having assumed the chair, Mr. DREIER, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 3756) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, pursuant to House Resolution 475, had come to no resolution thereon.

PROVIDING FOR FURTHER CONSID-ERATION OF H.R. 3756, TREAS-URY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPRO-PRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that during the further consideration of H.R. 3756, in the Committee of the Whole, pursuant to House Resolution 475:

First, the bill be considered as having been read; and

Second, no amendment shall be in order except for the following amendments, which shall be considered as read, shall not be subject to amendment or to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole, and shall be debatable for the time specified, equally divided and controlled by the proponent and a Member opposed:

An amendment by Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, regarding Customs Service, for 10 minutes:

Service, for 10 minutes; An amendment by Mr. DURBIN, regarding firearms disabilities, for 30 minutes;

An amendment by Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, regarding IRS funding for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. TRAFICANT, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. HOYER or Mrs. LOWEY, to strike sections 518 and 519, for 30 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. HOYER, regarding buyouts, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. WOLF, regarding buyouts, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. KINGSTON, regarding customs ports of entry, for 9 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. GUTKNECHT, regarding an across-the-board cut, for 20 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. SANDERS, regarding health maintenance organizations, for 20 minutes;

An amendment by Ms. KAPTUR, regarding China tariffs, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. SOLOMON, regarding a limitation on the Comptroller of the Currency, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. SALMON, regarding the White House Travel Office, for 10 minutes;

An amendment by Mr. HOYER, for 10 minutes; and

An amendment by Mr. GEKAS, for 10 minutes.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Iowa?

Mr. HOYER. Reserving the right to object, Mr. Speaker, and I do not intend to object, this agreement is intending, as I understand it, to give all the amendments that we know about the opportunity to be offered.

In addition, it gives us an opportunity to further discuss the points raised by the gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHNSON] in my amendment, and will then provide for the consideration of the balance of the bill?

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. If the gentleman will yield, that is correct.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I withdraw my reservation of objection.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the unanimous consent request offered by the gentleman from Iowa [Mr. LIGHTFOOT] is agreed to.

There was no objection.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVID-ING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3814, COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mr. SOLOMON, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 104-678) on the resolution (H. Res. 479) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3814) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. HOYER. Parliamentary inquiry, Mr. Speaker.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman will state his parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Speaker, I presume the answer to my question, but the Chair did not say the unanimous-consent request was adopted.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair did say that. The Chair in a very soft voice said "without objection."

Mr. HOYER. If the Speaker said that, then we are confident that it is done.

TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPRO-PRIATIONS ACT, 1997

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 475 and rule XXIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill, H.R. 3756.

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Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3756) making appropriations for the

Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, with Mr. DREIER in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN. When the Committee of the Whole rose just a few moments ago, pending was the amendment offered by the gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHNSON].

The bill had been read through page 31, line 14. At the conclusion of the Johnson amendment the Chair will announce the further procedures pursuant to the order of the House.

The Chair recognizes the gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHN-SON] for 5 minutes in support of her amendment.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. Mr. Chairman, this amendment strikes language in title I of the bill.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. HOYER. Parliamentary inquiry, Mr. Chairman.

The CHAIRMAN. The gentleman will state it.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, I want to know where we are now. I would not have agreed to the unanimous-consent request if I did not think we were going to terminate proceedings of the bill at this time. That was the understanding that I had, and that was the understanding under which I gave unanimous consent.

If that is not the case, I cannot withdraw my unanimous-consent agreement, but that was my understanding, and the bill would proceed much more slowly tonight if my understanding was incorrect.

The CHAIRMAN. The Johnson amendment was pending when the Committee rose.

Mr. HOYER. I understand that, Mr. Chairman.

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. There was so much confusion.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, I ask unanimous consent to proceed for 1 minute out of order to determine what we are doing.

The CHAIRMAN. The gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHNSON] controls 5 minutes in support of her amendment. Does she wish to yield for the purpose of a colloquy?

Ms. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I am happy to yield to the gentleman from Iowa [Mr. LIGHTFOOT].

