

Smith (TX)           Turner  
Southernland       Upton  
Stewart            Valadao  
Stivers             Vela  
Stockman           Wagner  
Stutzman           Walberg  
Terry               Walden  
Thompson (PA)     Walorski  
Thornberry         Walz  
Tiberi              Weber (TX)  
Tierney             Webster (FL)  
Tipton              Wenstrup

## NAYS—154

Andrews           Hinojosa           Pastor (AZ)  
Bass               Holt               Payne  
Beatty             Honda              Pelosi  
Becerra           Hoyer              Perlmutter  
Bishop (NY)       Huffman           Peters (MI)  
Bishop (UT)       Israel              Peterson  
Blumenauer       Jeffries           Pingree (ME)  
Bonamici          Johnson (GA)     Pocan  
Brady (PA)       Johnson, E. B.   Price (NC)  
Brooks (AL)       Kaptur             Rangel  
Brown (FL)       Keating            Richmond  
Butterfield       Kennedy           Rigell  
Capps              Kildee             Roybal-Allard  
Capuano           Kilmer             Ruppersberger  
Cárdenas          Kildner            Sánchez, Linda  
Carson (IN)       King (NY)          T.  
Cartwright       Kirkpatrick       Sanchez, Loretta  
Castor (FL)       Langevin           Sarbanes  
Castro (TX)       Larsen (WA)       Schakowsky  
Chu                Larson (CT)       Schiff  
Cicilline          Lee (CA)           Schradler  
Clarke             Levin              Schwartz  
Clay               Lewis               Scott (VA)  
Clever             LoBiondo          Scott, David  
Clyburn           Lowenthal         Serrano  
Cohen              Lowey              Sewell (AL)  
Connolly          Lujan Grisham     Shea-Porter  
Conyers           (NM)               Sherman  
Courtney          Luján, Ben Ray   Sires  
Crowley           (NM)               Slaughter  
Cummings         Lynch              Smith (NJ)  
Davis (CA)        Maloney,          Smith (WA)  
                  Carolyn            Swalwell (CA)  
DeGette          Marino             Takano  
Delaney          Markey             Thompson (CA)  
Deutch            Matsui             Thompson (MS)  
Dingell          McCarthy (NY)    Titus  
Doggett          McColum           Tonko  
Doyle             McDermott        Tsongas  
Duckworth        McGovern          Van Hollen  
Edwards          Meeks              Vargas  
Ellison          Meng               Veasey  
Engel             Miller, George    Velázquez  
Eshoo             Moore              Visclosky  
Fattah            Moran              Wasserman  
Forbes            Nolan              Wasserman  
Fudge             Nadler             Schultz  
Gabbard          Napolitano        Waters  
Grayson          Neal                Watt  
Grijalva          Negrete McLeod   Waxman  
Hanabusa         Nolan              Welch  
Hastings (FL)    O'Rourke          Wilson (FL)  
Heck (WA)        Pallone            Wittman  
Higgins          Pascrell          Wolf

## NOT VOTING—16

Bishop (GA)       Frankel (FL)       Schock  
Culberson         Gutierrez         Speier  
Davis, Danny     Horsford          Yarmuth  
DeLauro          Jackson Lee       Young (AK)  
Esty               Quigley  
Farr               Rush

□ 1118

Ms. ESHOO and Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

Mr. GARCIA changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the bill was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated against:

Mr. HORSFORD. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 44 I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “nay.”

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 44 I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “nay.”

CONDEMNING NORTH KOREAN  
NUCLEAR TEST

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and agree to the resolution (H. Res. 65) condemning the Government of North Korea for its flagrant and repeated violations of multiple United Nations Security Council resolutions, for its repeated provocations that threaten international peace and stability, and for its February 12, 2013, test of a nuclear device, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. ROYCE) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 412, nays 2, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 45]

## YEAS—412

Aderholt           Clever  
Alexander          Clyburn  
Amodei             Coble  
Andrews            Coffman  
Bachmann          Cohen  
Bachus             Cole  
Barber             Collins (GA)  
Barietta           Collins (NY)  
Barr                Conaway  
Barrow (GA)       Connolly  
Barton             Conyers  
Bass                Cook  
Beatty             Cooper  
Becerra            Costa  
Benishek          Cotton  
Bentivolio         Courtney  
Bera (CA)          Cramer  
Bilirakis          Crawford  
Bishop (NY)        Crenshaw  
Bishop (UT)        Crowley  
Black               Cuellar  
Blackburn          Cummings  
Blumenauer         Daines  
Bonamici          Davis (CA)  
Bonner             Davis, Rodney  
Boustany          DeFazio  
Brady (PA)         DeGette  
Brady (TX)         Delaney  
Braley (IA)        DelBene  
Bridenstine        Denham  
Brooks (AL)        Dent  
Brooks (IN)        DeSantis  
Broun (GA)         DesJarlais  
Brown (FL)         Deutch  
Brownley (CA)     Diaz-Balart  
Buchanan          Dingell  
Bucshon           Doggett  
Burgess           Doyle  
Bustos             Duckworth  
Butterfield        Duffy  
Calvert            Duncan (SC)  
Camp               Duncan (TN)  
Campbell          Edwards  
Cantor             Ellison  
Capito             Ellmers  
Capps              Engel  
Capuano            Enyart  
Cárdenas          Eshoo  
Carney             Farenthold  
Carson (IN)        Fattah  
Carter             Fincher  
Cartwright         Fitzpatrick  
Cassidy            Fleischmann  
Castor (FL)        Fleming  
Castro (TX)        Flores  
Chabot             Forbes  
Chaffetz          Fortenberry  
Chu                 Foster  
Cicilline          Fox  
Clarke             Franks (AZ)  
Clay                Frelinghuysen

