Accordingly (at 9 o'clock and 5 minutes a.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. HULTGREN) at 12 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

Office of the Clerk, House of Representatives, Washington, DC, September 11, 2014. Hon. John A. Boehner,

The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on September 11, 2014 at 10:21 a.m.:

That the Senate passed S. 2154. That the Senate passed S. 2323.

That the Senate agreed to without amend-

ment H.J. Res. 120.

That the Senate passed with amendments

That the Senate passed with amendments H.R. 1233.

With best wishes, I am Sincerely,

KAREN L. HAAS.

EMPLOYEE HEALTH CARE PROTECTION ACT OF 2014

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 1(c) of rule XIX, further consideration of H.R. 3522 will now resume.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

MOTION TO RECOMMIT

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

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

gentlewoman opposed to the bill?

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. I am, in its current form.

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. 3522 to the Committee on Energy and Commerce with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

Add at the end of the bill the following new section:

SEC. 3 PROHIBITING DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN IN HEALTH CARE COVERAGE.

Nothing in this Act shall result in discrimination based on gender, including higher premiums for women or loss of contraception or pregnancy care.

Mr. CASSIDY (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I reserve a point of order against the motion to recommit.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. A point of order is reserved.

The Clerk will read.

The Clerk continued to read.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to the rule, the gentlewoman from California is recognized for 5 minutes in support of her motion.

Ms. BROWNLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, this is the final amendment to H.R. 3522, 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 would ensure that nothing in the underlying act would result in health care discrimination against women. It would prevent insurance companies from charging small businesses that employ women higher premiums, and it would stop insurance companies from selling group plans that deny women contraception or critical maternity care coverage.

I hope that we can all agree that women should never have to pay more for their health care than men would pay simply because of their gender. Being a woman is not and must never be treated as a preexisting condition.

Health care reform has created many new and needed consumer protections, which are helping women live healthier lives and build stronger families. Health care costs are the number one cause of bankruptcy in the United States. Allowing insurance companies to charge women more than men would hurt working women struggling to make ends meet. It would hurt families raising children who are trying to give them the healthy start they deserve.

Before this unfair practice was banned, the National Women's Law Center reported that gender discrimination in premium prices alone cost women approximately \$1 billion per year more than men. That is \$1 billion that could have prevented many women and their children from living in poverty or being homeless.

That is \$1 billion that women and their families could have spent on rent. That is \$1 billion that women and their families could have spent on child care. That is \$1 billion that women and their families could have used to pay for college. That is \$1 billion that women and their families could have used to start a business. That is \$1 billion that could have been better used to strengthen the American economy.

In a nation where women earn only 77 cents for every dollar that men earn, charging women more for health care compounds the financial strain on women and their families. Stopping gender-based premium discrimination is just one example of health care reform that works, and it is a new consumer protection that women and their families cannot afford to lose.

My amendment will ensure that insurers continue to cover critical maternity care and contraception coverage. Until recently, many States did not require all health care plans to cover maternity care.

Today, the law requires every new insurance policy to cover maternity care. We must ensure that women continue

to have access to this critical coverage and access to contraception coverage that gives many women the economic independence to succeed because when women succeed, America succeeds.

Contraception coverage ensures women can prevent unplanned pregnancies and choose the best time to start a family. When surveyed by the Guttmacher Institute, 63 percent of women said that access to contraception had enabled them to take better care of themselves and their families. Over half said they were better able to support themselves financially or complete their education.

Mr. Speaker, the majority of Americans support these policies. A Kaiser health poll found that Americans support birth control coverage by a 2 to 1 margin and 86 percent of Americans support coverage of maternity care.

A vote for my amendment is a vote to protect women from unfair discrimination. It is a vote promising our mothers, our sisters, and our daughters that they will be treated fairly and equally.

These are the values of my constituents in Ventura County, and they are the values of the American people.

I urge my colleagues to vote "yes"

I urge my colleagues to vote "yes" on the motion to recommit. Vote "yes" for equality for women.

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

Mr. CASSIDY. Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation, and I claim the time in opposition to the motion.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The reservation is withdrawn.

