

Secretary McMahon transferred more than 100 core programs and services, including the Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services and the Office for Civil Rights, to other Federal agencies without congressional approval, creating more bureaucracy and chaos and putting the administration of the IDEA in jeopardy.

Secretary McMahon cut the Department's workforce in half so that they don't have the necessary staff to disburse congressionally authorized funding on time or to investigate civil rights violations.

Educators and parents, especially parents of students with disabilities, are distraught, and they are asking us to take action to stop these illegal transfers.

I hear them.

Mr. Speaker, I invite all of my colleagues to join me in support of this resolution impeaching Secretary McMahon for her illegal attempt to destroy the Department of Education.

DISMANTLING OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

(Mr. DESAULNIER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DESAULNIER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to strongly oppose the transfer of special education programs from the Department of Education to the Department of Health and Human Services.

HHS Secretary Kennedy has troubling and ignorant views on disabilities and is woefully unqualified to oversee programs supporting more than 8 million students and their families.

This move, publicly opposed by multiple Bush administration education officials and Senate Health Committee Chairman BILL CASSIDY, according to a recent story by The New York Times, will segregate special education from the larger education system in direct defiance of congressional intent.

Special education programs must remain at the Department of Education, where they are administered by expert staff that have a long understanding and longstanding relationships with States and local school districts.

If this move continues, all officials responsible should face the consequences, including impeachment of the Secretary of Education.

LAWFUL PERMANENT RESIDENCY FOR UKRAINIANS

(Mr. KILEY of California asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. KILEY of California. Mr. Speaker, as a cosponsor of H.R. 3104, the Ukrainian Adjustment Act, I am calling for prompt consideration and passage of this important legislation.

We have Ukrainians across this country who came here following Russia's

invasion on humanitarian parole. They have contributed to our communities in countless ways.

They entered the United States legally. They passed rigorous vetting. They have created lives here, and they have contributed in so many different ways to both our communities and our economy.

There are 45,000 Ukrainian-American businesses supporting 300,000 jobs, \$60 billion in economic activity, and \$8 billion to \$9 billion in taxes paid each year. Yet, these individuals right now are in a state of legal uncertainty that creates various problems for their families and their ability to plan for the future.

This legislation will adjust their status to lawful permanent resident. It is the right thing to do for these individuals and their families. It is the right thing to do for our economy and communities across this country, and I urge immediate passage of this legislation.

HONORING CURRITUCK JACK

(Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. DAVIS of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, eastern North Carolina honored Currituck Jack, an experienced sailor and hero whose bravery during the American Revolution deserves remembrance.

His statue unveiling celebrates his legacy as an enslaved sailor who risked it all to reclaim his ship from British privateers in 1780 showcasing that heroes can emerge from hardship.

Currituck Jack's journey from enslavement to freedom, taking on the name John Jasper White, saw him become a respected captain and community figure.

His story highlights that ordinary people in eastern North Carolina can do extraordinary things.

Thank you to everyone who came out and to those who had a hand in sharing Currituck Jack's courage to inspire all generations.

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UNNECESSARY WARS IN MIDDLE EAST

(Mr. MAGAZINER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. MAGAZINER. Mr. Speaker, my whole life, politicians have been sending other people's kids to fight and die in unnecessary wars in the Middle East, and we are no better off for it.

In the 6 months since the unnecessary war in Iran began, over a dozen U.S. servicemembers have lost their lives. Countless civilians have been killed, including over 100 children bombed in their school. Tens of billions of tax dollars have been wasted, and gas prices are through the roof.

What do we have to show for it?

Iran still controls the strait. There are no guarantees for inspections of nuclear sites, and there are no guarantees that Iran will stop funding terror.

That is no surprise because the President's negotiating team is made up of his relatives and his real estate buddies, not seasoned negotiators. So here is what we need to do: Put real negotiators at the table. Work with our allies instead of constantly insulting them, and then we, as a Congress, need to use our authority to prevent this President and any President from getting us into more unnecessary wars.

The people have had enough.

HONORING LIFE OF THEODORE LARRY KIRKLAND, SR.

(Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. KAMLAGER-DOVE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of a remarkable leader in the African Methodist Episcopal Church, the Right Reverend Theodore Larry Kirkland, Sr.

As the founding pastor of Brookins AME Church, his powerful preaching inspired generations of Angelenos and helped build the congregation into the spiritual cornerstone it remains today.

In 1996, Bishop Kirkland was elected and consecrated as the 114th bishop of the AME Church.

Over the next four decades, his leadership touched countless lives across the globe from communities throughout Africa to right here on the West Coast.

