

Ewing	Klug	Rangel	McKeon	Radanovich	Stump
Farr	LaFalce	Reed	Metcalf	Regula	Talent
Fattah	LaHood	Richardson	Mica	Riggs	Tate
Fazio	Lantos	Rivers	Molinari	Roberts	Tauzin
Fligner	Latham	Roemer	Mollohan	Rogers	Taylor (NC)
Flake	Lazio	Rose	Montgomery	Rohrabacher	Thomas
Foglietta	Leach	Roukema	Moorhead	Ros-Lehtinen	Thornberry
Foley	Levin	Roybal-Allard	Murtha	Roth	Tiahrt
Forbes	Lewis (GA)	Rush	Myers	Royce	Trafigant
Ford	Lincoln	Sabo	Myrick	Salmon	Upton
Fox	Lipinski	Sanders	Nethercutt	Scarborough	Vucanovich
Frank (MA)	LoBiondo	Sanford	Neumann	Schaefer	Walker
Franks (CT)	Lofgren	Sawyer	Norwood	Schiff	Walsh
Franks (NJ)	Lowey	Saxton	Nussle	Seastrand	Wamp
Frelinghuysen	Luther	Schroeder	Ortiz	Sensenbrenner	Watts (OK)
Frost	Maloney	Schumer	Orton	Shadegg	Weldon (FL)
Furse	Manton	Scott	Oxley	Shuster	Weller
Gejdenson	Markey	Serrano	Packard	Skeen	White
Gephardt	Martini	Shaw	Parker	Smith (MI)	Whitfield
Geren	Mascara	Shays	Paxon	Smith (TX)	Wicker
Gibbons	Matsui	Sisisky	Petri	Smith (WA)	Wilson
Gilchrest	McCarthy	Skaggs	Pombo	Solomon	Wolf
Gilman	McDermott	Skelton	Porter	Souder	Young (AK)
Gonzalez	McHale	Slaughter	Portman	Spence	Young (FL)
Goodlatte	McKinney	Smith (NJ)	Pryce	Stearns	Zeliff
Gordon	McNulty	Spratt	Quillen	Stenholm	
Goss	Meehan	Stark	Quinn	Stockman	
Green	Meek	Stokes			
Greenwood	Menendez	Studds			
Gutierrez	Meyers	Stupak	Fields (LA)	Tucker	
Hall (OH)	Mfume	Tanner	Houghton	Waldholtz	
Hamilton	Miller (CA)	Taylor (MS)			
Harman	Miller (FL)	Tejeda			
Hastings (FL)	Minge	Thompson			
Hefner	Mink	Thornton			
Hilliard	Moakley	Thurman			
Hinchey	Moran	Torkildsen			
Holden	Morella	Torres			
Horn	Nadler	Torricelli			
Hoyer	Neal	Towns			
Jackson-Lee	Ney	Velazquez			
Jacobs	Oberstar	Vento			
Jefferson	Obey	Visclosky			
Johnson (CT)	Olver	Volkmer			
Johnson (SD)	Owens	Ward			
Johnson, E. B.	Pallone	Waters			
Johnston	Pastor	Watt (NC)			
Kanjorski	Payne (NJ)	Waxman			
Kaptur	Payne (VA)	Weldon (PA)			
Kasich	Pelosi	Williams			
Kelly	Peterson (FL)	Wise			
Kennedy (MA)	Peterson (MN)	Woolsey			
Kennedy (RI)	Pickett	Wyden			
Kennelly	Pomeroy	Wynn			
Kildee	Poshard	Yates			
Klecza	Rahall	Zimmer			
Klink	Ramstad				

