

**SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE JAMES GALLAGHER, OF CALIFORNIA, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE**

Ms. LOFGREN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from California, the Honorable James Gallagher, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

His certificate of election has not arrived, but there is no contest and no question has been raised with regard to his election.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from California?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. Will the Representative-elect and the members of the California delegation present themselves in the well.

All Members will rise and the Representative-elect will please raise his right hand.

Mr. GALLAGHER appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office, as follows:

Do you solemnly swear that you will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that you will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that you take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that you will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which you are about to enter, so help you God.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations, you are now a Member of the 119th Congress.

**WELCOMING THE HONORABLE JAMES GALLAGHER TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Ms. LOFGREN. Mr. Speaker, we welcome a new Member of the California congressional delegation to our ranks.

On June 2, JAMES GALLAGHER was duly elected in a special election to fill the remainder of the term vacated by our friend and former colleague, the beloved late Doug LaMalfa.

Doug was passionate about his commitment to the people of northern California and advocating for rural Californians, a passion that I am sure is shared by Representative GALLAGHER.

As chair of the Democratic congressional delegation, it is my honor to welcome you to the largest delegation in Congress, representing the greatest State in the Union.

We look forward to working with you to advocate on behalf of Californians here in Washington, D.C.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to my friend, Mr. CALVERT, dean of the Republican delegation from California.

Mr. CALVERT. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentlewoman for yielding.

Mr. Speaker, as chair of the California Republican delegation, I rise to welcome our newest Member of the body, the gentleman from California (Mr. GALLAGHER).

Today, the people of California's First District have chosen a champion,

once again. JAMES comes to this floor having devoted his entire career to what we affectionately call the North State: 6 years on the Sutter County Board of Supervisors, more than a decade in the California State Assembly, and years of service as his party's leader in Sacramento.

He fills the seat made vacant by the loss of our dear friend and colleague, Doug LaMalfa, a tireless voice for rural California who is deeply missed in this Chamber.

I have no doubt that JAMES will carry the same fighting spirit and love of country to this work ahead.

To JAMES and his family, welcome. The First District couldn't ask for a finer Representative, and the delegation couldn't ask for a better friend.

Mr. Speaker, I am honored to be the first Member of the House of Representatives to yield to our new colleague, Representative JAMES GALLAGHER.

Mr. GALLAGHER. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding.

I have some very long prepared remarks today. No, I am truly honored to be here this afternoon, and I come here to this floor to fill some very big boots in Congressman Doug LaMalfa.

I come here from the wild north of California, of industrious people; of beautiful landscapes, mountains, and valleys; the breadbasket and farming capital of the north. I come here on behalf of the citizens of the First Congressional District, who overwhelmingly gave me their stamp of approval to be here to speak for them.

I intend to do so because, many times, they are the overlooked part of California, and they need a voice. Doug LaMalfa was their voice, and I plan to continue in that same spirit.

I come here also as a husband to my wife, Janna, who joins me in the gallery with my children, and whom I certainly could not do this without.

I am also joined by the wife of Doug LaMalfa. Jill LaMalfa is with us in the gallery today, as well, and some rabble-rousers who have come along from the wild north. I thank them for joining me here today, as well.

I am looking forward to serving in this body. It is truly, truly an honor. I know that this work that we do is very important.

I pray that God goes ahead of us and gives us the wisdom, the fortitude, and the integrity to bring our country together, as Abraham Lincoln once said, "to bind up the Nation's wounds," and that we do right and that we seek the righteous way for the people of this great Nation.

I am proud to be one person in that long line of many leaders who have been able to be on this floor and speak for their people, and I take that honor very seriously.

I also know that my colleagues didn't come here necessarily for me. There is a big game tonight, I hear. I did want to say that I did play baseball, thanks to my dad here, who played in the

minor leagues for the Kansas City Royals organization. I spent a lot of my young life on a baseball field somewhere, and so, with that, I will just end with: Play ball.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER**

The SPEAKER. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath of office to the gentleman from California, the whole number of the House is 431.

**ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE**

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. NUNN of Iowa). Proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed. Votes will be taken in the following order:

Passage of H.R. 7892;

Passage of H.R. 8312;

The motion to recommit H.R. 8464;

Passage of H.R. 8464, if ordered; and

Motions to suspend the rules and pass:

H.R. 8467; and

H.R. 8340, if ordered.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Pursuant to clause 9 of rule XX, remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

**NO AID FOR GHOST STUDENTS ACT OF 2026**

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the vote on passage of the bill (H.R. 7892) to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to require to the Secretary of Education to use an identity fraud detection system to review each FAFSA to determine whether the FAFSA presents a reasonable suspicion of identity fraud, 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 passage of the bill.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 249, nays 172, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 217]

YEAS—249

Aderholt	Boebert	Crawford
Alford	Bost	Crenshaw
Allen	Boyle (PA)	Cuellar
Amodei (NV)	Brecheen	Dauids (KS)
Arrington	Bresnahan	Davidson
Auchincloss	Buchanan	Davis (NC)
Babin	Burchett	De La Cruz
Bacon	Burlison	DesJarlais
Baird	Calvert	Diaz-Balart
Balderson	Cammack	Donalds
Barr	Carey	Downing
Barrett	Carter (TX)	Dunn (FL)
Baumgartner	Ciscomani	Edwards
Bean (FL)	Cline	Ellzey
Begich	Cloud	Emmer
Bentz	Clyde	Estes
Bergman	Cole	Evans (CO)
Bice	Collins	Ezell
Biggs (AZ)	Comer	Fallon
Biggs (SC)	Costa	Fedorchak
Bilirakis	Crane	Feenstra
Bishop	Crank	Fine