His ministry was defined not only by faith but by action. He supported local businessowners, worked to combat food insecurity, and helped expand access to health services for the uninsured.

His passing is a profound loss, but his legacy will live on through his loving family and the AME community.

May he rest in peace in the presence of God.

GRADUATES DESERVE OPPORTUNITIES OVER BARRIERS

(Mr. LATIMER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. LATIMER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today as students around the country celebrate well-earned graduations from high school and college and prepare to enter the workforce.

I remember when I graduated from Fordham University, a long time ago, you almost were guaranteed a job—the jobs were plentiful—that would allow you to make ends meet.

Now, the percentage of graduates with entry-levels jobs in their field was only 30 percent last year and represents an unsustainable decline.

This difficult job market has only been further strained by the Trump administration's dismantling of the Department of Education, the removal of

necessary Department staff, a cap on student graduate loans, cuts to research, and other destructive policies that have left Americans worse off at every step of the way.

As graduates cross the stage and celebrate 4 years of hard work, they should be given opportunities to thrive rather than barriers to overcome.

PROMOTING FINANCIAL STABILITY

(Ms. TLAIB asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Ms. TLAIB. Mr. Speaker, after the 2008 financial crisis, Congress tasked our financial regulators with implementing a rule that bans compensation packages for bank executives that incentivize inappropriate risk-taking.

But more than a decade later, a decade and a half later, we are still waiting for this rule to be finalized.

As the 2023 banking failure demonstrates—we just had one in 2023—improper incentives continue to pose a threat to our financial system.

That is why I am proud to be able to introduce the Fostering Accountability in Remuneration Fund Act. It requires large financial institutions to set aside a portion of executive compensation to be paid out, absent misconduct or firm failure, after a period of between 2 to 8 years depending on the size of the institution.

In the case of misconduct or failure, deferred funds would be used to be cover the costs of any fines levied on the bank and to make depositors whole. This is important because the American people are tired of bailing out folks who commit fraud and misconduct.

I urge my colleagues to promote financial stability for our residents and support this bill.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 15 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. MURPHY) at 1 p.m.

FINANCIAL EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT OF 2025

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, the unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and passing the bill (H.R. 2478) to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to postpone the

date of payment or satisfaction upon redemption of certain securities in the case of the financial exploitation of specified adults, and for other purposes, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Arkansas (Mr. HILL) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds being in the affirmative, the ayes have it.

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

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 414, nays 2, not voting 14, as follows:

[Roll No. 227]

YEAS—414

Adams	Conaway	Garcia (TX)
Aderholt	Correa	Gill (TX)
Aguilar	Costa	Gillen
Alford	Courtney	Gimenez
Allen	Craig	Golden (ME)
Amo	Crane	Goldman (TX)
Amodei (NV)	Crank	Gomez
Ansari	Crawford	Gonzalez, V.
Arrington	Crenshaw	Gooden
Auchincloss	Crockett	Goodlander
Babin	Crow	Gosar
Bacon	Cuellar	Gottheimer
Baird	Davids (KS)	Graves
Balderson	Davidson	Green, Al (TX)
Balint	Davis (IL)	Griffith
Barr	Davis (NC)	Grijalva
Barragán	De La Cruz	Grothman
Barrett	Dean (PA)	Guest
Baumgartner	DeGette	Guthrie
Bean (FL)	DeLauro	Hageman
Beatty	DelBene	Hamadeh (AZ)
Begich	Deluzio	Harder (CA)
Bell	DeSaulnier	Haridopolos
Bentz	DesJarlais	Harrigan
Bera	Dexter	Harris (MD)
Bergman	Diaz-Balart	Harris (NC)
Beyer	Dingell	Harshbarger
Bice	Doggett	Hayes
Biggs (SC)	Donalds	Hern (OK)
Bilirakis	Downing	Higgins (LA)
Bishop	Edwards	Hill (AR)
Boebert	Elfreth	Himes
Bonamici	Ellzey	Hinson
Boyle (PA)	Emmer	Horsford
Bresnahan	Escobar	Houchin
Brown	Espallat	Houlahan
Brownley	Estes	Hoyer
Buchanan	Evans (CO)	Hoyle (OR)
Budzinski	Evans (PA)	Hudson
Burchett	Ezell	Huffman
Burlison	Fallon	Huizenga
Bynum	Fedorchak	Hunt
Calvert	Feenstra	Hurd (CO)
Cammack	Fields	Issa
Carbajal	Figures	Ivey
Carey	Fine	Jack
Carson	Finstad	Jackson (IL)
Carter (GA)	Fischbach	Jackson (TX)
Carter (LA)	Fitzgerald	Jacobs
Carter (TX)	Fitzpatrick	James
Casar	Fleischmann	Jayapal
Case	Fletcher	Jeffries
Casten	Flood	Johnson (GA)
Castor (FL)	Fong	Johnson (SD)
Castro (TX)	Foster	Johnson (TX)
Chu	Foushee	Jordan
Ciscomani	Fox	Joyce (OH)
Cisneros	Frankel, Lois	Joyce (PA)
Clark (MA)	Franklin, Scott	Kamlager-Dove
Clarke (NY)	Friedman	Kaptur
Cleaver	Frost	Keating
Cline	Fry	Kelly (IL)
Cloud	Fulcher	Kelly (MS)
Clyburn	Fuller	Kelly (PA)
Clyde	Gallagher	Kennedy (UT)
Cohen	Garamendi	Khanna
Cole	Garbarino	Kiggans (VA)
Collins	Garcia (CA)	Kiley (CA)
Comer	García (IL)	Kim

