

CONGRATULATIONS AND FAREWELL TO OUR COLLEAGUE, THE HONORABLE ASA HUTCHINSON
 Mr. SNYDER. Mr. Speaker, the hour is late, but it is never too late to say good-bye and hello to a friend; good-bye to ASA HUTCHINSON, Congressman, and hello to the new head of the DEA, ASA HUTCHINSON.

ASA, we will miss you.

Mr. Speaker, I yield to the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. HULSHOF).

Mr. HULSHOF. Mr. Speaker, I, too, want to add my accolades to the departing Member, a classmate of mine, who came in in the 105th Congress.

The gentleman from Arkansas has served with distinction the Third Congressional District of Arkansas since his election. As ASA tells it, the folks back home in Arkansas were not too impressed about this DEA nomination, until they found out that he would be the head of 9,000 employees and have offices in over 50 countries, at which point they then thought it was kind of a big deal.

ASA, of course, served with distinction on the Committee on the Judiciary, and, as some of you who worked with him knew, he was thrust into an interesting role with the impeachment matter. But he has also been a leader on other issues regarding the Federal Judiciary, whether it is regarding our forfeiture laws, whether it is racial profiling, or campaign finance.

I think all of those issues, and the open mindedness that ASA brought to those issues, is one reason there was such a tremendous show of support, when every one of his colleagues on the Democratic side of the aisle on the Committee on the Judiciary signed a letter of support to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, urging ASA's confirmation. I think that was a tremendous show of bipartisan support.

Finally, Mr. Speaker, ASA, we simply say to you that as you continue your service to this great Nation, that we wish you and Susan and your family Godspeed. We all in this Chamber have been enriched by having known you, and we are luckier all the more for the fact that we have had a chance to work with you.

We wish you well.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. BE-REUTER). The question is on the passage of the bill.

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

Mr. McDERMOTT. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 226, nays 203, not voting 5, as follows:

[Roll No. 332]

YEAS—226

Aderholt	Bartlett	Boehler
Akin	Barton	Boehner
Armey	Bass	Bonilla
Bachus	Bereuter	Bono
Baker	Biggert	Brady (TX)
Ballenger	Bilirakis	Brown (SC)
Barr	Blunt	Bryant

Burr	Herger
Burton	Hilleary
Buyer	Hobson
Callahan	Hoekstra
Calvert	Horn
Camp	Hostettler
Cannon	Houghton
Cantor	Hulshof
Capito	Hunter
Castle	Hutchinson
Chabot	Hyde
Chambliss	Isakson
Coble	Issa
Collins	Istook
Combest	Jenkins
Cooksey	Johnson (CT)
Cox	Johnson (IL)
Cramer	Johnson, Sam
Crane	Jones (NC)
Crenshaw	Keller
Cubin	Kelly
Culberson	Kennedy (MN)
Cunningham	Kerns
Davis, Jo Ann	King (NY)
Davis, Tom	Kingston
Deal	Kirk
DeLay	Knollenberg
DeMint	Kolbe
Diaz-Balart	LaHood
Doolittle	Largent
Dreier	Latham
Duncan	LaTourette
Dunn	Leach
Ehlers	Lewis (CA)
Ehrlich	Lewis (KY)
Emerson	Linder
English	LoBiondo
Everett	Lucas (KY)
Ferguson	Lucas (OK)
Flake	Manzullo
Fletcher	McCrery
Foley	McHugh
Forbes	McInnis
Fossella	McKeon
Frelinghuysen	Mica
Galleghy	Miller (FL)
Ganske	Miller, Gary
Gekas	Moran (KS)
Gibbons	Morella
Gilchrest	Myrick
Gillmor	Nethercutt
Gilman	Ney
Goode	Northup
Goodlatte	Norwood
Goss	Nussle
Graham	Osborne
Granger	Ose
Graves	Otter
Green (WI)	Oxley
Greenwood	Pence
Grucci	Peterson (MN)
Gutknecht	Peterson (PA)
Hansen	Petri
Hart	Pickering
Hastert	Pitts
Hastings (WA)	Platts
Hayes	Pombo
Hayworth	Portman
Hefley	Pryce (OH)

