeFazio | Lynch | Thompson (CA) |
| DeGette | Maffei | Thompson (MS) |
| Delaney | Maloney, | Tierney |
| DeLauro | Carolyn | Titus |
| DelBene | Maloney, Sean | Tonko |
| Deutch | Matheson | Tsongas |
| Dingell | McCollum | Van Hollen |
| Doggett | McDermott | Vargas |
| Doyle | McGovern | Veasey |
| Duckworth | McIntyre | Vela |
| Edwards | McNerney | Velázquez |
| Ellison | Meeks | Visclosky |
| Engel | Meng | Walz |
| Eshoo | Michaud | Wasserman |
| Esty | Miller, George | Schultz |
| Farr | Moore | Waters |
| Fattah | Moran | Waxman |
| Foster | Murphy (FL) | Welch |
| Frankel (FL) | Nadler | Wilson (FL) |
| Fudge | | Yarmuth |
| Gabbard | | |

NAYS—223

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| Aderholt | Bachus | Benishek |
| Amash | Barletta | Bentivolio |
| Amodei | Barr | Bilirakis |
| Bachmann | Barton | Bishop (UT) |

Black
Blackburn
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Bridenstine
Brooks (AL)
Brooks (IN)
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Bucshon
Burgess
Byrne
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Cantor
Capito
Carter
Cassidy
Chabot
Coble
Coffman
Cole
Collins (GA)
Conaway
Cook
Cotton
Cramer
Crenshaw
Culberson
Daines
Davis, Rodney
Denham
Dent
DeSantis
Diaz-Balart
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Ellmers
Enyart
Farenthold
Fincher
Fitzpatrick
Fleischmann
Fleming
Flores
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxy
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gardner
Garrett
Gerlach
Gibbs
Gibson
Gingrey (GA)
Gohmert
Goodlatte
Gowdy
Granger
Graves (GA)
Graves (MO)
Griffin (AR)
Griffith (VA)
Grimm
Guthrie
Hall
Hanna
Harper

Harris
Hartzler
Hastings (WA)
Heck (NV)
Hensarling
Herrera Beutler
Holding
Hudson
Huelskamp
Huizenga (MI)
Hultgren
Hunter
Hurt
Issa
Jenkins
Johnson (OH)
Jordan
Joyce
Kelly (PA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kinzinger (IL)
Kline
Labrador
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Lance
Lankford
Latham
Latta
LoBiondo
Long
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Lummis
Marchant
Marino
Massie
McCarthy (CA)
McCauley
McClintock
McHenry
McKeon
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
Meadows
Meehan
Messer
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Mulvaney
Murphy (PA)
Neugebauer
Noem
Nugent
Nunes
Nunnelee
Olson
Palazzo
Paulsen
Pearce
Perry
Petri
Pingree (ME)
Pittenger
Pitts
Pompeo

Posey
Rahall
Reed
Reichert
Renacci
Ribble
Rice (SC)
Rigell
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rooney
Ros-Lehtinen
Roskam
Ross
Rothfus
Royce
Runyan
Ryan (WI)
Salmon
Sanford
Scalise
Schock
Schweikert
Scott, Austin
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (MO)
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Southernland
Stewart
Stivers
Stockman
Stutzman
Terry
Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Wagner
Walberg
Walden
Walorski
Weber (TX)
Webster (FL)
Wenstrup
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Williams
Wilson (SC)
Wittman
Wolf
Womack
Woodall
Yoder
Young (AK)
Young (IN)

NOT VOTING—23

Chaffetz
Collins (NY)
Crawford
DesJarlais
Gosar
Green, Al
Green, Gene
Hinojosa

Hoyer
Johnson, Sam
Jones
Kennedy
Matsui
McAllister
McCarthy (NY)
Mullin

Negrete McLeod
Pastor (AZ)
Poe (TX)
Price (GA)
Quigley
Schneider
Schwartz

□ 1104

So the motion to recommit was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated against:

Mr. PRICE of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, on roll-call No. 105 I was not able to participate in this vote. Had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

Mr. POE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, on roll-call No. 105 Motion to Recommit, had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