Knott	Morrison	Smith (MO)
Krishnamoorthi	Moskowitz	Smith (NE)
Kustoff	Mrvan	Smith (NJ)
LaHood	Mullin	Smith (WA)
LaLota	Murphy	Smucker
Landman	Nadler	Sorensen
Langworthy	Neal	Soto
Larsen (WA)	Neguse	Spartz
Larson (CT)	Nehls	Stansbury
Latimer	Newhouse	Stanton
Latta	Norcross	Staubert
Lawler	Norman	Stefanik
Lee (FL)	Nunn (IA)	Steil
Lee (NV)	Oberholte	Steube
Lee (PA)	Ocasio-Cortez	Stevens
Leger Fernandez	Olzewski	Strickland
Levin	Omar	Strong
Liccardo	Onder	Stutzman
Lieu	Owens	Subramanyam
Lofgren	Pallone	Suozi
Loudermilk	Palmer	Sykes
Lucas	Panetta	Takano
Luttrell	Pappas	Taylor
Lynch	Patronis	Tenney
Mackenzie	Pelosi	Thamendar
Magaziner	Perez	Thompson (CA)
Malliotakis	Perry	Thompson (MS)
Maloy	Peters	Thompson (PA)
Mann	Petterson	Tiffany
Mannion	Pfluger	Titus
Massie	Pingree	Tlaib
Mast	Pocan	Tokuda
Matsui	Pou	Tonko
McBath	Pressley	Torres (CA)
McBride	Quigley	Torres (NY)
McCaul	Ramirez	Trahan
McClain	Randall	Tran
McClain Delaney	Raskin	Turner (OH)
McClellan	Reschenthaler	Underwood
McClintock	Riley (NY)	Valadao
McCollum	Rivas	Van Drew
McCormick	Rogers (AL)	Van Dyne
McDonald Rivet	Rogers (KY)	Van Epps
McDowell	Rose	Van Orden
McGarvey	Ross	Vargas
McGovern	Rouzer	Vasquez
McGuire	Roy	Veasey
McIver	Ruiz	Vindman
Meeks	Rulli	Wagner
Mejia	Rutherford	Walberg
Menefee	Ryan	Walkinshaw
Menendez	Salinas	Wasserman
Meng	Sánchez	Schultz
Messmer	Scalise	Waters
Meuser	Scanlon	Watson Coleman
Mfume	Schakowsky	Weber (TX)
Miller (IL)	Schmidt	Webster (FL)
Miller (OH)	Schneider	Westerman
Miller (WV)	Scholten	Whitesides
Miller-Meeks	Schrier	Wied
Mills	Schweikert	Williams (GA)
Min	Scott (VA)	Williams (TX)
Moolenaar	Scott, Austin	Wilson (FL)
Moore (AL)	Self	Wilson (SC)
Moore (NC)	Sessions	Wittman
Moore (UT)	Sewell	Womack
Moore (WI)	Sherman	Yakym
Moore (WV)	Shreve	Zinke
Moran	Simon	
Morelle	Simpson	

NAYS—2

NOT VOTING—14

Biggs (AZ)	Brecheen	
Bost	Kennedy (NY)	Ogles
Dunn (FL)	Letlow	Salazar
Goldman (NY)	Luna	Timmons
Gray	Mace	Velázquez
Kean	Moulton	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

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Ms. SIMON, Mrs. HAYES, and Mr. ROY changed their vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.