The CHAIRMAN. To whom does the gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHNSON] yield?

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I yield to the gentleman from Iowa [Mr. LIGHTFOOT] for a colloquy with the gentleman from Maryland [Mr. HOYER].

The CHAIRMAN. Would the gentlewoman yield to the gentleman from Maryland?

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, will the gentlewoman yield?

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I yield to the gentleman from Maryland [Mr. HOYER].

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, there has been a misunderstanding here. I want to ask the chairman a question, because apparently I misunderstood.

I was sitting over here, obviously trying to keep track of the debate while there were discussions about what we were doing on the bill. I was brought a paper with the amendments, and I know the gentleman added a couple, and that was fine, and I did not object. But very frankly, I did not object on the premise that we were going to suspend further proceedings of the bill at this time. I was told that. That may have been an error, but that is what I was told.

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. Mr. Chairman, will the gentlewoman yield?

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I yield to the gentleman from Iowa.

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. Mr. Chairman, I think we can straighten this out. The gentlewoman from Connecticut [Mrs. JOHNSON] got on her feet to offer her amendment before I asked for the unanimous consent request. So therefore, when we came back, we came back to her amendment. I did include her amendment on that sheet that the gentleman has in front of him, so we can resolve this very quickly if the gentlewoman wants to go ahead and hold over her amendment until tomorrow, as it was in the unanimous consent request. I think that will solve the problem.

[^] Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I could do that, but my amendment is very, very brief. It would save me coming back tomorrow.

Mr. HOYER. If the gentlewoman will continue to yield, Mr. Chairman, the problem is, I have a number of people on this side of the aisle who tell me their amendments are very, very brief.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut. I am happy to ask unanimous consent to withdraw my amendment, Mr. Chairman, without prejudice for tomorrow.

The CHAIRMAN. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Connecticut?

There was no objection.

The CHAIRMAN. Who seeks recognition? Does the chairman of the subcommittee seek recognition?

Mr. HOYER. Are we going to rise, Mr. Chairman?

The CHAIRMAN. For what purpose does the gentleman from Iowa rise?

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise. Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, is the

question on the motion to rise? The CHAIRMAN. Does the gentleman

from Iowa [Mr. LIGHTFOOT] wish the Chair to resume consideration of the two postponed votes on the Gutknecht amendment and Metcalf amendment?

(By unanimous consent, Mr. ARMEY was allowed to speak out to order.) ORDER OF BUSINESS

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Chairman, might I suggest that we take at this time the two votes that are ordered on amend-

ments related to this bill and then perhaps if we have agreement with everyone, we would take the votes on the suspension calendar tomorrow morning.

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Chairman, I reserve the right to object. The CHAIRMAN. The Chair has the

The CHAIRMAN. The Chair has the authority to put the postponed questions before the Committee.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Chairman, I was not making a unanimous-consent request. I do not know what the gentleman is objecting to. I am making a recommendation to the body. I think it would be helpful to take the two votes now on the two amendments. I think it would also be helpful to a lot of our Members if after we take those two amendment votes, we deferred voting on the suspensions until tomorrow.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Chairman, will the gentleman yield on that suggestion?

Mr. ARMEY. I yield to the gentleman from Wisconsin.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Chairman, let me simply say, I do not have a dog in this fight, and I do not care what we do on these amendments. All I know is that there are a considerable number of Members on both sides of the aisle who are very much pressing to have a time agreement tonight because they have serious scheduling problems. They were expecting, and indeed hoping, that all of the votes would be rolled until tomorrow.

I have no problems. I can stay here and vote on all of these. But I know a number of Members who are extremely exasperated about it and I wonder if the majority leader has any specific reason as to why we could not do that.

Mr. ARMEY. If the gentleman would allow me to reclaim my time, why do we not go ahead, take the two votes, and then we can maybe all of us who have a concern discuss this during the course of the time of those two votes?

Mr. OBEY. We are talking about the two votes in question that the gentleman is suggesting be voted on right now.

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Chairman, will the gentleman yield?