NAYS—203

Abercrombie	Cardin	Eshoo
Ackerman	Carson (IN)	Etheridge
Allen	Carson (OK)	Evans
Andrews	Clay	Farr
Baca	Clayton	Fattah
Baird	Clement	Filner
Baldacci	Clyburn	Ford
Baldwin	Condit	Frank
Barcia	Conyers	Frost
Barrett	Costello	Gephardt
Becerra	Coyne	Gonzalez
Bentzen	Crowley	Gordon
Berkley	Cummings	Green (TX)
Berman	Davis (CA)	Gutierrez
Berry	Davis (FL)	Hall (OH)
Bishop	Davis (IL)	Hall (TX)
Blagojevich	DeFazio	Harman
Blumenauer	DeGette	Hastings (FL)
Boniior	Delahunt	Hill
Borski	DeLauro	Hilliard
Boswell	Deutsch	Hinchey
Boucher	Dicks	Hinojosa
Boyd	Dingell	Hoefel
Brady (PA)	Doggett	Holden
Brown (FL)	Dooley	Holt
Brown (OH)	Doyle	Honda
Capps	Edwards	Hooley
Capuano	Engel	Hoyer

Inlee	McKinney	Sanchez
Israel	McNulty	Sanders
Jackson (IL)	Meehan	Sandlin
Jackson-Lee	Meek (FL)	Sawyer
(TX)	Meeks (NY)	Schakowsky
Jefferson	Menendez	Schiff
John	Millerder-	Scott
Johnson, E. B.	McDonald	Serrano
Jones (OH)	Miller, George	Sherman
Kanjorski	Mink	Shows
Kaptur	Mollohan	Skelton
Kennedy (RI)	Moore	Slaughter
Kildee	Moran (VA)	Snyder
Kilpatrick	Murtha	Spratt
Kind (WI)	Nadler	Stark
Kleccka	Napolitano	Stenholm
Kucinich	Neal	Strickland
LaFalce	Oberstar	Stupak
Lampson	Obey	Tanner
Langevin	Oliver	Tauscher
Lantos	Ortiz	Taylor (MS)
Larsen (WA)	Owens	Thompson (MS)
Larson (CT)	Pallone	Thurman
Lee	Pascarell	Tierney
Levin	Pastor	Towns
Lewis (GA)	Payne	Turner
Lofgren	Pelosi	Udall (CO)
Lowey	Phelps	Udall (NM)
Luther	Pomeroy	Velazquez
Maloney (CT)	Price (NC)	Visclosky
Maloney (NY)	Rahall	Waters
Markey	Rangel	Watson (CA)
Mascara	Reyes	Watt (NC)
Matheson	Rivers	Waxman
Matsui	Rodriguez	Weiner
McCarthy (MO)	Roemer	Wexler
McCarthy (NY)	Ross	Woolsey
McCollum	Rothman	Wu
McDermott	Roybal-Allard	Wynn
McGovern	Rush	
McIntyre	Sabo	

NOT VOTING—5

Lipinski	Solis	Thompson (CA)
Paul	Spence	

□ 2342

So the bill was passed.
 The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to recommit was laid on the table.

AUTHORIZING THE CLERK TO MAKE CORRECTIONS TO THE ENGROSSMENT OF H.R. 2563, BIPARTISAN PATIENT PROTECTION ACT

Mr. TAUZIN. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that in the engrossment of the bill, H.R. 2563, the Clerk be authorized to correct section numbers, punctuation, and cross-references, and to make such other technical and conforming changes as may be necessary to reflect the actions of the House in amending the bill, H.R. 2563.

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

There was no objection.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES TO HAVE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 4, 2001 TO FILE REPORT ON H.R. 2586, NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT, 2002

Mr. STUMP. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services have until September 4, 2001 to file a report to accompany the bill H.R. 2586.

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

There was no objection.

PERMISSION FOR COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE TO HAVE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 4, 2001, TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT ON H.R. 2646, THE FARM SECURITY ACT OF 2001

Mr. COMBEST. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent for the Committee on Agriculture to have until 5 p.m. on September 4, 2001 to file a supplemental report to accompany H.R. 2646, the Farm Security Act of 2001.

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

There was no objection.