Finstad	Kiggans (VA)	Peters	Min	Ross	Thompson (CA)	Gooden	Letlow	Roy
Fischbach	Kiley (CA)	Pfluger	Moore (WI)	Ruiz	Thompson (MS)	Gosar	Loudermilk	Rutherford
Fitzgerald	Kim	Proulx	Morrison	Ryan	Titus	Gottheimer	Lucas	Salazar
Fitzpatrick	Knott	Reschenthaler	Mullin	Salinas	Tlaib	Graves	Luttrell	Scalise
Fleischmann	Kustoff	Riley (NY)	Nadler	Sánchez	Tokuda	Gray	Mackenzie	Schmidt
Flood	LaHood	Rogers (AL)	Neal	Scanlon	Tonko	Griffith	Malliotakis	Schrier
Fong	LaLota	Rogers (KY)	Neguse	Schakowsky	Torres (CA)	Grothman	Maloy	Schweikert
Fox	Landsman	Rose	Norcross	Schneider	Torres (NY)	Guest	Mann	Scott, Austin
Franklin, Scott	Langworthy	Rouzer	Ocasio-Cortez	Scholten	Trahan	Guthrie	Mannion	Self
Fry	Latta	Schrier	Olzewski	Scott (VA)	Underwood	Hageman	Massie	Sessions
Fulcher	Lawler	Rutherford	Omar	Sewell	Vargas	Hamadeh (AZ)	Mast	Shreve
Fuller	Lee (FL)	Salazar	Pallone	Sherman	Veasey	Haridopolos	McCaul	Simpson
Gallagher	Lee (NV)	Salise	Pelosi	Simon	Velázquez	Harrigan	McClain	Smith (MO)
Garbarino	Letlow	Schmidt	Pettersen	Smith (WA)	Walkinshaw	Harris (MD)	McClintock	Smith (NE)
Gill (TX)	Loudermilk	Schrier	Pingree	Stansbury	Wasserman	Harris (NC)	McCormick	Smith (NJ)
Gillen	Lucas	Schweikert	Pocan	Stanton	Schultz	Harshbarger	McDowell	Smucker
Gimenez	Luttrell	Scott, Austin	Pressley	Stevens	Waters	Hern (OK)	McGuire	Sorensen
Golden (ME)	Mackenzie	Self	Quigley	Strickland	Watson Coleman	Higgins (LA)	Messmer	Soto
Goldman (TX)	Magaziner	Sessions	Ramirez	Subramanyam	Whitesides	Hill (AR)	Meuser	Spartz
Gooden	Malliotakis	Shreve	Randall	Sykes	Williams (GA)	Hinson	Miller (IL)	Stauber
Goodlander	Maloy	Simpson	Raskin	Takano	Wilson (FL)	Houchin	Miller (OH)	Stefanik
Gosar	Mann	Smith (MO)	Rivas	Thanedar		Houlihan	Miller (WV)	Steil
Gottheimer	Mannion	Smith (NE)				Hudson	Miller-Meeks	Steube
Graves	Massie	Smith (NJ)				Huizenga	Mills	Strong
Gray	Mast	Smucker	Carter (GA)	Luna	Norman	Hunt	Moolenaar	Stutzman
Griffith	McCaul	Sorensen	Cohen	Mace	Rulli	Hurd (CO)	Moore (AL)	Suozi
Grothman	McClain	Soto	Gonzalez, V.	McDonald Rivet		Issa	Moore (NC)	Taylor
Guest	McClintock	Spartz	Kean	Moulton		Jack	Moore (UT)	Tenney
Guthrie	McCormick	Stauber				Jackson (TX)	Moore (WV)	Thompson (PA)
Hageman	McDowell	Stefanik				James	Moran	Tiffany
Hamadeh (AZ)	McGuire	Steil				Johnson (LA)	Moskowitz	Timmons
Harder (CA)	Messmer	Steube				Johnson (SD)	Mrvan	Tran
Haridopolos	Meuser	Strong				Jordan	Murphy	Turner (OH)
Harrigan	Miller (IL)	Stutzman				Joyce (OH)	Nehls	Valadao
Harris (MD)	Miller (OH)	Suozi				Joyce (PA)	Newhouse	Van Drew
Harris (NC)	Miller (WV)	Taylor				Kaptur	Nunn (IA)	Van Dyne
Harshbarger	Miller-Meeks	Tenney				Kelly (MS)	Obernoite	Van Epps
Hern (OK)	Mills	Thompson (PA)				Kelly (PA)	Ogles	Van Orden
Higgins (LA)	Moolenaar	Tiffany				Kennedy (UT)	Onder	Vasquez
Hill (AR)	Moore (AL)	Timmons				Kiggans (VA)	Owens	Vindman
Himes	Moore (NC)	Tran				Kiley (CA)	Palmer	Wagner
Hinson	Moore (UT)	Turner (OH)				Kim	Panetta	Walberg
Houchin	Moore (WV)	Valadao				Knott	Pappas	Weber (TX)
Houlihan	Moran	Van Drew				Kustoff	Patronis	Webster (FL)
Hudson	Morelle	Van Duyn				LaHood	Perez	Westerman
Huizenga	Moskowitz	Van Epps				LaLota	Perry	Wied
Hunt	Mrvan	Van Orden				Landsman	Pfluger	Williams (TX)
Hurd (CO)	Murphy	Vasquez				Langworthy	Reschenthaler	Wilson (SC)
Issa	Nehls	Vindman				Latta	Riley (NY)	Wittman
Jack	Newhouse	Wagner				Lawler	Rogers (AL)	Womack
Jackson (TX)	Nunn (IA)	Walberg				Lee (FL)	Rogers (KY)	Yakym
James	Obernoite	Weber (TX)				Lee (NV)	Rose	Zinke
Johnson (LA)	Ogles	Webster (FL)						
Johnson (SD)	Onder	Westerman						
Jordan	Owens	Wied						
Joyce (OH)	Palmer	Williams (TX)						
Joyce (PA)	Panetta	Wilson (SC)						
Kaptur	Pappas	Wittman						
Kelly (MS)	Patronis	Womack						
Kelly (PA)	Perez	Yakym						
Kennedy (UT)	Perry	Zinke						

NOT VOTING—10

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Mr. MANNION changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

FRAUD PREVENTION AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the vote on passage of the bill (H.R. 8312) to establish fraud prevention and program integrity functions within the Department of Treasury and a permanent governmentwide Inspector General for Fraud, Accountability, and Recovery, and for other purposes, 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 passage of the bill.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 240, nays 181, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 218]

