

I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting S. 1557 and sending this legislation to the President for his signature.

I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. Speaker, I rise today in support of the Children's Hospitals GME Support Reauthorization Act, which reauthorizes the Children's Hospitals Graduate Medical Education (CHGME) program through 2018.

The CHGME program provides vital funding to support the training of pediatricians and pediatric specialists in children's hospitals.

Continued strong support for CHGME is essential to maintain this investment in children's health care. Reauthorizing CHGME represents a commitment to ensuring that children throughout the country have access to the quality care they need.

Since its creation in 1999, CHGME has increased the number of pediatric health care providers, addressed critical shortages in pediatric specialty care and improved access to necessary care.

The CHGME recipient hospitals represent less than one percent of all hospitals, yet train half of all the nation's pediatricians and pediatric specialists.

As a co-sponsor of the House bill that passed in February 2013 and a longtime advocate for the CHGME program, I applaud this bipartisan, bicameral effort to preserve and strengthen this important program.

Mr. PITTS. Mr. Speaker, I am very pleased to ask all Members to support S. 1557, very important legislation with bipartisan support, and I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. WAXMAN. Mr. Speaker, I rise to support S. 1557, the Children's Hospital GME Support Reauthorization Act of 2013.

S. 1557 reauthorizes the children's hospital graduate medical education—or CHGME—program through fiscal year 2018 at an authorization level of \$300 million per year. The legislation also makes two important changes to the program. It provides for a limited expansion of the CHGME program to include children's psychiatric hospitals and other children's hospitals that have been unable—to date—to participate in the program for technical reasons. It also would allow the Secretary of Health and Human Services to redistribute any remaining funding set aside for the newly-eligible hospitals that goes unused based upon quality measures.

This program provides ongoing and consistent financial support to hospitals such as Children's Hospital of Los Angeles for the training of doctors who want to specialize in pediatrics. Over the years, the CHGME program has been enormously successful in reversing the significant decline in the number of pediatric trainees across the country. Indeed, today, children's hospitals nationwide that are supported by the program train 49% of all pediatricians and 51% of all pediatric specialists.

Not surprisingly, the CHGME program has a decade-long history of bipartisan support. The program was first established in 1999 and has subsequently been reauthorized on two occasions. During the 112th Congress and earlier this Congress, the House passed stand alone legislation that would have reauthorized the CHGME program for another five years.

I am sure that Members on both sides of the aisle agree we want to make certain this

important program remains in place, and we want to send a strong message about the importance of fully funding it.

I want to recognize and applaud the leadership of Ranking Member PALLONE and Chairman PITTS on CHGME legislation in the House. I also want to acknowledge the sponsors of the measure we are considering today—Senators CASEY and ISAKSON. And, of course, I commend Chairman UPTON, Chairman HARKIN, and Ranking Member ALEXANDER for making it possible for the House to consider this bipartisan legislation today.

I urge my colleagues to join me in supporting S. 1557 and sending this legislation to the President for his signature.

Mr. GINGREY of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of S. 1557, the Children's Hospital GME Support Reauthorization Act of 2013. This bill extends and reauthorizes funding for those children's hospitals with approved graduate medical residency training program. We must act now to promote and strengthen our country's pediatric workforce.

It is no secret that our country faces a growing shortage of physicians. It is important for Congress to recognize that investments in our future doctors will be essential to ensuring patient access and quality health outcomes. If we do not have the physicians to care for our sick and needy, no amount of technological advancement will be enough to provide health care services for everyone. The vote today recognizes this fact, and will confirm our desire to provide adequate future access to pediatric care.

As a physician of over 30 years, and one who has delivered over 5,200 babies, I understand the tremendous impact that pediatricians have on the health of our children. The bipartisan support and engagement of this legislation points to its truly important need and I urge my colleagues today to vote to ensure that an adequate funding stream is available to train tomorrow's pediatricians.

For these important reasons, I support S. 1557.

