

Deal	Largent	Sensenbrenner
Dicks	Lewis (GA)	Sessions
Edwards	Maloney (NY)	Shadegg
Emerson	McCollum	Shays
Eshoo	McNulty	Smith, Adam
Frelinghuysen	Miller (FL)	Smith, Linda
Gilman	Minge	Souder
Goss	Moran (VA)	Spence
Hall (TX)	Morella	Stark
Hastings (FL)	Myrick	Strickland
Hastings (WA)	Nethercutt	Stump
Hayworth	Obey	Taylor (MS)
Herger	Paul	Thornberry
Hobson	Porter	Thurman
Hoyer	Portman	Tierney
Hunter	Price (NC)	Waxman
Inglis	Rohrabacher	White
Jones	Roukema	Wolf
Kasich	Sabo	Yates
Kennedy (RI)	Salmon	Young (FL)
Kolbe	Schaffer, Bob	

NOT VOTING—50

Archer	Green	Quinn
Bateman	Harman	Rangel
Blunt	Hefley	Reyes
Boucher	Hoekstra	Riggs
Burr	Hyde	Rogers
Burton	Johnson, Sam	Royce
Callahan	King (NY)	Sanford
Conyers	Kingston	Skaggs
DeFazio	Lofgren	Smith (OR)
Deutsch	McCrery	Stenholm
Dixon	McDade	Taylor (NC)
Fawell	Meehan	Torres
Fazio	Meeks (NY)	Towns
Foley	Miller (CA)	Wamp
Furse	Mollohan	Wexler
Gonzalez	Neal	Wicker
Graham	Parker	

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The Clerk announced the following pairs:

On this vote:

Mr. Green for, with Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas against.

Mr. Wicker for, with Mr. Parker against.

Mr. Wamp for, with Mr. Sanford against.

Mr. McDade for, with Mr. Kingston against.

Mr. Burton for, with Mr. Archer against.

Mr. Quinn for, with Mr. Burr of North Carolina against.

Mr. TIERNEY changed his vote from "aye" to "no."

So the conference report was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. GRAHAM. Mr. Speaker, I would like to state that had I been present during the vote on the conference report for H.R. 2400, Building Efficient Surface Transportation and Equity Act, I would have voted "no" on the conference report.

FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A further message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate passed a concurrent resolution of the following title, in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. Con. Res. 99. Concurrent resolution authorizing the flying of the POW/MIA flag.

CORRECTING ENROLLMENT OF H.R. 2400, TRANSPORTATION EQUITY ACT FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

Mr. SHUSTER. Mr. Speaker, I offer a concurrent resolution (H.Con.Res. 282) correcting the enrollment of H.R. 2400, and I ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE). The Clerk will report the concurrent resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

H. CON. RES. 282

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That, in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 2400 the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make the following corrections:

(1) In the table contained in section 1602 of the bill—

(A) strike item 166, relating to Macomb County, Michigan, and insert the following:

No.	State	Project description	[Dollars in Millions]
166.	Michigan	Improvements to Tenth Street (Port Huron) ..	1.8;

(B) after item 1850 insert the following:

No.	State	Project description	[Dollars in Millions]
1851.	Michigan	Bridge-to-Bay bike path, St. Clair County	0.450;

(C) in item 755, relating to Cross Seminole Trail, Florida, strike "1.25" and insert "1.5"; (D) in item 902, relating to St. Johns River Bridge, Florida, strike "10.5" and insert "14.0";

(E) by striking item 242, relating to magnetic lane marking for I-4, Florida, and item 1065, relating to US 1792 in Volusia County, Florida;

(F) in item 702, relating to I-4 in Orlando, Florida, by striking "10.5" and insert "10.0"; (G) in item 770, relating to US-17/92 in Volusia County, Florida, striking "1.35" and insert "1.0";

(H) in item 789, relating to construction of interchange, Orange County, Florida, strike "2.0625" and insert "1.0";

(I) in item 635, relating to Florida National Scenic Trail, strike "1.875" and insert "2.15"; and

(J) in item 1383, relating to improvements to Alden Road, Florida, strike "0.525" and insert "0.35"; and

(2) in section 1212 by striking subsection (v) and inserting the following:

"(v) BOUNDARY WATERS CANOE AREA.—Effective January 1, 1999, section 4 of the Act of October 21, 1978 (Public Law 95-495) is amended—

"(1) by striking subsection (g) and inserting the following:

"(g) Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prevent the operation of motorized vehicles to transport boats across the portages between the Moose Lake Chain and Basswood Lake, Minnesota, and between Vermilion Lake and Trout Lake, Minnesota.; and

"(2) in subsection (c)(2) by striking 'Alder, Cook County; Canoe, Cook County'.

On page 1A-71 line 22, insert after system "\$10,000,000 of such amounts shall be available to the State of Alabama for fiscal year 1999 and 2000".

On page 1B-129, line 10, insert:

"(g)(1) The Secretary shall provide \$10 million for construction of highway 323 between Alzado and the vicinity of Ekalaka, Montana.

"(2) Funds made available shall be available for obligation in the same manner as if funds had been appropriated under Chapter 1 of Title 23.

"(h)(1) The Secretary shall provide \$1.125 million for construction of Third Street North, CSAH 81, Waite Park.

"(2) Funds made available shall be available for delegation in the same manner as if funds had been appropriated under Chapter 1 of Title 23."

Mr. SHUSTER (during the reading). Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the concurrent resolution be considered as read and printed in the RECORD.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Pennsylvania?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. SHUSTER) is recognized for 1 hour.

Mr. SHUSTER. Mr. Speaker, I yield myself such time as I may consume.