Mr. ARMEY. I yield to the gentleman from California.

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Chairman, the only reservation that I would have raised if I had an opportunity to raise a reservation was that one of these amendments apparently has a very significant impact upon the conference members who have not had an opportunity to discuss this in conference, and there are a number who feel very strongly they need an opportunity to discuss it with their leadership before they have this vote on the floor. If we now have the vote, we will go, but the leadership should hear from them before they have such a discussion

Mr. ARMEY. I appreciate the gentleman's point and I have no doubt that the gentleman is absolutely correct. But, Mr. Chairman, again might I suggest that we take the two votes on the

two amendments that are pending on this bill and then with the agreement of the Members I think we would be able then to roll the earlier ordered suspension votes until tomorrow. That is what I would recommend.

The CHAIRMAN. Unless there is a motion to rise, the Chair will put the question on the two amendments.

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Point of order, Mr. Chairman. The gentleman from Iowa will have to withdraw his motion to rise, Mr. Chairman. There was a motion to rise. Just to keep the process correct.

The CHAIRMAN. The gentleman from Iowa was seated and has not renewed his motion to rise. The gentleman is seated and the Chair has never put the question to the committee.

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. I thank the Chairman.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. HOYER. Parliamentary inquiry, Mr. Chairman.

The CHAIRMAN. The gentleman will state it.

Mr. HOYER. Mr. Chairman, as a precedent, if one makes a motion to adjourn and sits down, the motion to adjourn dies. Is that the ruling of the Chair?

The CHAIRMAN. The Chair has not recognized the gentleman from Iowa for the purpose of renewing his motion to rise after the intervening debate.

Mr. HOYER. That reason I understand and I will not press the issue.

SEQUENTIAL VOTES POSTPONED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to House Resolution 475, proceedings will now resume on those amendments on which further proceedings were postponed in the following order: The amendment offered by the gentleman from Washington [Mr. METCALF] and the amendment offered by the gentleman from Minnesota [Mr. GUTKNECHT].

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. METCALF

The CHAIRMAN. the pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Washington [Mr. METCALF] on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the ayes prevailed by voice vote.

The Clerk will redesignate the amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. The Chair will reduce to 5 minutes the time for a recorded vote after this vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 352, noes 67, not voting 14, as follows:

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MOORHEAD, RANGEL Messrs. FRANK of Massachusetts, and changed their vote STUDDS from 'aye'' to ''no.'

Mr. BRYANT of Texas changed his vote from "no" to "aye."

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. GUTKNECHT The CHAIRMAN. The pending business is the demand for a recorded vote on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Minnesota ĺMr. GUTKNECHT], on which further proceedings were postponed and on which the noes prevailed by voice vote.

will redesignate the The Clerk amendment.

The Clerk redesignated the amendment.

RECORDED VOTE

The CHAIRMAN. A recorded vote has been demanded.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The CHAIRMAN. This will be a 5minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were-ayes 267, noes 150, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 318]

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Roemer

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

Mr. PORTER changed his vote from "no" to "ave."

So the amendment was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Mr. LIGHTFOOT. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise. The motion was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. LONGLEY) having assumed the chair, Mr. DREIR, Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 3756) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

REPORT ON H.R. 3816, ENERGY AND WATER DEVELOPMENT APPRO-PRIATIONS ACT, 1997

Mr. MYERS of Indiana, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 104-679), on the bill (H.R. 3816) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes, which was referred to the Union Calendar and ordered to be printed.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. All points of order are reserved on the bill.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The suspension votes postponed earlier today will be further postponed until tomorrow.

PRIVATE CALENDAR

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is Private Calendar day. The Clerk will call the first individual bill on the Private Calendar.

NORTON R. GIRAULT

The Clerk called the bill (H.R. 2001) for the relief of Norton R. Girault.

There being no objection, the Clerk read the bill as follows:

H.R. 2001

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. WAIVER OF TIME LIMITATIONS.