Johnson, Sam  
Jones  
Jordan  
Joyce  
Kaptur  
Keating  
Kelly  
Kennedy  
Kildee  
Kilmer  
Kind  
King (IA)  
King (NY)  
Kingston  
Kinzinger (IL)  
Kirkpatrick  
Kline  
Kuster  
Labrador  
LaMalfa  
Lamborn  
Lance  
Langevin  
Lankford  
Larsen (WA)  
Latham  
Latta  
Lee (CA)  
Levin  
Lewis  
Lipinski  
LoBiondo  
Loeback  
Lofgren  
Long  
Lowenthal  
Lowe  
Lucas  
Luetkemeyer  
Lujan Grisham  
          (NM)  
Luján, Ben Ray  
          (NM)  
Lummis  
Lynch  
Maffei  
Maloney,  
          Carolyn  
Maloney, Sean  
Marchant  
Marino  
Markey  
Matheson  
Matsui  
McCarthy (CA)  
McCarthy (NY)  
McCaul  
McClintock  
McColum  
McDermott  
McGovern  
McHenry  
McIntyre  
McKeon  
McKinley  
McMorris  
          Rodgers  
McNerney  
Meadows  
Meehan  
Meeks  
Meng  
Messer  
Mica  
Michaud  
Miller (FL)  
Miller (MI)  
Miller, Gary  
Miller, George

Amash

Bishop (GA)  
Culberson  
Davis, Danny  
DeLauro  
Esty  
Farr

Massie

## NOT VOTING—17

Frankel (FL)       Schock  
Gutierrez          Speier  
Jackson Lee        Turner  
Larson (CT)        Yarmuth  
Quigley            Young (AK)  
Rush

□ 1126

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Moore  
Moran  
Mullin  
Mulvaney  
Murphy (FL)  
Murphy (PA)  
Nadler  
Napolitano  
Neal  
Negrete McLeod  
Neugebauer  
Noem  
Nolan  
Nugent  
Nunes  
Nunnelee  
O'Rourke  
Olson  
Owens  
Palazzo  
Pallone  
Pascrell  
Pastor (AZ)  
Paulsen  
Payne  
Pearce  
Pelosi  
Perlmutter  
Perry  
Peters (CA)  
Peters (MI)  
Peterson  
Petri  
Pingree (ME)  
Pittenger  
Pitts  
Pocan  
Poe (TX)  
Polis  
Pompeo  
          (NM)  
Posey  
Price (GA)  
Price (NC)  
Radel  
Rahall  
Rangel  
Reed  
Reichert  
Renacci  
Ribble  
Rice (SC)  
Richmond  
Rigell  
Roby  
Roe (TN)  
Rogers (AL)  
Rogers (KY)  
Rogers (MI)  
Rohrabacher  
Rokita  
Rooney  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Roskam  
Ross  
Rothfus  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Ruiz  
Runyan  
Ruppersberger  
Ryan (OH)  
Ryan (WI)  
Salmon  
Sánchez, Linda  
          T.  
Sanchez, Loretta  
Sarbanes  
Scalise  
Schakowsky

## NAYS—2

Massie

## NOT VOTING—17

Frankel (FL)       Schock  
Gutierrez          Speier  
Jackson Lee        Turner  
Larson (CT)        Yarmuth  
Quigley            Young (AK)  
Rush

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, on February 15, 2013, I was not present for rollcall vote 45. If I had been present for this vote, I would have voted "yea."

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. GUTIERREZ. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably absent in the House Chamber for one vote on February 13, 2013 and votes today. I would like the record to show that had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 40, "nay" on rollcall votes 43 and 44, and "yea" on rollcall vote 45.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. SPEIER. Mr. Speaker, I was unfortunately unable to cast a vote on rollcall No. 44 and rollcall No. 45 on February 15, 2013. On rollcall No. 44 I would have voted "nay." H.R. 273 would extend the current pay freeze for federal workers by another nine months. Continued freezes, budget cuts to agencies, and ideological attacks on federal workers undermine the federal government's ability to recruit and hire a talented and high-skilled workforce while bringing us no closer to a responsible approach to deficit reduction. The men and women who have dedicated their careers to public service already have made sacrifices in pay and benefits totaling more than \$100 billion to help reduce our nation's debt. On rollcall No. 45, H. Res. 65 condemning the Government of North Korea for its flagrant and repeated violations of multiple United Nations Security Council resolutions, for its repeated provocations that threaten international peace and stability, and for its February 12, 2013, test of a nuclear device, I would have voted "yea."