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PROVIDING FOR CONDITIONAL ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE AND RECESS OR ADJOURNMENT OF THE SENATE

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a privileged concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 208) and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the concurrent resolution, as follows:

H. CON. RES. 208

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That when the House adjourns on the legislative day of Thursday, August 2, 2001, or Friday, August 3, 2001, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand adjourned until 2 p.m. on Wednesday, September 5, 2001, or until noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first; and that when the Senate recesses or adjourns at the close of business on any day from Thursday, August 2, 2001 through Saturday, August 4, 2001, or from Monday, August 6, 2001, through Saturday, August 11, 2001, on a motion offered pursuant to this concurrent resolution by its Majority Leader or his designee, it stand recessed or adjourned until noon on Tuesday, September 4, 2001, or until such time on that day as may be specified by its Majority Leader or his designee in the motion to recess or adjourn, or until noon on the second day after Members are notified to reassemble pursuant to section 2 of this concurrent resolution, whichever occurs first.

SEC. 2. The Speaker of the House and the Majority Leader of the Senate, acting jointly after consultation with the Minority Leader of the House and the Minority Leader of the Senate, shall notify the Members of the House and the Senate, respectively, to reassemble whenever, in their opinion, the public interest shall warrant it.

The concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

CONDITIONAL ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE TO MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 2001

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today it shall adjourn

to meet at noon on Monday, August 6, and when the House adjourns on Monday, August 6, it shall adjourn to meet at noon on Tuesday, August 7; and when the House adjourns on Tuesday, August 7, and on each of its successive days of meeting under this order, it shall stand adjourned until noon on each third successive day until it shall convene at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 5, 2001; unless the House sooner receives the message from the Senate transmitting its adoption of a concurrent resolution providing for the summer district work period, in which case the House, following its adoption thereof, shall adjourn pursuant to that concurrent resolution.

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

Mr. McDERMOTT. Mr. Speaker, reserving the right to object, I will ask the gentleman from Texas, the days the House will be in session, will they be pro forma sessions, no legislation will be brought up?

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

Mr. McDERMOTT. I yield to the gentleman from Texas.

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, the gentleman has a good point; and, yes, it will be only pro forma.

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

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

There was no objection.

DISPENSING WITH CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2001

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday, September 5, 2001.

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

There was no objection.

MAKING IN ORDER MOTIONS TO SUSPEND THE RULES ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2001

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that it be in order at any time on the legislative day of Wednesday, September 5, 2001, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules.

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

There was no objection.

AUTHORIZING THE SPEAKER, MAJORITY LEADER, AND MINORITY LEADER TO ACCEPT RESIGNATIONS AND MAKE APPOINTMENTS NOTWITHSTANDING ADJOURNMENT

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that notwith-

standing any adjournment of the House until Wednesday, September 5, 2001, the Speaker, majority leader, and minority leader be authorized to accept resignations and to make appointments authorized by law or by the House.

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

There was no objection.

AUTHORIZING REMOVAL OF THE MACE OF THE HOUSE AFTER ADJOURNMENT TO THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION FOR REPAIRS

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I offer a resolution (H. Res. 223) and ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration.

The SPEAKER. The Clerk will report the resolution.

The Clerk read as follows:

H. RES. 223

Resolved, That the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives is authorized and directed, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to deliver the mace of the House of Representatives, following an adjournment of the House pursuant to concurrent resolution, to the Smithsonian Institution only for the purpose of having necessary repairs made to the mace and under such circumstances as will assure that the mace is properly safeguarded; Provided, however, That the mace shall be returned to the House of Representatives before noon on the day before the House next reconvenes pursuant to concurrent resolution or at any sooner time when so directed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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

There was no objection.

The resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

WISHING A GOOD RECESS PERIOD TO THE STAFF OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. ARMEY. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that it be the will of the House that all those kind souls and good people who staff this body have a very good recess period during the month of August.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. BE-REUTER). Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Texas?

There was no objection.

REQUESTING THE PRESIDENT TO TAKE MEASURES TO FOCUS APPROPRIATE ATTENTION ON NEIGHBORHOOD CRIME PREVENTION, COMMUNITY POLICING, AND REDUCTION OF SCHOOL CRIME

Mr. ISSA. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 193) requesting that the President focus appropriate attention on the issues of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing, and reduction of