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Allard	Crane	Hayes
Archer	Crapo	Hayworth
Armey	Creameans	Hefley
Bachus	Cubin	Heineman
Baker (CA)	Cunningham	Herger
Baker (LA)	Deal	Hilleary
Ballenger	DeLay	Hobson
Barr	Diaz-Balart	Hoekstra
Barrett (NE)	Dickey	Hoke
Bartlett	Dicks	Hostettler
Barton	Dooley	Hunter
Bateman	Doolittle	Hutchinson
Bishop	Dornan	Hyde
Bliley	Dreier	Inglis
Boehner	Duncan	Istook
Bonilla	Dunn	Johnson, Sam
Bono	Ehrlich	Jones
Brownback	Emerson	Kim
Bryant (TN)	Ensign	King
Bunn	Everett	Kingston
Bunning	Fawell	Knollenberg
Burr	Fields (TX)	Kolbe
Burton	Flanagan	Largent
Buyer	Fowler	LaTourette
Callahan	Frisa	Laughlin
Calvert	Funderburk	Lewis (CA)
Camp	Galleghy	Lewis (KY)
Canady	Ganske	Lightfoot
Chambliss	Gekas	Linder
Chenoweth	Gillmor	Livingston
Christensen	Gingrich	Longley
Chrysler	Goodling	Lucas
Clinger	Graham	Manzullo
Coble	Gunderson	Martinez
Coburn	Gutknecht	McCollum
Collins (GA)	Hall (TX)	McCrery
Combest	Hancock	McDade
Condit	Hansen	McHugh
Cooley	Hastert	McInnis
Cox	Hastings (WA)	McIntosh

further business could take us to as late as 10 o'clock this evening.

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

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

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Speaker, I thank the majority leader for yielding.

I would just like to ask, as you know, there is considerable discussion about a possible continuing resolution this evening. When might we get the language that the gentleman is talking about so that we have some opportunity to review it before we are asked to debate it?

□ 1745

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, the language we are discussing will be at the Committee on Rules, and they will be taking it up when we go up. Obviously the gentleman will have a keen interest in that, and we would try to make sure that the gentleman has a copy as well at the Committee on Rules.

Mr. OBEY. Is there any opportunity to get that language before we get up to the Committee on Rules, so we know what it is we are being asked to do in the Committee on Rules?

Mr. ARMEY. We will try to get the gentleman a copy as soon as we have it.

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

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

Mr. BONIOR. Mr. Speaker, could the majority leader advise the rest of the Members what he anticipates for the rest of this week in the way of legislation on the floor?

Mr. ARMEY. I thank the gentleman. We do anticipate we will take up the gift ban and the lobbying reform bills tomorrow. We would expect conference reports, of course, at any time, and do anticipate some conference reports. Then, of course, on Friday we anticipate the House considering the Balanced Budget Act of 1995.

Mr. BONIOR. May I ask the gentleman from Texas if he anticipates the Hefley bill to be brought up with respect to Bosnia?

Mr. ARMEY. I appreciate the point. Yes, it is possible. Members should be advised it is possible that the Hefley bill will be brought up later this week. I cannot give the gentleman any definite information at this time.

Mr. BONIOR. Could the distinguished majority leader tell us what plans he has for the Members on this weekend?

Mr. ARMEY. I thank the gentleman for asking. As the gentleman knows, we would expect to pass the Balanced Budget Act out of the House on Friday. We would send it over to the other body. We would anticipate their action, and we would need to be prepared to act on any alterations they might make.

I am telling Members on my side to be prepared to stay here perhaps Friday night, and perhaps even Saturday. As a matter of fact, I have even cautioned Members that the possibility of

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Fields (LA) Tucker
Houghton Waldholtz

□ 1735

Mr. PACKARD, Mrs. CUBIN and Mr. TIAHRT changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Messrs. WYDEN, POMEROY, BERMAN, NEY, SAXTON, PETERSON of Minnesota, SMITH of New Jersey, BILIRAKIS, BASS, TORKILDSEN, DAVIS, EWING, WILLIAMS, and LAHOOD changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So the motion to recommit was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid upon the table.

LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

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

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask for this time for the purpose of announcing the schedule.

Mr. Speaker, I appreciate the time given to me by the Members so that I might be able to advise our Members about the program for the rest of the evening.

Mr. Speaker, in just a moment, we will be asking that the House go into a recess. The recess should last until 6:30 or sometime between 6:30 and 7.

During that time, the Committee on Rules will be meeting. The Members should be prepared for the House to reconvene on additional business between 6:30 and 7. We would be at that point taking up, if there is additional business, we will be taking up an hour's debate on a rule so that the Members should be advised that they should anticipate another vote this evening and perhaps another two or three votes this evening, but that the first vote would be at around 7:30 or thereabouts, assuming we can come back from the recess at 6:30.

We would have an hour's debate time on a rule between now and then. Any

a Sunday session would not necessarily be out of the question, but I would hope that that would not be the case.

Mr. BONIOR. I thank the gentleman.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess until 6:30 p.m.

Accordingly (at 5 o'clock and 47 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess until 6:30 p.m.

□ 1838

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. MCINNIS) at 6:38 p.m.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12 of Rule I, the House will stand in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 6 o'clock and 39 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

□ 1945

AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. HASTINGS of Washington) at 7:45 p.m.

FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate recedes from its amendment numbered 115 to the bill (H.R. 1868) "An Act making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes."

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2020) "An Act making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes."

The message also announced that the Senate recedes from its amendment numbered 132 to the above-entitled bill.

REREFERRAL OF H.R. 2552, JAMIE WHITTEN WILDERNESS AREA, TO THE COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL SECURITY

Mr. STUMP. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the bill, H.R. 2552, a bill to transfer the Tatum salt

dome property to the State of Mississippi to be designated by the State as the Jamie Whitten Wilderness Area, be rereferred to the Committee on National Security.

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

There was no objection.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIRMAN OF THE DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the chairman of the Democratic caucus:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS,
Washington, DC, November 13, 1995.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to inform you that Representative Mike Parker is no longer a member of the Democratic Caucus.

Sincerely,

VIC FAZIO,
Chairman.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 15, 1995.

Hon. BUD SHUSTER
Chairman Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: This is to advise you that Representative Mike Parker's election to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure has been automatically vacated pursuant to clause 6(b) of rule X, effective today.

Sincerely,

NEWT GINGRICH.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SPEAKER

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 15, 1995.

Hon. JOHN R. KASICH,
Chairman, Committee on the Budget, Cannon House Office Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: This is to advise you that Representative Mike Parker's appointment to the Committee on the Budget has been automatically vacated pursuant to clause 6(b) of rule X, effective today.

Sincerely,

NEWT GINGRICH.

WAIVING REQUIREMENT OF CLAUSE 4(b) OF RULE XI WITH RESPECT TO CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON RULES

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, by direction of the Committee on Rules, I call up House Resolution 265 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the resolution, as follows:

H. RES. 265

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 on or before the legislative day of November 23, 1995, providing for consideration or disposition of any bill or joint resolution that includes provisions making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, any amendment thereto, any conference report thereon, or any amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon. In no case shall this resolution apply to a resolution providing for consideration or disposition of a bill that is a reconciliation bill within the meaning of section 310 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, any amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The gentleman from Florida [Mr. DIAZ-BALART] is recognized for 1 hour.

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, for the purpose of debate only, I yield the customary 30 minutes to the gentleman from California [Mr. Beilenson], pending which I yield myself such time as I may consume.

During consideration of this resolution, all time yielded is for the purpose of debate only.

(Mr. DIAZ-BALART asked and was given permission to revise and extend his remarks and to include extraneous material.)

Mr. DIAZ-BALART. Mr. Speaker, House Resolution 265 waives clause 4(b) of rule XI—which requires a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee—against the same-day consideration of resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules on or before the legislative day of November 23, 1995, for the consideration or disposition of any measure making further continuing appropriations.

In addition, the rule clarifies that the provisions of House Resolution 265 do not apply to any reconciliation measures.

Mr. Speaker, House Resolution 265 is an expedited procedure to facilitate the same-day consideration of urgent legislative matters. The Rules Committee does not waive the two-thirds requirement very often—10 times by the last Congress under a Democratic majority, and considered and adopted 5 of those times by the full House—and the committee has been very diligent in reserving this waiver for only the most urgent fiscal year matters this Congress—twice this year—and only considered this one time today on the floor by the full House.

House Resolution 265 is necessary to expedite legislation to pay the Federal Government's bills and allow furloughed Federal employees to return to work as quickly as possible. The House has now passed all 13 requisite appropriations bills. While differences over the remaining 10 or so individual spending bills that have not been signed into law are being negotiated