MOMENT OF SILENCE IN MEMORY OF FORMER CONGRESSWOMAN CARDISS COLLINS

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

Mr. RANGEL. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to ask my colleagues to acknowledge the life and the legacy of the late Congresswoman Cardiss Collins.

Congresswoman Collins was the first African American woman to represent a Midwestern district in this Congress. During her more than 20 years in service here, she boldly represented the Seventh Congressional District of Illinois after the untimely death of her husband, Congressman George Collins. She also led her peers with distinction as the chair of the Congressional Black Caucus.

Now I ask, Mr. Speaker, for all of my colleagues to join me in a moment of silence to honor Congresswoman Cardiss Collins.

THE STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS

(Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, on Tuesday, the President

stated, "with renewed confidence," the "state of our Union is stronger."

I know that the President would certainly like that to be the case, but I wonder: Is the confidence stronger for the more than 22 million unemployed and underemployed Americans and their family members who remain struggling to make ends meet?

Mr. Speaker, is the confidence of Americans renewed when they fill their gas tanks and oil tanks with fuel at record-high costs?

Mr. Speaker, is their confidence renewed when the most recent economic data show America's economy shrinking for the first time in 3½ years?

The challenges facing the Nation do require smart solutions, but unlike the President, I believe smart solutions mean smarter government, not bigger government. They mean a greater emphasis on promoting individual freedoms, lower taxes, and fewer regulations in order to grow jobs and opportunities for those struggling and searching for greater opportunity. They mean fewer restrictions on accessing energy under Federal lands, which can dramatically increase domestic supply and lower energy costs for all. These are among the solutions we need.

THE SAFE CLIMATE CAUCUS

(Mr. WAXMAN asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. WAXMAN. Mr. Speaker and my colleagues, today, 22 Members of the House have banded together to create a Safe Climate Caucus to end the conspiracy of silence in this House of Representatives about the dangers of climate change and the Republican denial of its existence and their rejection of the science.

We are committing to talk every single day on the House floor about the urgent need to address climate change. President Obama is leading the way. He says we must respond to climate change because to do otherwise would be to betray our children and future generations.

We are ready to get to work. We understand the threat facing our children, and we know our Nation has the know-how and the ingenuity to avoid the worst impacts of climate change, but to do so, we must act now.

TRUCKERS AGAINST TRAFFICKING

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

Mr. POE of Texas. Mr. Speaker, Mike, a truck driver, pulled over at a rest stop. He noticed a young girl approaching multiple trucks. The girl, who was clearly under age, came up to his cab and offered him sex for money. She seemed scared, and he asked her a few questions. She told him that, if she did not bring in enough money for her

trafficker, the beatings by him would get worse.

Thank goodness she had the courage to call for help.

Mike understood the signs of human trafficking through an organization called Truckers Against Trafficking. He called the National Human Trafficking Resource Center, and authorities immediately arrived. The trafficker was arrested, put in jail, and the girl was rescued.

I commend Truckers Against Trafficking. It is critical for our citizens to be educated about sex trafficking so we can end this scourge. America cannot continue to be blissfully silent while modern-day slavery is occurring in our communities.

And that's just the way it is.

CLIMATE CHANGE

(Mrs. CAPPs asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend her remarks.)

Mrs. CAPPs. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to join my colleagues in addressing the immediate and increasing threat of climate change. States and localities are beginning to respond to this threat, but they can't do it alone. That's why I'm introducing two bills to help our communities prepare for the future impacts of climate change.

The first is the Coastal States Climate Change Planning Act. It provides funding to coastal States and communities so they can plan and implement climate change mitigation projects, such as seawalls, habitat buffer zones, and flood control systems. The second bill is the Water Infrastructure Resiliency and Sustainability Act, which provides funding for local water agencies. Water agencies are very concerned about the need to increase the resiliency of our aging water infrastructure systems because they're going to be impacted by climate change. These critical infrastructure projects will not only improve public health and safety, but they will also help our local economies grow by providing jobs.

Mr. Speaker, it is time to take action on climate change, so I hope we can work together to pass these and other commonsense measures to address such a critical issue.

STRENGTHENING BACKGROUND CHECKS ACT OF 2013

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

Mr. FITZPATRICK. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to urge my colleagues on both sides of the aisle to support the Strengthening Background Checks Act of 2013.

The tragedy at Sandy Hook Elementary School has rightfully focused our collective attention on the question of how we can best prevent senseless gun violence. An important tool in preventing gun violence is the National