The gentleman from Louisiana is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. CASSIDY. Mr. Speaker, this bill empowers female-owned small businesses and workers to keep the health care policies they prefer and make their own decisions regarding health care.

Women make 95 percent of the decisions regarding health insurance and families across the United States. I don't think we have to be patronizing and assume that they cannot make their own decisions.

In fact, I am asked continually by women who are 50 years and above why are they having to pay for maternity benefits. They are just flabbergasted by that.

This is important economically. The Manhattan Institute reports that the Affordable Care Act, so-called ironically, has increased insurance premiums by 41 percent on average—for women, as much as 62 percent.

Imagine that woman sitting at home, lying awake at night, wondering how she is going to pay her bills, being forced to pay for benefits the opposition doesn't think she is smart enough to know that she doesn't need and unable to afford her house. That has happened in an instance I know of.

Now, today, the House has the opportunity to help Americans keep the health care plan of their choice, and how we vote comes down to two questions: First, do you think control over

someone's health care plan should reside with a Washington politician or bureaucrat? Or do you trust that American woman to make the proper decision for herself, for her family?

I will tell you where I stand: I think we should give power to the patient, not to a Washington bureaucrat.

Secondly, do we think that politicians should keep the promises made to constituents? Four years ago, supporters of the health care law looked Americans in the eye and said, "If you like your health care plan, you can keep it, period.'

I tell you where I stand. Representatives in the people's House should honor their word and uphold the commitment to those who sent us here, pe-

Let's protect the health care choices of America's workers. Let's hold politicians accountable for the promises they made.

I urge my colleagues to vote "no" on the motion to recommit. Vote "yes" to protect the health care plans of America's middle class. Vote "yes" to keep the promises made.

Vote "no" on the motion to recommit, 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.

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

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, if ordered; and the motions to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 5161; H.R. 5057, if ordered; and S. 276, if ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 187, nays 223, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 494] YEAS-187

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

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Brooks (AL)

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Broun (GA)

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Cassidy

Chabot

Chaffetz

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Clawson (FL)

Collins (GA)

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Cramer

Crawford

Crenshaw

Culberson

Davis, Rodney

Daines

Denham

DeSantis

Diaz-Balart

Duncan (SC)

Farenthold

Fitzpatrick

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Duffy

Ellmers

Fincher

Barletta

Bachmann

Barrow (GA)

NAYS-223

Fleischmann Latta Fleming LoBiondo Long Flores Forbes Lucas Fortenberry Foxx Lummis Franks (AZ) Marchant Frelinghuysen Garrett Massie Gerlach McAllister Gibbs Gingrey (GA) McCaul McClintock Gohmert Goodlatte McHenry Gosar McKeon Gowdy McKinley Granger McMorris Graves (GA) Rodgers Graves (MO) Meadows Griffin (AR) Meehan Griffith (VA) Messer Grimm Mica Miller (FL) Guthrie Hall Miller (MI) Hanna Miller, Gary Harper Mullin Harris Mulvanev Hartzler Heck (NV) Neugebauer Hensarling Noem Herrera Beutler Nugent Holding Nunes Olson Hudson Huelskamp Palazzo Huizenga (MI) Paulsen Hultgren Pearce Hunter Perry Hurt Peterson Petri Issa Jenkins Pittenger Johnson (OH) Pitts Poe (TX) Johnson, Sam Pompeo Jolly Price (GA) Jones Jordan Rahall Joyce Kelly (PA) Reed Reichert Kingston Renacci Ribble Rice (SC) Kinzinger (IL) Kline Labrador Rigell LaMalfa Roby Roe (TN) Lamborn Rogers (AL) Lance Lankford Rogers (KY) Rogers (MI) Latham

Sánchez, Linda T. Rokita Sarbanes Rooney Schakowsky Roskam Schiff Ross Schneider Rothfus Schrader Royce Scott (VA) Runvan Scott, David Rvan (WI) Serrano Salmon Sewell (AL) Sanford Shea-Porter Scalise Sherman Schock Sinema Sires Slaughter Smith (WA) Sessions Swalwell (CA) Shimkus Takano Thompson (CA) Thompson (MS) Calvert Coble Tierney Titus Dingel1 Tonko Gardner Tsongas Gibson Van Hollen Vargas Veasev Vela Velázquez Visclosky