YEAS—240

Adams	Dean (PA)	Jacobs	Aderholt	Calvert	Emmer	Adams	Dingell	Latimer
Aguilar	DeGette	Jayapal	Alford	Estes	Doggett	Aguilar	Doggett	Lee (PA)
Amo	DeLauro	Jeffries	Allen	Cammack	Elfreh	Amo	Elfreh	Leger Fernandez
Ansari	DelBene	Johnson (GA)	Amodei (NV)	Carey	Escobar	Ansari	Escobar	Levin
Balint	Deluzio	Johnson (TX)	Arrington	Carter (TX)	Espaillat	Balint	Espaillat	Liccardo
Barragán	DeSaulnier	Kamlager-Dove	Babin	Castor (FL)	Evans (PA)	Barragán	Evans (PA)	Lieu
Beatty	Dexter	Keating	Bacon	Casten	Fields	Beatty	Fields	Lofgren
Bell	Dingell	Kelly (IL)	Cline	Carson	Fletcher	Bell	Fletcher	Lynch
Bera	Doggett	Kennedy (NY)	Cloud	Carter (LA)	Foster	Bera	Foster	Magaziner
Beyer	Elfreh	Khanna	Clyde	Casar	Foushee	Beyer	Foushee	Matsui
Bonamici	Escobar	Krishnamoorthi	Cole	Case	Frankel, Lois	Bonamici	Frankel, Lois	McBath
Brown	Espaillat	Larsen (WA)	Collins	Casten	Friedman	Brown	Friedman	McBride
Brownley	Evans (PA)	Larsen (CT)	Comer	Castro (TX)	Frost	Brownley	Frost	McClain Delaney
Budzinski	Fields	Latimer	Correa	Chu	Garamendi	Budzinski	Garamendi	McClellan
Bynum	Figures	Lee (PA)	Crane	Cisneros	Garcia (CA)	Bynum	Garcia (CA)	McCollum
Carbajal	Fletcher	Leger Fernandez	Bentz	Clark (MA)	Garcia (TX)	Carbajal	Garcia (TX)	McGovern
Carson	Foster	Levin	Bergman	Clarke (NY)	Goldman (NY)	Carson	Goldman (NY)	McIver
Carter (LA)	Foushee	Liccardo	Bice	Cleaver	Gomez	Carter (LA)	Gomez	Mejia
Casar	Frankel, Lois	Lieu	Biggs (AZ)	Clyburn	Goodlander	Casar	Goodlander	Menefee
Case	Friedman	Lofgren	Biggs (SC)	Conaway	Green, Al (TX)	Case	Green, Al (TX)	Menendez
Casten	Frost	Lynch	Bilirakis	Correa	Grijalva	Casten	Grijalva	Meng
Castor (FL)	Garamendi	Matsui	Boebert	Crow	Harder (CA)	Castor (FL)	Harder (CA)	Mfume
Castro (TX)	Garcia (CA)	McBath	Bost	Crow	Hayes	Castro (TX)	Hayes	Min
Chu	Garcia (IL)	McBride	Brecheen	Craig	Himes	Chu	Himes	Moore (WI)
Cisneros	Garcia (TX)	McClain Delaney	Bresnahan	Craig	Horsford	Cisneros	Horsford	Morelle
Clark (MA)	Goldman (NY)	McClellan	Buchanan	Crockett	Hoyer	Clark (MA)	Hoyer	Morrison
Clarke (NY)	Gomez	McCollum	Dunn (FL)	Crow	Hoyle (OR)	Clarke (NY)	Hoyle (OR)	Mullin
Cleaver	Green, Al (TX)	McGarvey	Burchett	Crockett	Huffman	Cleaver	Huffman	Nadler
Clyburn	Grijalva	McGovern	Burlison	Crow	Ivey	Clyburn	Ivey	Neal
Conaway	Hayes	McIver		Craig	Jackson (IL)	Conaway	Jackson (IL)	Neguse
Correa	Horsford	Meeks		Craig	Jacobs	Correa	Jacobs	Norcross
Courtney	Hoyer	Mejia		Craig	Jayapal	Courtney	Jayapal	Ocasio-Cortez
Craig	Hoyle (OR)	Menefee		Craig	Jeffries	Craig	Jeffries	Olzewski
Crockett	Huffman	Menendez		Craig	Johnson (GA)	Crockett	Johnson (GA)	Omar
Crow	Ivey	Meng		Craig	Johnson (TX)	Crow	Johnson (TX)	Pallone
Davis (IL)	Jackson (IL)	Mfume		Craig	Kamlager-Dove	Crow	Kamlager-Dove	Pelosi
				Craig	Keating	Davis (IL)	Keating	Peters
				Craig	Kelly (IL)	Davis (IL)	Kelly (IL)	Pettersen
				Craig	Kennedy (NY)	DeLauro	Kennedy (NY)	Pingree
				Craig	Khanna	DeLauro	Khanna	Pocan
				Craig	Krishnamoorthi	DelBene	Krishnamoorthi	Pressley
				Craig	Larsen (WA)	Deluzio	Larsen (WA)	Quigley
				Craig	Larson (CT)	DeSaulnier	Larson (CT)	
				Craig		Dexter		