

Weller	Whitfield	Wolf
White	Wicker	Young (FL)

## NOES—206

Abercrombie	Harman	Obey
Ackerman	Hastings (FL)	Olver
Allen	Hefner	Ortiz
Andrews	Hilliard	Owens
Baesler	Hinchee	Pallone
Baldacci	Hinojosa	Pascarell
Barcia	Holden	Pastor
Barrett (WI)	Hooley	Payne
Becerra	Hoyer	Pelosi
Bentsen	Hutchinson	Peterson (MN)
Berman	Jackson (IL)	Pickett
Berry	Jackson-Lee	Pomeroy
Bishop	(TX)	Poshard
Blagojevich	Jefferson	Price (NC)
Blumenauer	John	Rahall
Boehler	Johnson (CT)	Ramstad
Bonior	Johnson (WI)	Rangel
Borski	Johnson, E. B.	Reyes
Boswell	Kanjorski	Rivers
Boucher	Kaptur	Rodriguez
Brown (FL)	Kennedy (MA)	Roemer
Brown (OH)	Kennedy (RI)	Rothman
Capps	Kildee	Roukema
Cardin	Kilpatrick	Roybal-Allard
Carson	Kind (WI)	Rush
Clay	Klecza	Sabo
Clayton	Klink	Sanchez
Clement	Kucinich	Sanders
Clyburn	LaFalce	Sawyer
Conyers	Lampson	Schumer
Costello	Lantos	Scott
Coyne	Leach	Serrano
Cramer	Lee	Sherman
Crapo	Levin	Sisisky
Cummings	Lewis (GA)	Skaggs
Danner	LoBiondo	Skelton
Davis (FL)	Lofgren	Slaughter
Davis (IL)	Lowe	Smith, Adam
DeFazio	Luther	Snyder
DeGette	Maloney (CT)	Spratt
Delahunt	Maloney (NY)	Stabenow
DeLauro	Manton	Stark
Deutsch	Markey	Stenholm
Dicks	Martinez	Stokes
Dingell	Mascara	Strickland
Doggett	Matsui	Stupak
Dooley	McCarthy (MO)	Tanner
Doyle	McCarthy (NY)	Tauscher
Edwards	McDermott	Thompson
Engel	McGovern	Thurman
English	McHale	Tierney
Eshoo	McHugh	Torres
Etheridge	McIntyre	Towns
Evans	McKinney	Trafficant
Farr	McNulty	Turner
Fattah	Meehan	Velazquez
Fawell	Meeks (NY)	Vento
Fazio	Menendez	Visclosky
Filner	Millender-	Waters
Ford	McDonald	Watt (NC)
Frank (MA)	Miller (CA)	Waxman
Frost	Minge	Wexler
Furse	Mink	Weygand
Gejdenson	Moakley	Wise
Gephardt	Mollohan	Woolsey
Gordon	Morella	Wynn
Green	Murtha	Yates
Gutierrez	Nadler	Young (AK)
Hall (OH)	Neal	
Hamilton	Oberstar	

## ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Paul

## NOT VOTING—12

Bateman	Dixon	Meek (FL)
Boehner	Gonzalez	Parker
Brown (CA)	Hall (TX)	Sandlin
Bunning	Kennelly	Smith (MI)

□ 1504

The Clerk announced the following pairs:

On this vote:

Mr. Bunning for, with Mrs. Kennelly of Connecticut against.

Mr. Smith of Michigan for, with Mr. Meeks of New York against.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska changed his vote from "aye" to "no."

So the Senate bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BOEHNER. Mr. Speaker, unfortunately, I missed the vote on final passage of S. 1502, The District of Columbia Opportunity Scholarship Act. As a strong supporter of this much-needed legislation to improve the quality of education for thousands of school children in the District of Columbia, I would have voted "yes" on final passage.

## REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 3579, 1998 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND RECESSIONS ACT

Mr. MCINNIS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 105-505) on the resolution (H. Res. 416) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3579) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

## WAIVING REQUIREMENT OF CLAUSE 4(b) OF RULE XI WITH RESPECT TO SAME DAY CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS

Mr. MCINNIS. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up the resolution (H. Res. 414) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

## H. RES. 414

*Resolved*, That the requirement of clause 4(b) of rule XI for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Committee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the House is waived with respect to any resolution reported from that committee before May 1, 1998, providing for consideration or disposition of the bill (H.R. 3579) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes, an amendment thereto, a conference report thereon, or an amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Colorado (Mr. MCINNIS) is recognized for 1 hour.

Mr. MCINNIS. Mr. Speaker, for the purposes of debate only, I yield the customary 30 minutes to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. HALL), pending which I yield myself several such time as I may consume. During the consideration of this resolution, all time yielded is for the purpose of debate only.