Walz Wasserman Schultz Waters Waxman Welch Yarmuth

Luetkemeyer McCarthy (CA) Murphy (PA)

Rohrabacher Ros-Lehtinen Schweikert Scott, Austin Sensenbrenner

Walberg Shuster Simpson Walden Smith (MO) Walorski Smith (NE) Weber (TX) Smith (NJ) Webster (FL) Smith (TX) Wenstrup Stewart Westmoreland Stivers Whitfield Stockman Williams Stutzman Wilson (SC) Terry Wittman Thompson (PA) Wolf Thornberry Womack Woodall Tipton Yoder Turner Yoho Young (AK) Valadao Wagner Young (IN)

NOT VOTING-21

Hinojosa. Rangel Jackson Lee Rush DesJarlais Sanchez, Loretta King (IA) King (NY) Schwartz Southerland Lipinski Negrete McLeod Speier Hastings (WA) Wilson (FL) Nunnelee

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STOCKMAN Messrs. and JONES changed their vote from ''yea'' "nay."

Ms. SLAUGHTER and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to recommit was reiected

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Stated for:

Mr. HINOJOSA. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 494, had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

The SPEAKER pro tempore. 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. COTTON. 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 247, noes 167, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 495]

AYES-247

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Rodgers

Guthrie McKeon McKinley Hall Hanabusa McMorris Hanna. Meadows Harper Meehan Hartzler Messer Heck (NV) Mica Hensarling Miller (FL) Herrera Beutler Miller (MI) Holding Miller, Gary Hudson Mullin Huelskamp Mulvaney Huizenga (MI) Murphy (FL) Hultgren Murphy (PA) Hunter Neugebauer Hurt Noem Nugent Issa Jenkins Nunes Johnson (OH) Olson Johnson, Sam Palazzo Jolly Paulsen Jordan Perry Peters (CA) Jovce Kelly (PA) Peters (MI) Kingston Peterson Kinzinger (IL) Petri Pittenger Kline Kuster Pitts Poe (TX) Labrador LaMalfa Pompeo Lamborn Posey Price (GA) Lance Lankford Rahall Latham Reed Reichert Latta LoBiondo Renacci Ribble Loebsack Rice (SC) Long Lucas Rigell Luetkemever Roby Roe (TN) Maffei Maloney, Sean Rogers (AL) Rogers (KY) Marchant Marino Rogers (MI) Massie Rohrabacher Matheson Rokita McAllister Rooney McCarthy (CA) Ros-Lehtinen McCaul Roskam McClintock Ross Rothfus McHenry McIntyre Royce

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Yoder

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NOES-167

Bass Doyle Reatty Duckworth Becerra Edwards Bishop (GA) Ellison Bishop (NY) Engel Blumenauer Eshoo Bonamici Esty Brady (PA) Farr Braley (IA) Fattah Brown (FL) Frankel (FL) Butterfield Fudge Capps Gabbard Capuano Garamendi Cárdenas Gravson Carney Green, Al Carson (IN) Green, Gene Grijalya Cartwright Castor (FL) Gutiérrez Castro (TX) Hahn Hastings (FL) Chu Cicilline Heck (WA) Clark (MA) Higgins Clarke (NY) Himes Clay Hinojosa Cleaver Holt Honda Cohen Connolly Horsford Convers Hover Huffman Cooper Costa Israel Jackson Lee Courtney Crowley Jeffries Johnson (GA) Cuellar Cummings Johnson, E. B. Davis (CA) Kaptur Davis, Danny Keating DeFazio Kelly (IL) DeGette Kennedy Delaney Kildee Kilmer DeLauro DelBene Kind Kirkpatrick Deutch Doggett Langevin

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NOT VOTING-17

Calvert Granger Clyburn Coble King (IA) DesJarlais King (NY) Dingell Lummis Fortenberry

Negrete McLeod Hastings (WA) Nunnelee Rush Sanchez, Loretta Schwartz McCarthy (NY)

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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 for:

Mr. FORTENBERRY. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 495 I was inadvertently detained during rollcall No. 495 and missed the vote. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. McCARTHY of California. Mr. Speaker, yesterday, I announced that we were delaying consideration of the continuing resolution so all Members could be briefed on the President's request for additional authorities related to ISIL as part of the continuing resolution.

