

waiving certain points of order during consideration of the bill (H.R.4506) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

59.18 WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST H.R. 4539

Mr. BEILENSON, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 447):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4539) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: beginning with "Provided" on page 4, line 6, through "Treasury" on line 9; and page 87, line 3, through page 88, line 2. Where points of order are waived against only part of a paragraph, a point of order against matter in the balance of the paragraph may be applied only within the balance of the paragraph and not against the entire paragraph. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit.

SEC. 2. At any time after the adoption of this resolution the Committee on Appropriations may file a supplemental report on H.R. 4539 as part 2 of House Report 103-534.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. BEILENSON, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DARDEN, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SOLOMON objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present, The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 236 Nays 177

59.19 [Roll No. 227] YEAS—236

Abercrombie Andrews (ME) Andrews (TX)
Ackerman Andrews (NJ) Applegate

Bacchus (FL) Gordon
Baesler Green
Barca Gutierrez
Barcia Hall (OH)
Barlow Hall (TX)
Barrett (WI) Hamburg
Becerra Harman
Beilenson Hefner
Berman Hilliard
Bevill Hinchey
Bilbray Hoagland
Bishop Hochbrueckner
Blackwell Holden
Bonior Hoyer
Borski Hughes
Boucher Hutto
Brewster Inslee
Brooks Jacobs
Browder Johnson (GA)
Brown (CA) Johnson (SD)
Brown (FL) Johnson, E. B.
Brown (OH) Johnston
Bryant Kanjorski
Byrne Kaptur
Cantwell Kennedy
Cardin Kennelly
Carr Kildee
Chapman Kleczka
Clay Klein
Clayton Klink
Clement Kreidler
Clyburn LaFalce
Coleman Lambert
Collins (IL) Lancaster
Condit Lantos
Conyers LaRocco
Coppersmith Laughlin
Costello Lehman
Coyne Levin
Cramer Lewis (GA)
Danner Lipinski
Darden Lloyd
de la Garza Long
Deal Lowey
DeFazio Maloney
DeLauro Mann
Dellums Manton
Derrick Margolies-
Deutsch Mezvinsky
Dicks Markey
Dingell Martinez
Dixon Matsui
Dooley Mazzoli
Durbin McCloskey
Edwards (CA) McCurdy
Edwards (TX) McDermott
Engel McHale
English McKinney
Eshoo McNulty
Evans Meehan
Farr Meek
Fazio Menendez
Fields (LA) Mfume
Filner Miller (CA)
Fingerhut Mineta
Flake Minge
Ford (MI) Mink
Ford (TN) Mollohan
Frank (MA) Montgomery
Frost Moran
Furse Murphy
Gejdenson Murtha
Gephardt Neal (MA)
Geren Neal (NC)
Gibbons Oberstar
Glickman Obey
Gonzalez Olver

NAYS—177

Allard Buyer
Archer Callahan
Army Calvert
Bachus (AL) Camp
Baker (CA) Canady
Baker (LA) Castle
Ballenger Clinger
Barrett (NE) Coble
Bartlett Collins (GA)
Barton Combest
Bateman Cooper
Bentley Cox
Bereuter Crane
Bilirakis Crapo
Bliley Cunningham
Blute DeLay
Boehlert Diaz-Balart
Boehner Dickey
Bonilla Doolittle
Bunning Goodlatte
Burton Dreier

Ortiz
Orton
Pallone
Parker
Pastor
Payne (NJ)
Payne (VA)
Pelosi
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Pickett
Pickle
Pomeroy
Poshard
Price (NC)
Rahall
Reed
Reynolds
Richardson
Roemer
Rose
Rostenkowski
Rowland
Roybal-Allard
Rush
Sabo
Sanders
Sangmeister
Sarpalius
Sawyer
Schenk
Schroeder
Schumer
Scott
Serrano
Sharp
Shepherd
Sisisky
Skaggs
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (IA)
Spratt
Stark
Stenholm
Stokes
Strickland
Studds
Stupak
Swett
Swift
Synar
Tanner
Tauzin
Tejeda
Thompson
Thornton
Thurman
Torres
Torrice
Unsoeld
Valentine
Velazquez
Vento
Visclosky
Volkmer
Waters
Watt
Waxman
Wheat
Williams
Wilson
Wise
Woolsey
Wyden
Wynn
Yates