Mr. Speaker, this is simply to correct some mistakes that were in the bill, inadvertent mistakes in the bill.

Mr. OBERSTAR. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. SHUSTER. I yield to the gentleman from Minnesota.

Mr. OBERSTAR. Mr. Speaker, I concur with the statement of the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. SHUSTER) that this does correct inadvertent omissions that were made and errors in the tabulation of the bill and support the unanimous consent.

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

The concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. SHUSTER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks on the conference report to accompany the bill, H.R. 2400.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Pennsylvania?

There was no objection.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R.1385, EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING, AND LITERACY ENHANCEMENT ACT OF 1997

Mr. McKEON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 1385) to consolidate, coordinate and improve employment, training, literacy, and vocational rehabilitation programs in the United States, and for other purposes, with a Senate amendment thereto, disagree to the Senate amendment thereto, disagree to the Senate amendment,

and agree to the conference asked by the Senate.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California? The Chair hears none and, without objection, appoints the following conferees: For consideration of the House bill and Senate amendment and modifications committed to conference Messrs. GOODLING, MCKEON, RIGGS, GRAHAM, BOB SCHAFER of Colorado, CLAY, MARTINEZ, and KILDEE.

There was no objection.

DESIGNATION OF HONORABLE FRANK R. WOLF TO ACT AS SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS THROUGH JUNE 3, 1998

The Speaker pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
May 22, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable FRANK R. WOLF to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through June 3, 1998.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the designation is agreed to. There was no objection.

DISPLAYING POW/MIA FLAG AT THE CAPITOL

Mr. PETRI. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent to take from the Speaker's table the Senate concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 99) to display the POW/MIA flag at the Capitol Sunday, May 24, 1998, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the Senate concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the Senate concurrent resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

S. CON. RES. 99

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring). That, for the purpose of section 1082(b)(1)(B) of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998, the display of the POW/MIA flag at the Capitol shall begin at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 24, 1998. As used in this section, the term "POW/MIA flag" has the same meaning as in section 1082 of such Act.

SEC. 2. The Architect of the Capitol may prescribe regulations with respect to the first section of this resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

The Senate concurrent resolution was concurred in.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

AUTHORIZING THE SPEAKER TO ENTERTAIN MOTIONS TO SUSPEND THE RULES ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1998

Mr. PETRI. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that on Wednesday, June 3, 1998, the Speaker be authorized to entertain motions to suspend the rules and pass the following:

H.R. 2604—Religious Liberty and Charitable Donation Protection Act of 1997;

H.R. 3504—John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts Authorization Act;

H.R. 3808—Designating the Carl D. Pursell U.S. Post Office;

H.R. 3630—Designating the Steven Schiff Post Office;

H.R. 2798—Designating the Nancy B. Jefferson Post Office;

H.R. 2799—Designating the Reverend Milton R. Brunson Post Office Building.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON BUDGET TO HAVE UNTIL MIDNIGHT WEDNESDAY, MAY 27, 1998, TO FILE REPORT ON A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON THE BUDGET

Mr. PETRI. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Budget have until midnight Wednesday, June 27, 1998, to file a privileged report on a concurrent resolution on the budget.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Wisconsin?

There was no objection.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. DOOLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, I take this time in order to inquire about the schedule for the week we return.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. DOOLEY of California. I yield to the gentleman from Texas.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I am pleased to announce we have concluded legislative business for the week. Next week, the House will not be in session due to the Memorial Day district work period.

The House will next meet on Wednesday, June 3, at 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. We will consider a number of bills under suspension of the rules, a list of which will be distributed to Members' offices.

On Wednesday, we also hope to consider H.R. 3433, the Ticket to Work and Self-Sufficiency Act of 1998, under a rule.

Members should note that we do not expect any recorded votes before 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, June 3.

The House will meet at 10:00 a.m. on Thursday, June 4, and 9:00 a.m. on Friday, June 5, to take up the following legislation:

H.J.Res. 78—A resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States restoring religious freedom; and a concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1999.

Next week, the House will also continue consideration of H.R. 2183, the Bipartisan Campaign Integrity Act of 1997.

Mr. Speaker, we hope to conclude legislative business for the week by 2:00 p.m. on Friday, June 5.

I thank the gentleman from California (Mr. DOOLEY) for yielding me the time.

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Mr. DOOLEY of California. Mr. Speaker, if I can further inquire, I know there is a lot of interest on both sides of the aisle for when we would, once again, revisit the agricultural research bill. I was interested if the gentleman has any plans on when that might come before the House.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for asking. Of course we are all concerned about getting this matter resolved as soon as possible on behalf of the concerns we had among our American farmers. We are working on that, and I can say that it is my hope that we may be able to do it possibly in the week we return, the week of June 3.

REPORT ON INVESTIGATION OF WHEREABOUTS OF U.S. CITIZENS WHO HAVE BEEN MISSING FROM CYPRUS SINCE 1974—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE) laid before the House the following message from the President of the United States; which was read and, together with accompanying papers, without objection, referred to the Committee on International Relations:
To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with Public Law 103-372, I hereby submit the enclosed "Report to Congress on the Investigation of the Whereabouts of the U.S. Citizens Who Have Been Missing from Cyprus Since 1974." The report was prepared by retired Ambassador Robert S. Dillon, with significant contribution by former State Department Associate Director of Security Edward L. Lee, II. Their intensive investigation centered on Cyprus, but it followed up leads in the United States, Turkey, Greece, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom.

The investigation led to the recovery of partial remains that were identified through DNA testing (done at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology DNA Identification Laboratory) and other evidence as being those of one of the missing Americans, Andreas Kassapis. The report concludes that Mr. Kassapis was killed shortly after