Mr. Speaker, House Resolution 414 is a simple resolution. The proposed rule merely waives the requirement of clause 4(b) of rule XI for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Committee on Rules on the same day it

is presented to the House for resolutions reported from the Committee before May 1, 1998, under certain circumstances.

This narrow, short-term waiver only applies to special rules providing for the consideration or disposition of H.R. 3579, making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, amendments thereto, a conference report thereon, or items in disagreement from a conference for H.R. 3579.

Mr. Speaker, H. Res. 414 is straightforward, and it was reported by the Committee on Rules with a voice vote. The Committee recognizes the need for expedited procedures to bring these emergency supplemental appropriations forward as soon as possible.

Mr. Speaker, the timeliness of some of these emergency appropriations cannot be understated. There are many areas within the country that have been hit by significant natural disasters which need relief as well as critical funding for military operations. Therefore, we must move promptly.

I urge my colleagues to support House Resolution 414.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. HALL of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

I thank my colleague the gentleman from Colorado (Mr. MCINNIS) for yielding me the time. As he has described, this rule will permit the House to consider the conference report on the emergency supplemental appropriation bill the same day the Committee on Rules reports a rule for the bill.

Mr. Speaker, under this procedure, Members will have little or no opportunity to examine the conference report before they vote on it. Generally, important and complex bills should not be taken up in this manner. Moreover, I am opposed to provisions in the bill itself, including cuts in the program which funds housing for poor people and the failure to include funding for the International Monetary Fund.

Though I understand the need for moving quickly to pass the emergency spending bill, because of the reasons I have already mentioned, I oppose this rule.

Mr. Speaker, I reserve the balance of my time.

Mr. MCINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume to inquire of my good friend the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. HALL) if he has any further testimony or any further discussion on his side?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Does the gentleman from Ohio have any further speakers?

Mr. HALL of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, it appears that I have nobody here really to speak on this particular rule. Therefore, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. MCINNIS. Mr. Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time, and I move the previous question on the resolution.

The previous question was ordered.

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. HALL of Ohio. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 5 of rule I, further proceedings on this question are postponed until later today.

### RECESS

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

Accordingly (at 3 o'clock and 14 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair. The bells will be rung 15 minutes prior to reconvening.

□ 1602

### AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. HULSHOF) at 4 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m.

### WAIVING REQUIREMENT OF CLAUSE 4(b) OF RULE XI WITH RESPECT TO SAME DAY CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The pending business is the question of agreeing to the resolution, House Resolution 414, on which the yeas and nays are ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

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

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 211, nays 196, not voting 25, as follows:

[Roll No. 120]

YEAS—211

Aderholt	Canady	English
Archer	Cannon	Ensign
Armey	Castle	Everett
Bachus	Chabot	Ewing
Baker	Chambliss	Foley
Ballenger	Chenoweth	Forbes
Barr	Christensen	Fossella
Barrett (NE)	Coble	Fowler
Bartlett	Coburn	Fox
Barton	Collins	Franks (NJ)
Bass	Combest	Frelinghuysen
Bereuter	Cook	Gallely
Bilbray	Cooksey	Ganske
Bilirakis	Cox	Gekas
Blunt	Crane	Gibbons
Boehlert	Cubin	Gilchrest
Boehner	Cunningham	Gillmor
Bonilla	Davis (VA)	Gilman
Bono	DeVal	Goodlatte
Brady	DeLay	Goodling
Bryant	Diaz-Balart	Goss
Burr	Dickey	Graham
Burton	Doolittle	Granger
Buyer	Dreier	Gutknecht
Callahan	Duncan	Hansen
Calvert	Ehlers	Hastert
Camp	Ehrlich	Hastings (WA)
Campbell	Emerson	Hayworth

