

Spratt	Taylor (MS)	Visclosky	Wicker	Wise	Wu
Stabenow	Thompson (CA)	Watt (NC)	Wilson	Wolf	Wynn
Stark	Thurman	Waxman			
Tanner	Towns	Weiner			
Tauscher	Udall (CO)	Young (AK)			

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Ackerman	Gibbons	Obey
Aderholt	Gilchrest	Ortiz
Andrews	Gillmor	Ose
Army	Gilman	Owens
Baca	Goode	Packard
Bachus	Goodlatte	Pallone
Baird	Gordon	Pascrell
Baldacci	Goss	Pastor
Baldwin	Graham	Paul
Barcia	Granger	Pease
Barr	Green (TX)	Peterson (PA)
Barrett (WI)	Greenwood	Petri
Bartlett	Gutierrez	Phelps
Bass	Hall (TX)	Pickering
Bateman	Hansen	Pombo
Becerra	Hastert	Portman
Berry	Hayes	Price (NC)
Biggert	Hayworth	Pryce (OH)
Bilbray	Herger	Rahall
Bilirakis	Hill (MT)	Ramstad
Bishop	Hilleary	Rangel
Bliley	Hilliard	Regula
Blumenauer	Hinojosa	Reyes
Blunt	Hoeffel	Reynolds
Boehlert	Holt	Riley
Bonilla	Hooley	Roemer
Bonior	Horn	Rogan
Boswell	Hulshof	Rogers
Boucher	Hunter	Rohrabacher
Brady (TX)	Hutchinson	Ros-Lehtinen
Brown (OH)	Hyde	Rothman
Bryant	Inslee	Roukema
Burr	Isakson	Roybal-Allard
Calvert	Istook	Royce
Campbell	Jackson-Lee	Rush
Canady	(TX)	Ryun (KS)
Cannon	Johnson, E. B.	Salmon
Capps	Jones (NC)	Sanchez
Capuano	Jones (OH)	Sanford
Cardin	Kanjorski	Saxton
Castle	Kasich	Scarborough
Chenoweth-Hage	Kelly	Schaffer
Clayton	Kildee	Scott
Clement	Kind (WI)	Sessions
Coble	King (NY)	Shaw
Collins	Klecza	Shays
Combest	Knollenberg	Sherman
Cooksey	Kolbe	Sherwood
Costello	Kucinich	Shimkus
Cox	Kuykendall	Simpson
Coyne	Largent	Skeen
Cramer	Latham	Smith (MI)
Crane	LaTourrette	Smith (NJ)
Crowley	Lazio	Smith (TX)
Cubin	Leach	Smith (WA)
Cummings	Lee	Souder
Cunningham	Levin	Spence
Davis (IL)	Lewis (CA)	Stearns
Davis (VA)	Lewis (GA)	Stenholm
Deal	Linder	Strickland
DeFazio	LoBiondo	Stump
DeGette	Lofgren	Stupak
DeLauro	Lucas (KY)	Sununu
DeLay	Lucas (OK)	Sweeney
Deutsch	Luther	Talent
Diaz-Balart	Maloney (CT)	Tancredo
Dickey	Manzullo	Tauzin
Dingell	Mascara	Terry
Dixon	McCarthy (NY)	Thomas
Doggett	McCollum	Thompson (MS)
Doolittle	McCrery	Thornberry
Doyle	McGovern	Thune
Dreier	McInnis	Tiahrt
Duncan	McKinney	Tierney
Dunn	Meeks (NY)	Toomey
Ehlers	Menendez	Traficant
Ehrlich	Metcalf	Turner
Emerson	Mica	Udall (NM)
English	Millender	Upton
Etheridge	McDonald	Velazquez
Everett	Miller (FL)	Vitter
Ewing	Miller, George	Walden
Fletcher	Moakley	Walsh
Foley	Mollohan	Wamp
Fowler	Moran (KS)	Watkins
Franks (NJ)	Morella	Watts (OK)
Frelinghuysen	Myrick	Weldon (FL)
Frost	Nethercutt	Weller
Galleghy	Ney	Wexler
Ganske	Norwood	Weygand
Gejdenson	Nussle	Whitfield
Gekas	Oberstar	

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Berman	Holden	Shuster
Callahan	Jenkins	Taylor (NC)
Clay	Klink	Vento
Cook	Markey	Waters
Filner	Martinez	Weldon (PA)
Goodling	McIntosh	Woolsey
Hastings (WA)	McNulty	Young (FL)

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Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Messrs. DEUTSCH, MCGOVERN, and HILLIARD changed their vote from "aye" to "no."

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

REDUCING TIME FOR GENERAL DEBATE AND CONSIDERATION OF AMENDMENTS ON H.R. 1304, QUALITY HEALTH-CARE COALITION ACT OF 2000

Mr. CONYERS. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent during consideration of H.R. 1304 to reduce the time for general debate to 10 minutes on each side, and I ask unanimous consent to reduce the time for debate on each amendment to 5 minutes for the proponent and 5 minutes for the opponents, except for the Coburn amendment, I ask for 7½ minutes on each side.

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

There was no objection.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Mr. CONYERS. Mr. Speaker, a parliamentary inquiry.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. NUSSLE). The gentleman will state his parliamentary inquiry.

Mr. CONYERS. Does the Speaker have the authority to roll the votes in the interest of saving time tonight?

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House will have the authority to postpone and cluster votes on amendments.

QUALITY HEALTH-CARE COALITION ACT OF 2000

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 542 and rule XVIII, the Chair declares the House in the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the bill, H.R. 1304.

□ 2259

IN THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Accordingly, the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 1304) to ensure and foster continued patient safety and quality of care by making the antitrust laws apply to negotia-

tions between groups of health care professionals and health plans and health insurance issuers in the same manner as such laws apply to collective bargaining by labor organizations under the National Labor Relations Act, with Mr. SHIMKUS in the chair.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The CHAIRMAN. Pursuant to the rule, the bill is considered as having been read the first time.

Pursuant to the order of the House, the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. HYDE) and the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. CONYERS) each will control 10 minutes.

The Chair recognizes the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. HYDE).

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Mr. HYDE. Mr. Chairman, I yield 5 minutes to the gentleman from California (Mr. CAMPBELL) and 5 minutes to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BOEHNER), and I ask unanimous consent that they be permitted to control that time.

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

There was no objection.

Mr. CAMPBELL. Mr. Chairman, I yield 2½ minutes to the gentleman from Florida (Mr. WELDON).

Mr. WELDON of Florida. Mr. Chairman, I thank the gentleman for yielding me this time. I rise in support of the bill, and I wanted to relate to my colleagues in the Chamber my experience on this issue, the very issue we are discussing today.

Many years before I got elected to the U.S. House, and as most of my colleagues know, I am a physician; we had an insurance company come to the community offering a product, they called it a PPO, Preferred Provider Organization, or network; and it had a fee schedule in it that was substantially below what was the prevailing rates in the communities. So a whole bunch of the providers, the doctors in the community, were concerned about this because this was a big company, it insured a lot of people. So we all agreed to gather together in a hotel ballroom to discuss this issue, and we invited an attorney to join us and asked him to get up first and explain to us the antitrust laws so that we would not run afoul of antitrust.

So we allowed him to speak, and he got up and he said, if you want to stay out of trouble, go home. You can't talk about this. If you discuss it at all, you can be prosecuted. So we all went home.

Now, back in those days there was one group that had about 20 doctors, a few other small groups, and then a lot of solo practitioners. Now, in that community there are four large groups, my group, which had 20 doctors, has 100 doctors, and there is virtually no solo practitioners left. That is really what this bill is about.

We are talking about the solo pediatrician, the two-man group, the family practitioner who operates alone, being