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of S. 1557, the Children's Hospital Graduate Medical Education Support Reauthorization Act. Passed in the Senate in November, this legislation is vital to our children's health care system because it provides freestanding children's hospitals with federal funding for graduate medical education.

In my district, Children's Medical Center of Dallas trains 230 medical residents each year and is integral in addressing the current physician shortage in Texas. CHGME is vital to the continuation of the training program at Children's and at pediatric hospitals nationwide. CHGME recipient hospitals make up only one percent of all hospitals and train nearly half of all pediatricians.

Hospitals like Children's provide coordinated care for our nation's sickest kids regardless of their family's ability to pay. The CHGME program ensures that pediatricians and pediatric specialists are properly trained to care for these children, covering basic physician visits to complex, life-threatening cancers.

Since 1999, CHGME has helped to address the gap in federal support for pediatric training and specialty pediatric care. The CHGME program is a critical investment in strengthening our healthcare workforce and is essential to maintaining the gains in pediatric care. I urge

my colleagues to support the CHGME program and vote in favor of S. 1557, the Children's Hospital Graduate Medical Education Support Reauthorization Act.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. PITTS) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, S. 1557.

The question was taken; and (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until approximately 6:30 p.m. today.

Accordingly (at 6 o'clock and 3 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess.

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## AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BYRNE) at 6 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.

## ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

Suspending the rules with regard to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4152, S. 2183, and agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

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

## PROVISION OF COSTS OF LOAN GUARANTEES FOR UKRAINE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 4152) to provide for the costs of loan guarantees for Ukraine, 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 California (Mr. ROYCE) that the House suspend the rules and concur in the Senate amendment.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 378, nays 34, not voting 19, as follows:

[Roll No. 149]