Hefley	McInnis	Sanford
Herger	McIntosh	Saxton
Hill	McKeon	Scarborough
Hilleary	Metcalf	Schaffer, Bob
Hobson	Mica	Sessions
Hoekstra	Miller (FL)	Shadegg
Horn	Moran (KS)	Shaw
Hostettler	Morella	Shays
Houghton	Myrick	Shimkus
Hulshof	Nethercutt	Shuster
Hunter	Neumann	Skeen
Hutchinson	Ney	Smith (NJ)
Hyde	Northup	Smith (TX)
Inglis	Norwood	Smith, Linda
Istook	Nussle	Snowbarger
Jenkins	Oxley	Solomon
Johnson (CT)	Packard	Souder
Jones	Pappas	Spence
Kasich	Paul	Stearns
Kelly	Paxon	Stump
Kim	Pease	Sununu
King (NY)	Peterson (PA)	Talent
Kingston	Petri	Tauzin
Klug	Pickering	Taylor (NC)
Knollenberg	Pitts	Thomas
Kolbe	Pombo	Thornberry
LaHood	Porter	Thune
Largent	Portman	Tiahrt
Latham	Pryce (OH)	Upton
LaTourette	Quinn	Walsh
Lazio	Ramstad	Wamp
Leach	Redmond	Watkins
Lewis (CA)	Regula	Watts (OK)
Lewis (KY)	Riggs	Weldon (FL)
Linder	Riley	Weller
Livingston	Rogan	White
LoBiondo	Rogers	Whitfield
Lucas	Rohrabacher	Wicker
Manzullo	Ros-Lehtinen	Wolf
McCollum	Roukema	Young (AK)
McCrery	Royce	Young (FL)
McDade	Ryun	
McHugh	Salmon	

NAYS—196

Abercrombie	Fattah	Martinez
Ackerman	Fazio	Mascara
Allen	Filner	Matsui
Andrews	Ford	McCarthy (MO)
Baessler	Frank (MA)	McCarthy (NY)
Baldacci	Frost	McDermott
Barcia	Furse	McGovern
Barrett (WI)	Gejdenson	McHale
Becerra	Gephardt	McIntyre
Bentsen	Goode	McKinney
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Berry	Green	Meeks (NY)
Bishop	Gutierrez	Menendez
Blagojevich	Hall (OH)	Millender
Blumenauer	Hamilton	McDonald
Bonior	Harman	Minge
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Boyd	Hinchey	Moran (VA)
Brown (CA)	Hinojosa	Murtha
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Capps	Hoyer	Oberstar
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Carson	Jackson-Lee	Olver
Clay	(TX)	Ortiz
Clayton	Jefferson	Owens
Clement	John	Pallone
Clyburn	Johnson (WI)	Pascarell
Condit	Johnson, E. B.	Pastor
Conyers	Kanjorski	Payne
Costello	Kennedy (MA)	Pelosi
Coyne	Kennedy (RI)	Peterson (MN)
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Doyle	Lofgren	Sabo
Edwards	Lowey	Sanchez
Engel	Luther	Sanders
Eshoo	Maloney (CT)	Sawyer
Etheridge	Maloney (NY)	Schumer
Evans	Manton	Scott
Farr	Markey	Serrano

Sherman	Strickland	Velazquez
Sisisky	Stupak	Vento
Skaggs	Tanner	Visclosky
Skelton	Tauscher	Waters
Slaughter	Taylor (MS)	Watt (NC)
Smith, Adam	Thompson	Waxman
Snyder	Thurman	Wexler
Spratt	Tierney	Weygand
Stabenow	Torres	Wise
Stark	Towns	Woolsey
Stenholm	Trafigant	Wynn
Stokes	Turner	Yates

NOT VOTING—25

Bateman	Greenwood	Radanovich
Bliley	Hall (TX)	Sandlin
Bunning	Johnson, Sam	Schaefer, Dan
Crapo	Kaptur	Sensenbrenner
DeFazio	Kennelly	Smith (MI)
Dixon	Meehan	Smith (OR)
Dunn	Meek (FL)	Weldon (PA)
Fawell	Miller (CA)	
Gonzalez	Parker	

□ 1624

Mr. RANGEL changed his vote from "yea" to "nay."

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.

### ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 1872, COMMUNICATIONS SATELLITE COMPETITION AND PRIVATIZATION ACT

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, I want to make a very important statement which will concern airplanes taking off this evening, if we can get some quiet.

Mr. Speaker, I have three announcements to make. The first is, we are about to take up the rule on the supplemental. We realize that Members are trying to catch planes and to leave, and there is not a vote expected on the rule. It is mandatory that there be a vote on the supplemental under the Rules of the House.

If we can shorten the debate on the rule and then go directly, without a vote, to the supplemental, we should be out of here so that most Members will be accommodated.

Mr. Speaker, the Committee on Rules will meet next Tuesday, May 5, to grant a rule which will limit the amendments to be offered to H.R. 1872, the Communications Satellite Competition and Privatization Act.

The rule may include a provision requiring amendments to be preprinted in the amendment section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD.

Mr. Speaker, the Committee on Rules is also planning to meet during the week of May 4 to grant a rule for consideration of H.R. 3694, and that is the Intelligence Authorization bill for Fiscal Year 1999.

The Chairman of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence has requested a rule which would require that amendments be preprinted in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD. If this request is granted, amendments to be preprinted would need to be signed by the Member and submitted at the Speaker's table. The amendments would still need to be consistent with