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

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 229, noes 183, not voting 18, as follows:

[Roll No. 106]

AYES—229

Aderholt
Amash
Amodei
Bachmann
Bachus
Barletta
Barr
Barrow (GA)
Barton
Benishak
Bentivolio
Bilirakis
Bishop (GA)
Bishop (UT)
Black
Blackburn
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Bridenstine
Brooks (AL)
Brooks (IN)
Broun (GA)
Buchanan
Bucshon
Burgess
Byrne
Calvert
Camp
Campbell
Cantor
Capito
Carter
Cassidy
Chabot
Coble
Coffman
Cole
Collins (GA)
Conaway
Cook
Cotton
Cramer
Crenshaw
Culler
Culberson
Daines
Davis, Rodney
Denham
Dent
DeSantis
DesJarlais
Diaz-Balart
Duffy
Duncan (SC)
Duncan (TN)
Ellmers
Enyart
Farenthold
Fincher
Fitzpatrick
Fleischmann
Fleming
Flores
Forbes
Fortenberry
Foxy
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gardner
Garrett
Gerlach
Gibbs
Gibson
Gingrey (GA)

Gohmert
Goodlatte
Gowdy
Granger
Graves (GA)
Graves (MO)
Griffin (AR)
Griffith (VA)
Grimm
Guthrie
Hall
Hanna
Harper
Hartzler
Hastings (WA)
Heck (NV)
Hensarling
Holding
Hudson
Huelskamp
Huizenga (MI)
Hultgren
Hunter
Hurt
Issa
Jenkins
Johnson (OH)
Jordan
Joyce
Kelly (PA)
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kinzinger (IL)
Kline
Labrador
LaMalfa
Lamborn
Lance
Lankford
Latham
Latta
Long
Lucas
Luetkemeyer
Lummis
Marchant
Marino
Massie
Matheson
McAllister
McCarthy (CA)
McCauley
McClintock
McHenry
McIntyre
McKeon
McKinley
McMorris
Rodgers
Meadows
Meehan
Messer
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Mullin
Mulvaney
Murphy (PA)
Neugebauer
Noem
Nugent

Nunes
Nunnelee
Olson
Palazzo
Paulsen
Perry
Peterson
Petri
Pittenger
Pitts
Poe (TX)
Pompeo
Posey
Rahall
Reed
Reichert
Renacci
Ribble
Rice (SC)
Rigell
Roby
Roe (TN)
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Rokita
Rooney
Roskam
Ross
Rothfus
Royce
Runyan
Ryan (WI)
Salmon
Sanford
Scalise
Schock
Schweikert
Scott, Austin
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Sewell (AL)
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (MO)
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Southernland
Stewart
Stivers
Stockman
Stutzman
Terry
Thompson (PA)
Thornberry
Tiberi
Tipton
Turner
Upton
Valadao
Wagner
Walberg
Walden
Walorski
Weber (TX)
Webster (FL)
Wenstrup
Westmoreland
Whitfield
Williams
Wilson (SC)

Wittman
Wolf
Womack

Woodall
Yoder
Yoho

Young (AK)
Young (IN)

NOES—183

Barber
Bass
Beatty
Becerra
Bera (CA)
Bishop (NY)
Blumenauer
Bonamici
Brady (PA)
Braley (IA)
Brown (FL)
Brownley (CA)
Bustos
Butterfield
Capps
Capuano
Cárdenas
Carney
Carson (IN)
Cartwright
Castor (FL)
Castro (TX)
Chu
Cicilline
Clark (MA)
Clarke (NY)
Clay
Cleaver
Clyburn
Cohen
Connolly
Conyers
Cooper
Courtney
Crowley
Cummings
Davis (CA)
Davis, Danny
DeFazio
DeGette
Delaney
DeLauro
DelBene
Deutch
Dingell
Doggett
Doyle
Duckworth
Edwards
Ellison
Engel
Eshoo
Esty
Farr
Fattah
Foster
Frankel (FL)
Fudge
Gabbard
Gallego
Garamendi
Garcia
Gibson