The time limitations set forth in section 3702(b) of title 31, United States Code, shall not apply with respect to a claim for the disbursement of pay due by the Department of the Navy to Norton R. Girault, United States Navy (retired), of Norfolk, Virginia. The amounts due are represented by the following checks that were received but not negotiated by Norton R. Girault:

(1) Treasury check number 3,825,188, dated August 14, 1964, in the amount of \$497.00 for salary and expenses.

(2) Treasury check dated August 28, 1964, in the amount of \$497,000 for salary and expenses.

(3) Treasury check number 3,920,649, dated September 25, 1964, in the amount of \$507.00 for salary and expenses.

(4) Treasury check number 3,928,498, dated October 9, 1964, in the amount of \$507.00 for salary and expenses.

(5) Treasury check number 3,936,639, dated October 23, 1964, in the amount of \$507.00 for salary and expenses.

(6) Treasury check number 4,028,503, dated November 20, 1964, in the amount of \$507.00 for salary and expenses.

(7) Treasury check number 4,026,315, dated December 4 1964 in the amount of \$507.00 for salary and expenses.

(8) Treasury check number 4,098,736, dated January 15, 1965, in the amount of \$532.00 for salary and expenses.

(9) Treasury check number 4,153,425, dated February 12, 1965, in the amount of \$453.00 for salary and expenses.

(10) Treasury check number 4,191,812, dated February 26, 1965, in the amount of \$488.00 for salary and expenses.

(11) Treasury check number 4,247,128, dated March 12, 1965, in the amount of \$558.00 for salary and expenses.

(12) Treasury check number 4,252,764, dated March 26, 1965, in the amount of \$488.00 for salary and expenses.

(13) Treasury check number 4,655,442, dated May 7, 1965, in the amount of \$488.00 for salary and expenses.

(14) Treasury check number 4,320,091, dated May 21, 1965, in the amount of \$488.00 for salary and expenses.

(15) Treasury check dated August 26, 1965, in the amount of \$506.00 for salary and expenses.

(16) Treasury check dated October 21, 1965, in the amount of \$530.00 for salary and expenses.

(17) Treasury check dated November 18, 1965, in the amount of \$529.00 for salary and expenses.

(18) Treasury check dated December 2, 1965, in the amount of \$529.00 for salary and expenses.

(19) Treasury check dated July 28, 1966, in the amount of \$544.00 for salary and expenses.

(20) Treasury check dated August 25, 1966, in the amount of \$531.00 for salary and ex-(21) Treasury check number 6.368.406. dated

January 25, 1968, in the amount of \$525.00 for salary and expenses.

SEC. 2. DEADLINE.

Section 1 shall apply only if Norton R. Girault or his authorized representative submit a claim pursuant to such subsection before the expiration of the 1-year period beginning on the date of the enactment of this Āct.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

NATHAN C. VANCE

The Clerk called the Senate bill (S. 966) for the relief of Nathan C. Vance, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Clerk read the Senate bill as follows:

S. 966

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.

SECTION 1. PAYMENT TO NATHAN C. VANCE.

(a) PAYMENT.-Subject to subsection (b) and (c), the Secretary of Agriculture shall pay \$4,850.00 to Nathan C. Vance of Wyoming for fire loss arising out of the Mink Area Fire in and around Yellowstone National Park in 1988.

(b) SOURCE OF FUNDS.—The Secretary of the Treasury shall pay the amount specified in subsection (a) from amounts made available under section 1304 of title 31, United States Code.

(c) CONDITION OF PAYMENT.—The payment made pursuant to subsection (a) shall be in full satisfaction of the claim of Nathan C. Vance against the United States, for fire loss arising out of the Mink Area Fire, that was received by the Forest Service in August 1990.

The Senate bill was ordered to be read a third time, was read the third time, and passed, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This concludes the call of the Private Calendar.

SPECIAL ORDERS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of May 12, 1995, and under a previous order of the House, the following Members will be recognized for 5 minutes each.

INTRODUCING THE YOUTH PRO-TECTION FROM TOBACCO ADDIC-TION ACT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from Utah [Mr. HANSEN] is recognized for 5 minutes.