YEAS—378

Aderholt	Bachus	Barr
Amodei	Barber	Barrow (GA)
Bachmann	Barletta	Barton

Bass	Fleming	Lujan Grisham	Ryan (WI)	Slaughter	Vargas	[Roll No. 150] YEAS—399	
Beatty	Flores	(NM)	Sánchez, Linda	Smith (MO)	Veasey		
Becerra	Forbes	Luján, Ben Ray	T.	Smith (NE)	Vela		
Benishek	Fortenberry	(NM)	Sanchez, Loretta	Smith (NJ)	Wagner	Aderholt	Duncan (SC)
Bera (CA)	Foster	Lummis	Sarbanes	Smith (TX)	Walberg	Amodei	Edwards
Bilirakis	Fox	Maffei	Scalise	Smith (WA)	Walden	Bachmann	Ellison
Bishop (GA)	Frankel (FL)	Maloney,	Schakowsky	Southerland	Walorski	Bachus	Ellmers
Bishop (NY)	Franks (AZ)	Carolyn	Schiff	Speier	Walz	Barber	Engel
Bishop (UT)	Frelinghuysen	Maloney, Sean	Schneider	Stewart	Wasserman	Barletta	Enyart
Black	Fudge	Marchant	Schock	Stivers	Schultz	Barr	Eshoo
Blackburn	Gabbard	Marino	Schrader	Stutzman	Waters	Barrow (GA)	Esty
Blumenauer	Gallego	Matheson	Schwartz	Swalwell (CA)	Webster (FL)	Barton	Farenthold
Bonamici	Garamendi	Matsui	Schweikert	Takano	Waxman	Bass	Farr
Boustany	Garcia	McCarthy (CA)	Scott (VA)	Terry	Welch	Beatty	Fattah
Brady (PA)	Gardner	McCarthy (NY)	Scott, Austin	Thompson (CA)	Wenstrup	Becerra	Fitzpatrick
Brady (TX)	Gerlach	McCaul	Scott, David	Thompson (MS)	Williams	Benishek	Fleischmann
Braley (IA)	Gibbs	McClintock	Sensenbrenner	Thompson (PA)	Wilson (FL)	Bera (CA)	Fleming
Bridenstine	Gingrey (GA)	McCollum	Serrano	Thornberry	Wilson (SC)	Bilirakis	Flores
Brooks (AL)	Gohmert	McDermott	Sessions	Tiberi	Wittman	Bishop (GA)	Forbes
Brooks (IN)	Goodlatte	McGovern	Sewell (AL)	Tierney	Wolf	Bishop (NY)	Fortenberry
Brown (FL)	Granger	McHenry	Shea-Porter	Titus	Womack	Bishop (UT)	Foster
Brownley (CA)	Green, Al	McIntyre	Sherman	Tonko	Yarmuth	Black	Fox
Bucshon	Green, Gene	McKeon	Shimkus	Tsongas	Yoder	Blackburn	Frankel (FL)
Burgess	Griffin (AR)	McKinley	Shuster	Upton	Young (AK)	Blumenauer	Franks (AZ)
Bustos	Griffith (VA)	McMorris	Simpson	Valadao	Young (IN)	Bonamici	Frelinghuysen
Butterfield	Grijalva	Rodgers	Sinema	Van Hollen		Boustany	Fudge
Byrne	Grimm	McNerney	Sires			Brady (PA)	Gabbard
Calvert	Guthrie	Meadows				Brady (TX)	Gallego
Camp	Hahn	Meehan				Braley (IA)	Garamendi
Cantor	Hall	Meeks	Amash	Herrera Beutler	Rokita	Bridenstine	Garcia
Capito	Hanabusa	Messer	Bentivolio	Holding	Rooney	Brooks (AL)	Gardner
Capps	Harper	Mica	Broun (GA)	Huelskamp	Salmon	Brooks (IN)	Gerlach
Cárdenas	Harris	Michaud	DesJarlais	Jones	Sanford	Brown (FL)	Gibbs
Carney	Hartzler	Miller (FL)	Duncan (SC)	Labrador	Tipton	Brownley (CA)	Gibson
Carson (IN)	Hastings (FL)	Miller (MI)	Duncan (TN)	Massie	Weber (TX)	Bucshon	Gingrey (GA)
Carter	Hastings (WA)	Miller, George	Garrett	McAllister	Westmoreland	Burgess	Gohmert
Cartwright	Heck (NV)	Moore	Gibson	Mullin	Whitfield	Bustos	Goodlatte
Cassidy	Heck (WA)	Moran	Gosar	Mulvaney	Woodall	Butterfield	Gosar
Castor (FL)	Hensarling	Murphy (FL)	Gowdy	O'Rourke	Yoho	Byrne	Gowdy
Castro (TX)	Higgins	Murphy (PA)	Graves (GA)	Posey		Calvert	Granger
Chabot	Himes	Nadler	Grayson	Rice (SC)		Camp	Graves (GA)
Chaffetz	Hinojosa	Napolitano				Cantor	Green, Al
Chu	Holt	Neal	Buchanan	Gutiérrez	Pastor (AZ)	Capito	Green, Gene
Clark (MA)	Honda	Negrete McLeod	Campbell	Hanna	Rohrabacher	Capps	Griffin (AR)
Clarke (NY)	Horsford	Neugebauer	Capuano	Joyce	Stockman	Cárdenas	Griffith (VA)