Members received a bipartisan classified briefing this morning. I know many are still digesting that information and getting their questions answered regarding this threat and our response.

In order to properly consider the President's request and act on the continuing resolution, Members are advised that the House will now meet on Monday at 2 p.m. for legislative business with votes at 6:30 p.m. on suspensions.

Members are advised that the House may consider legislation related to the President's request and the continuing resolution as early as Tuesday.

These are changes from the previously announced House schedule.

Mr. HOYER. I thank the gentleman for yielding.

The gentleman and I have discussed this, and I believe he has taken the appropriate action in this instance, and we certainly support his determination.

McCARTHY of California. I Mr. thank the gentleman for working together on this.

The one thing we know, this is a threat, and this House will act as one as Americans, and I look forward to continuing to work on it.

ENHANCE LABELING, ACCESSING, AND BRANDING OF ELECTRONIC LICENSES ACT OF 2014

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 5161) to promote the non-exclusive use of electronic labeling for devices licensed by the Federal Communications Commission, 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 Ohio (Mr. LATTA) 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 402, nays 0, not voting 29, as follows:

[Roll No. 496] YEAS-402

Aderholt Collins (GA) Garrett Amash Collins (NY) Amodei Conaway Bachmann Connolly Bachus Convers Barber Cook Barletta Cooper Barr Costa Barrow (GA) Cotton Courtney Bass Beatty Cramer Crawford Becerra Benishek Crenshaw Bentivolio Crowley Bera (CA) Cuellar Bilirakis Culberson Bishop (GA) Cummings Daines Davis (CA) Bishop (NY) Bishop (UT) Black Davis, Danny Blackburn Davis, Rodney Blumenauer DeFazio DeGette Bonamici Delaney Brady (PA) Brady (TX) DeLauro Braley (IA) DelBene Bridenstine Denham Brooks (AL) Dent Brooks (IN) DeSantis Broun (GA) Deutch Diaz-Balart Brown (FL) Brownley (CA) Doggett Buchanan Doyle Duckworth Bucshon Burgess Duffy Bustos Duncan (TN) Butterfield Edwards Byrne Ellison Camp Ellmers Campbell Engel Capito Enyart Capps Eshoo Capuano Estv Cárdenas Farenthold Carney Farr Carson (IN) Fattah Fincher Carter Fitzpatrick Cartwright Fleischmann Cassidy Castor (FL) Fleming Castro (TX) Flores Chabot Forbes Chaffetz Fortenberry Chu Foster Cicilline Foxx Clark (MA) Franks (AZ) Clarke (NY) Frelinghuysen Clawson (FL) Fudge ClayGabbard Cleaver Gallego Coffman Garamendi Cohen Garcia Cole Gardner Kennedy

Gerlach Gibbs Gibson Gingrey (GA) Gohmert Goodlatte Gosar Graves (GA) Graves (MO) Grayson Green, Al Green, Gene Griffin (AR) Griffith (VA) Grijalva Grimm Guthrie Gutiérrez Hahn Hall Hanabusa. Hanna Harper Harris Hartzler Hastings (FL) Heck (NV) Heck (WA) Hensarling Herrera Beutler Higgins Himes Hinojosa Holding Holt Honda Horsford Hover Hudson Huelskamp Huffman Huizenga (MI) Hultgren Hunter Hurt Israel Tssa. Jackson Lee Jeffries Jenkins Johnson (GA) Johnson (OH) Johnson, E. B. Johnson, Sam Jolly Jones Jordan Joyce Kaptur Keating Kelly (PA)