

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said concurrent resolution.

¶34.17 APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES—
H.R. 2333

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. DELAURO, by unanimous consent, announced the appointment of the following Members as managers on the part of the House to the conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2333) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State, the United States Information Agency, and related agencies, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs, and for other purposes:

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of the House bill (except sections 163, 167, 188, 190-93), and Senate amendment (except titles V, VI, IX-XV and sections 162-170E, 189, 701-22, 724-28, 730-31, 734-36, 774-46, 748-61, 763), and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. HAMILTON, BERMAN, FALEOMAVAEGA, MARTINEZ, ANDREWS of New Jersey, MENENDEZ, LANTOS, JOHNSTON of Florida, and GILMAN, Ms. SNOWE, and Messrs. HYDE, DIAZ-BALART, and LEVY.

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of sections 188, 190-93 of the House bill, and titles V, VI, IX-XII, and XIII-XIV, sections 163-64, 168-69, 189, 701-22, 724-26, 728, 730-31, 734-36, 744-46, 748-57, 759-61 and 763 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. HAMILTON, GEJDENSON, LANTOS, TORRICELLI, BERMAN, ACKERMAN, JOHNSTON of Florida, FALEOMAVAEGA, GILMAN, and ROTH, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. BEREUTER.

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of title XII, sections 727 and 758 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. HAMILTON, GEJDENSON, LANTOS, TORRICELLI, BERMAN, ACKERMAN, JOHNSTON of Florida, FALEOMAVAEGA, GILMAN, and ROTH, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. ROHRABACHER.

From the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of sections 163 and 167 of the House bill, and title XV, sections 162, 165-67, 107A-E, and 190 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. HAMILTON, GEJDENSON, LANTOS, TORRICELLI, BERMAN, ACKERMAN, JOHNSTON of Florida, FALEOMAVAEGA, GILMAN and GOODLING, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. BEREUTER.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of section 170B, 170C(a), 170E(a), 721, 726(b)(2), 734, 749(b)(4), 760, 804, 810, and 1329 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. DELLUMS, SISISKY, SPRATT, SPENCE, and HUNTER.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Banking, Finance and

Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 759, 1003, 1104, and 1323-25 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. GONZALEZ, FRANK of Massachusetts, NEAL of North Carolina, LEACH, and BEREUTER.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of section 731 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, and Messrs. MANTON, MOORHEAD, and STEARNS.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Government Operations, for consideration of sections 189 and 721 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. CONYERS, SYNAR, CONDIT, CLINGER, and THOMAS of Wyoming.

As additional conferees from the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of section 133(n) of the House bill, and sections 136, 605, 704, 705, 723, 727, 748, 751, 758, 1201 and 1202 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. BROOKS, MAZZOLI, BRYANT, MCCOLLUM, and SMITH of Texas.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Natural Resources, for consideration of section 164(c) of the House bill, and section 171(c) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. MILLER of California, VENTO, DEFAZIO, YOUNG of Alaska and SMITH of Oregon.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, for consideration of sections 132(a), 133(e), 141-50, 254, 302(b) and 307 of the House bill, and sections 131, 141-53, 155, 229, 234, 309(h), 405(e), 407, 734, 747 and 814 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Mr. CLAY, Mr. McCLOSKEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MYERS of Indiana, and Mrs. MORELLA.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Public Works and Transportation, for consideration of sections 764, 1104-05, and 1402(g) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. MINETA, OBERSTAR, APPLE-GATE, SHUSTER, and CLINGER.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Rules, for consideration of sections 714, 1003 and 1326 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. MOAKLEY, DERRICK, and SOL-OMON.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶34.18 ENVIRONMENTAL EXPORTS
PROMOTION

Mr. GEJDENSON moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3813) to establish a Middle East Development Initiative to provide development assistance to countries in the Middle East region for the purpose of promoting the peace process in that region; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of California, recognized Mr. GEJDENSON and Mr. ROTH, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,
The question being put, *viva voce*,
Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of California, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. PORTER demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MILLER of California, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed until Tuesday, April 19, 1994, pursuant to the prior announcement of the Chair.

¶34.19 IRANIAN BAHAI EMANCIPATION

Mr. GEJDENSON moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following concurrent resolution of the Senate (S. Con. Res. 31):

Whereas in 1982, 1984, 1988, 1990, and 1992, the Congress, by concurrent resolution, declared that it holds the Government of Iran responsible for upholding the rights of all its nationals, including members of the Baha'i Faith, Iran's largest religious minority;

Whereas in such resolutions and in numerous other appeals, the Congress condemned the Government of Iran's religious persecution of the Baha'i community, including the execution of more than 200 Baha'is, the imprisonment of additional thousands, and other repressive and discriminatory actions against Baha'is based solely upon their religious beliefs;

Whereas in 1992, the Government of Iran summarily executed a leading member of the Baha'i community, arrested and imprisoned several other Baha'is, condemned two Baha'i prisoners to death on account of their religion, and confiscated individual Baha'is' homes and personal properties in several cities;

Whereas the Government of Iran continues to deny the Baha'i community the right to organize, to elect its leaders, to hold community property for worship or assembly, to operate religious schools and to conduct other normal religious community activities; and

Whereas on February 22, 1993, the United Nations Commission on Human Rights published a formerly confidential Iranian government document constituting a blueprint for the destruction of the Baha'i community, which document reveals that these repressive actions are the result of a deliberate policy designed and approved by the highest officials of the Government of Iran: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring). That the Congress—

(1) continues to hold the government of Iran responsible for upholding the rights of all its nationals, including members of the Baha'i community, in a manner consistent with Iran's obligations under the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and other international agreements guaranteeing the civil and political rights of its citizens;

(2) condemns the repressive anti-Baha'i policy adopted by the Government of Iran, as set forth in a confidential official document which explicitly states that Baha'is shall be denied access to education and employment, and that the government's policy is to deal