Grayson
Grijalva
Gutiérrez
Hahn
Hanabusa
Hastings (FL)
Heck (WA)
Herrera Beutler
Higgins
Himes
Holt
Honda
Horsford
Hoyer
Huffman
Israel
Jackson Lee
Jeffries
Johnson, E. B.
Kaptur
Keating
Kelly (IL)
Kennedy
Kildee
Kilmer
Kind
Kirkpatrick
Kuster
Langevin
Larsen (WA)
Larson (CT)
Lee (CA)
Levin
Lewis
Lipinski
LoBiondo
Loebach
Lofgren
Lowenthal
Lowe
Lujan Grisham (NM)
Luján, Ben Ray (NM)
Lynch
Maffei
Maloney, Carolyn
Maloney, Sean
Matsui
McCollum
McDermott
McGovern
McNerney
Meeks
Meng
Michaud
Miller, George
Moore
Moran
Murphy (FL)
Nadler
Napolitano

Neal
Nolan
O'Rourke
Owens
Pallone
Pascarelli
Payne
Pelosi
Perlmutter
Peters (CA)
Peters (MI)
Pingree (ME)
Pocan
Polis
Price (NC)
Quigley
Rangel
Richmond
Roybal-Allard
Ruiz
Ruppersberger
Rush
Ryan (OH)
Sanchez, Linda T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schradner
Scott (VA)
Scott, David
Serrano
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Sinema
Sires
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Speier
Swalwell (CA)
Takano
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Titus
Tonko
Tsongas
Van Hollen
Vargas
Veasey
Vela
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Waxman
Welch
Wilson (FL)
Yarmuth

NOT VOTING—18

Chaffetz
Collins (NY)
Crawford
Gosar
Green, Al
Green, Gene

Hinojosa
Johnson (GA)
Johnson, Sam
Jones
McCarthy (NY)
Negrete McLeod

Pastor (AZ)
Pearce
Price (GA)
Ros-Lehtinen
Schneider
Schwartz

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1111

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. PRICE of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, on roll-call No. 106 I was not able to participate in this vote. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Ms. HERRERA BEUTLER. Mr. Speaker, on March 6, 2014 I was inadvertently recorded as a “no” vote on

rollcall 106—H.R. 3826, the Electricity Security and Affordability Act. I support H.R. 3826 and fully intended on voting in favor of the legislation.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO OFFER RESOLUTION RAISING A QUESTION OF THE PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Ms. FUDGE. Mr. Speaker, under rule IX, I hereby give notice of my intention to offer a question of the privileges of the House.

The form of the resolution is as follows:

Whereas on March 5, 2014, during a hearing before the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Committee Chairman Darrell E. Issa gave a statement and then posed ten questions to former Internal Revenue Service official Lois Lerner, who stated that she was invoking her Fifth Amendment right not to testify;

Whereas the Committee's Ranking Member, Rep. Elijah E. Cummings, clearly sought recognition to take his turn for questions under Committee and House Rules;

Whereas, Chairman Issa then quickly adjourned the hearing and refused to allow him to make any statement or ask any questions;

Whereas Ranking Member Cummings protested immediately, stating: "Mr. Chairman, you cannot run a Committee like this. You just cannot do this. This is, we are better than that as a country, we are better than that as a Committee."

Whereas, Chairman Issa then returned and allowed Ranking Member Cummings to begin his statement, but when it became clear that Chairman Issa did not want to hear what Ranking Member Cummings was saying, turned off Ranking Member Cummings' microphone, ordered Republican staff to "close it down," and repeatedly signaled to end the hearing with his hand across his neck;

Whereas Ranking Member Cummings objected again, stating: "You cannot have a one-sided investigation. There is absolutely something wrong with that";

Whereas Chairman Issa made a statement of his own and posed questions during the hearing, but refused to allow other members of the Committee, and in particular the Ranking Member who had sought recognition, to make statements under the five-minute rule in violation of House Rule XI;

Whereas Chairman Issa instructed the microphones to be turned off and adjourned the hearing without a vote or a unanimous consent agreement in violation of Rule XVI because he did not want to permit Ranking Member Cummings to speak;