Clay	Hoyer	Noem	Cicilline	Kingston	Velázquez	Carney	Grijalva
Cleaver	Hudson	Nolan	Costa	Lynch	Visclosky	Carson (IN)	Grimm
Clyburn	Huffman	Nugent	Fincher	Meng		Carter	Guthrie
Coble	Huizenga (MI)	Nunes	Graves (MO)	Miller, Gary		Cartwright	Hahn
Coffman	Hultgren	Nunnelee				Cassidy	Hall
Cohen	Hunter	Olson				Castor (FL)	Hanabusa
Cole	Hurt	Owens				Castro (TX)	Harper
Collins (GA)	Israel	Palazzo				Chabot	Harris
Collins (NY)	Issa	Pallone				Chaffetz	Hartzler
Conaway	Jackson Lee	Pascarell				Chu	Hastings (FL)
Connolly	Jeffries	Paulsen				Clark (MA)	Hastings (WA)
Conyers	Jenkins	Payne				Clarke (NY)	Heck (NV)
Cook	Johnson (GA)	Pearce				Clay	Heck (WA)
Cooper	Johnson (OH)	Pelosi				Cleaver	Hensarling
Cotton	Johnson, E. B.	Perlmutter				Clyburn	Herrera Beutler
Courtney	Johnson, Sam	Peters (CA)				Coble	Higgins
Cramer	Jolly	Peters (MI)				Coffman	Himes
Crawford	Jordan	Peterson				Cohen	Hinojosa
Crenshaw	Kaptur	Petri				Cole	Holding
Crowley	Keating	Pingree (ME)				Collins (GA)	Holt
Cuellar	Kelly (IL)	Pittenger				Collins (NY)	Honda
Culberson	Kelly (PA)	Pitts				Conaway	Horsford
Cummings	Kennedy	Pocan				Connolly	Hoyer
Daines	Kildee	Poe (TX)				Conyers	Hudson
Davis (CA)	Kilmer	Polis				Cook	Huelskamp
Davis, Danny	Kind	Pompeo				Cooper	Huffman
Davis, Rodney	King (IA)	Price (GA)				Cotton	Huizenga (MI)
DeFazio	King (NY)	Price (NC)				Courtney	Hultgren
DeGette	Kinzing (IL)	Quigley				Cramer	Hunter
Delaney	Kirkpatrick	Rahall				Crawford	Hurt
DeLauro	Kline	Rangel				Crenshaw	Israel
DelBene	Kuster	Reed				Crowley	Issa
Denham	LaMalfa	Reichert				Cuellar	Jackson Lee
Dent	Lamborn	Renacci				Culberson	Jeffries
DeSantis	Lance	Ribble				Cummings	Jenkins
Deutch	Langevin	Richmond				Daines	Johnson (GA)
Diaz-Balart	Lankford	Rigell				Davis (CA)	Johnson (OH)
Dingell	Larsen (WA)	Roby				Davis, Danny	Johnson, E. B.
Doggett	Larson (CT)	Roe (TN)				Davis, Rodney	Johnson, Sam
Doyle	Latham	Rogers (AL)				DeFazio	Jolly
Duckworth	Latta	Rogers (KY)				DeGette	Jordan
Duffy	Lee (CA)	Rogers (MI)				Delaney	Joyce
Edwards	Levin	Ros-Lehtinen				DeLauro	Kaptur
Ellison	Lewis	Roskam				DelBene	Keating
Ellmers	Lipinski	Ross				Denham	Kelly (IL)
Engel	LoBiondo	Rothfus				Dent	Kelly (PA)
Enyart	Loeb sack	Roybal-Allard				DeSantis	Kennedy
Eshoo	Lofgren	Royce				Deutch	Kildee
Esty	Long	Ruiz				Diaz-Balart	Kilmer
Farenthold	Lowenthal	Runyan				Dingell	Kind
Farr	Lowe	Ruppersberger				Doggett	King (IA)
Fattah	Lucas	Rush				Doyle	King (NY)
Fitzpatrick	Luetkemeyer	Ryan (OH)				Duckworth	Kinzing (IL)
Fleischmann						Duffy	Kirkpatrick

## NAYS—34

## NOT VOTING—19

□ 1855

Messrs. POSEY, GARRETT, and GOWDY changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Ms. LOFGREN, Messrs. OWENS and FOSTER changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the Senate amendment was concurred in.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

# UNITED STATES INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMING TO UKRAINE AND NEIGHBORING REGIONS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (S. 2183) United States international programming to Ukraine and neighboring regions, 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 California (Mr. ROYCE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 399, nays 12, not voting 20, as follows: