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The House met at 6 p.m.

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer: Lord of the Sabbath, God of creation and our redemption, we praise You and we bless You as this weekend draws to a close.

In places of worship, Your people have gathered to reflect on Your word and offer You thanks for Your many blessings showered across this vast Nation.

Be with us now in the spirit of peace.

May the endeavors of this evening help bring the work of this Congress to its completion, so that, united in faith

and with our families, we may enter into Your rest.

You are with us now and forever.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, I demand a vote

on agreeing to the Speaker's approval of the Journal.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question was taken; and the Speaker announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

Mr. McNULTY. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

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WILLIAM M. THOMAS, *Chairman*.

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The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 286, nays 42, not voting 104, as follows:

[Roll No. 574]

YEAS—286

Aderholt	Gallely	Norwood
Andrews	Ganske	Nussle
Army	Gekas	Obey
Baca	Gephardt	Ortiz
Bachus	Gibbons	Ose
Baker	Gilchrest	Packard
Baldacci	Gonzalez	Pascarell
Baldwin	Gordon	Paul
Ballenger	Goss	Payne
Barcia	Graham	Pease
Barrett (NE)	Granger	Pelosi
Barrett (WI)	Green (TX)	Peterson (PA)
Bartlett	Green (WI)	Petri
Barton	Hall (OH)	Phelps
Bass	Hall (TX)	Pickering
Bentsen	Hansen	Pitts
Berkley	Hastings (WA)	Pombo
Berman	Hayes	Pomeroy
Berry	Hayworth	Porter
Biggert	Herger	Portman
Billirakis	Hill (IN)	Price (NC)
Blagojevich	Hill (MT)	Radanovich
Bliley	Hilleary	Rahall
Blumenauer	Hinojosa	Rangel
Blunt	Hobson	Regula
Boehler	Hoeffel	Reyes
Boehner	Hoekstra	Reynolds
Bonilla	Holden	Rivers
Bonior	Hooley	Rodriguez
Bono	Horn	Roemer
Boswell	Hostettler	Rogan
Boyd	Houghton	Rogers
Brady (TX)	Hunter	Rohrabacher
Brown (OH)	Hutchinson	Ros-Lehtinen
Bryant	Inslee	Roukema
Burr	Isakson	Roybal-Allard
Burton	Istook	Royce
Buyer	Jackson (IL)	Rush
Callahan	Jefferson	Ryan (WI)
Calvert	Jenkins	Ryun (KS)
Camp	John	Salmon
Canady	Johnson, Sam	Sanders
Cannon	Jones (NC)	Sandlin
Capps	Jones (OH)	Sanford
Cardin	Kelly	Sawyer
Carson	Kildee	Saxton
Castle	Kind (WI)	Scarborough
Chabot	King (NY)	Scott
Chambliss	Kleczka	Sensenbrenner
Clement	Knollenberg	Serrano
Coble	Kuykendall	Sessions
Collins	LaHood	Shadegg
Combest	Lampson	Sherman
Cook	Largent	Sherwood
Cox	Larson	Shimkus
Coyne	Leach	Shows
Cramer	Levin	Simpson
Cubin	Lewis (CA)	Sisisky
Cummings	Lewis (KY)	Skeen
Cunningham	Linder	Skelton
Davis (FL)	Lofgren	Smith (MI)
Davis (VA)	Lucas (KY)	Smith (NJ)
Deal	Lucas (OK)	Smith (TX)
DeGette	Luther	Smith (WA)
DeLauro	Manzullo	Souder
DeLay	Markey	Spence
DeMint	Mascara	Stearns
Deutsch	Matsui	Strickland
Diaz-Balart	McCarthy (MO)	Stump
Dicks	McCarthy (NY)	Sununu
Dingell	McCrery	Tanner
Dixon	McHugh	Tauscher
Doggett	McKeon	Tauzin
Doolittle	McKinney	Taylor (NC)
Doyle	McNulty	Terry
Dreier	Meeks (NY)	Thomas
Duncan	Mica	Thornberry
Dunn	Miller (FL)	Thune
Edwards	Miller, Gary	Thurman
Ehlers	Minge	Tiahrt
Ehrlich	Mink	Tierney
Emerson	Moakley	Toomey
Eshoo	Mollohan	Trafficant
Etheridge	Moore	Turner
Evans	Morella	Udall (CO)
Everett	Murtha	Upton
Ewing	Myrick	Vitter
Farr	Nadler	Walden
Fletcher	Napolitano	Walsh
Foley	Nethercutt	Wamp
Frelinghuysen	Ney	Waters
Frost	Northup	Watt (NC)

Waxman
Weldon (FL)
Weldon (PA)
Wexler

Whitfield
Wilson
Wolf
Woolsey

Young (AK)
Young (FL)

year 2001 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education.

The form of the motion is as follows:

Mr. HOLT moves that the managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the bill, H.R. 4577, be instructed to insist on disagreeing with provisions in the Senate amendment which denies the President's request for dedicated resources for local school construction and, instead, broadly expands the Title VI Education Block Grant with limited accountability in the use of funds.

NAYS—42

Baird	Jackson-Lee
Bilbray	(TX)
Borski	Kingston
Brady (PA)	Kucinich
Capuano	Latham
Clyburn	Lee
Coburn	LoBiondo
Condit	McDermott
Costello	McGovern
DeFazio	Miller, George
English	Moran (KS)
Filner	Neal
Gejdenson	Oberstar
Gutknecht	Olver
Holt	Pastor

Peterson (MN)
Ramstad
Rothman
Sabo
Schaffer
Schakowsky
Stenholm
Taylor (MS)
Thompson (CA)
Udall (NM)
Weller
Wicker
Wu

NOT VOTING—104

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Allen
Archer
Barr
Becerra
Bereuter
Bishop
Boucher
Brown (FL)
Campbell
Chenoweth-Hage
Clay
Clayton
Conyers
Cooksey
Crane
Crowley
Danner
Davis (IL)
Delahunt
Dickey
Dooley
Engel
Fattah
Forbes
Ford
Fossella
Fowler
Frank (MA)
Franks (NJ)
Gillmor
Gilman
Goode
Goodlatte

Goodling
Greenwood
Gutierrez
Hastings (FL)
Hefley
Hilliard
Hinchee
Hoyer
Hulshof
Hyde
Johnson (CT)
Johnson, E. B.
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kasich
Kennedy
Kilpatrick
Klink
Kolbe
LaFalce
Lantos
LaTourette
Lazio
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lowey
Maloney (CT)
Maloney (NY)
Martinez
McCollum
McInnis
McIntosh
McIntyre
Meehan
Meek (FL)

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So the Journal was approved.
The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. THORNBERRY). Will the gentleman from Kansas (Mr. TIAHRT) come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. TIAHRT led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTENTION TO OFFER MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES ON H.R. 4577, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2001

Mr. HOLT. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 7(c) of House rule XXII, I hereby announce my intention to offer a motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 4577, a bill making appropriations for fiscal

ANNOUNCEMENT OF INTENTION TO OFFER MOTION TO INSTRUCT CONFEREES ON H.R. 4577, DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2001

Mr. WU. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to clause 7(c) of House rule XXII, I hereby notify the House of my intention tomorrow to offer the following motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 4577, a bill making appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education.

The form of the motion is as follows:

Mr. WU moves that the managers on the part of the House at the conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the bill, H.R. 4577, be instructed to insist on disagreeing with provisions in the Senate amendment which denies the President's request for dedicated resources to reduce class size in the early grades and instead, broadly expands the Title VI Education Block Grant with limited accountability in the use of funds.

GENERAL LEAVE

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that all Members may have 5 legislative days within which to revise and extend their remarks, and that I may include tabular and extraneous material, on H.J. Res. 119.

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

There was no objection.

FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to the provisions of House Resolution 646, I call up the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 119) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, and for other purposes, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the joint resolution.

The text of House Joint Resolution 119 is as follows:

H.J. RES. 119

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Public Law 106-275,