Whereas Chairman Issa's abusive behavior on March 5 is part of a continuing pattern in which he has routinely excluded members of the Committee from investigative meetings, and has routinely provided information to the press before sharing it with Committee members;

Whereas Chairman Issa has violated Clause 1 of Rule XXIII of the Code of Official Conduct which states that "A Member, Delegate, Resident Commissioner, officer or employee of the House shall behave at all times in a manner that shall reflect creditably on the House": Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House of Representatives strongly condemns the offensive and disrespectful manner in which Chairman Darrell E. Issa conducted the hearing of the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform on March 5, 2014, during which he turned off the microphones of the Rank-

ing Member while he was speaking and adjourned the hearing without a vote or a unanimous consent agreement.

□ 1115

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under rule IX, a resolution offered from the floor by a Member other than the majority leader or the minority leader as a question of the privileges of the House has immediate precedence only at a time designated by the Chair within 2 legislative days after the resolution is properly noticed.

Pending that designation, the form of the resolution noticed by the gentleman from Ohio will appear in the RECORD at this point.

The Chair will not at this point determine whether the resolution constitutes a question of privilege. That determination will be made at the time designated for consideration of the resolution.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the Chair will postpone further proceedings today on the motion to suspend the rules on which a recorded vote or the yeas and nays are ordered, or on which the vote incurs objection under clause 6 of rule XX.

Any record vote on the postponed question will be taken later.

PROVISION OF COSTS OF LOAN GUARANTEES FOR UKRAINE

Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4152) to provide for the costs of loan guarantees for Ukraine.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The text of the bill is as follows:

H.R. 4152

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. PROVISION OF COSTS OF LOAN GUARANTEES FOR UKRAINE.

From amounts appropriated or otherwise made available under "Economic Support Fund" in division K of the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2014 (Public Law 113-76), and prior Acts making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs, funding from unobligated balances shall be made available for the costs, as defined in section 502 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, of loan guarantees for Ukraine, which are authorized to be provided in an appropriations Act, in accordance with section 504 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974: *Provided*, That amounts made available for the costs of such guarantees shall not be considered "assistance" for the purpose of provisions of law limiting assistance to such country: *Provided further*, That none of the funds may be made available from amounts designated pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentleman from

Kentucky (Mr. ROGERS) and the gentleman from New York (Mrs. LOWEY) each will control 20 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Kentucky.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days in which to revise and extend their remarks on the consideration of H.R. 4152.

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

There was no objection.

Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to bring to the floor H.R. 4152, a bill providing the authority for loan guarantees for Ukraine.

As we all sadly know, Ukraine is facing an extraordinarily difficult time. As a valued partner and friend of the United States, our Nation has a duty to provide the people of Ukraine with help when they now need it most.

This bill will provide some stability for the government and the people of Ukraine as they navigate through these troubled waters. The legislation before us will allow funds to be used to guarantee loans for the Government of Ukraine, in support of the Secretary of State's \$1 billion pledge this week. This bill does not appropriate new funds, but simply allows funds to be used from existing State Department resources.

Ukraine's economy has been in a difficult position for years, but now the country faces, of course, real risks. Russia has punished Ukraine for leaning toward the West and has suspended the assistance they planned to provide.

This bill will not solve all of Ukraine's problems, obviously, but it is an important first step that will allow the country to shore up its finances and begin to make its economy more efficient.

With this legislation, Congress—and the United States—will show that we stand by those that oppose authoritarian rule. It will show that, as a nation, we will step up to help the people of Ukraine not only with our words, but with our deeds.

Ukraine is facing an uncertain economic future, Mr. Speaker, but they are choosing the right path of democracy and reform. The American people will stand with the Ukrainian people as they chart this new course, and today we will take a first step to quickly respond to their present need.

Mr. Speaker, this is a critically important bill and one that should pass the House and the Senate and be enacted into law without delay. I urge a "yes" vote.

I reserve the balance of my time.

Mrs. LOWEY. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself as much time as I may consume.

We must come together today on a bipartisan basis to support the people