NOT VOTING—21

Collins (MI)
Foglietta
Grandy
Hastings
Huffington
Jefferson
Kopetski

Lightfoot
Linder
Livingston
Lucas
Machtley
Manzullo
McCandless
McCollum
McCrery
McDade
McHugh
McInnis
McKeon
McMillan
Meyers
Mica
Michel
Miller (FL)
Molinari
Moorhead
Morella
Myers
Nussle
Packard
Paxon
Penny
Petri
Pombo
Porter
Portman
Pryce (OH)
Quillen
Quinn
Ramstad
Ravenel
Regula
Roberts
Rogers

NOT VOTING—21

Moakley
Nadler
Owens
Oxley
Rangel
Ridge
Royce

Slattery
Sundquist
Towns
Tucker
Washington
Weldon
Whitten

So the resolution was agreed to.
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

59.20 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE—HOUSE POST OFFICE MATTER

Mr. MICHEL rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 450):

Whereas, on July 22, 1992, the House of Representatives voted to transmit to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct the Committee Report and all records obtained by the Task Force to Investigate the Operation and Management of the House Post Office;

Whereas, the Report of the Committee on House Administration selectively included portions of the transcript of the proceedings of the Task Force in the Appendix of their Report;

Whereas, efforts in the 102d Congress to release the full transcript of the Task Force were defeated in the House on July 22, 1992 and July 23, 1992 and again on July 22, 1993;

Whereas, the former Postmaster of the House of Representatives, Robert V. Rota, from 1978 continuing until April 1992 has admitted to conspiring with other persons to commit offenses against the United States;

Whereas, the former Postmaster has pled guilty to making false statements to the Task Force and during interviews with United States Postal Inspectors and the Congressional Committee investigating the House Post Office;

Whereas, the former Postmaster admitted to engaging in a cover up of the exchange of vouchers and postage stamps for cash beginning in May 1980 and continuing throughout the House investigation of the post office;

Whereas, the integrity of the House of Representatives has been impugned by the actions of Mr. Rota and others;

Whereas, on July 23, 1993, the House approved a privileged resolution offered by the Majority Leader that stated: "That it is the sense of the House that should the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia at any time inform the House that he has no objection to the public release of the transcripts of proceedings of the former Task Force, then the House shall consider immediately the question of whether and under what circumstances the transcripts of proceedings of the former Task Force should be released to the public;"

Whereas, the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia has indicated in a letter to the Speaker and the Minority Leader that "in light of recent action by the Grand Jury in the criminal investigation, this Office no longer objects to the public release of the materials in question." Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House make public in printed form all transcripts and other relevant documents from any House Administration Committee investigation of the House Post Office as soon as possible.

Resolved, further that the Majority and Minority Leader shall each designate a Member to review the materials and that these materials shall be made public unless the designees agree to the contrary.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. MICHEL, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put viva voce,

Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. McCLOSKEY, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. WALKER objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Yeas} \dots\dots 399 \\ \text{Nays} \dots\dots 2 \end{array} \right.$

59.21 [Roll No. 228] YEAS—399

- Abercrombie Bishop Clinger
- Ackerman Blackwell Clyburn
- Allard Bliley Coble
- Andrews (ME) Blute Coleman
- Andrews (NJ) Boehlert Collins (GA)
- Andrews (TX) Boehner Collins (IL)
- Applegate Bonilla Combest
- Archer Bonior Condit
- Armey Borski Conyers
- Bacchus (FL) Boucher Cooper
- Bacchus (AL) Brewster Coppersmith
- Baesler Brooks Costello
- Baker (CA) Browder Cox
- Baker (LA) Brown (CA) Coyne
- Ballenger Brown (FL) Cramer
- Barca Brown (OH) Crane
- Barcia Bunning Crapo
- Barlow Burton Cunningham
- Barrett (NE) Buyer Danner
- Barrett (WI) Byrne Darden
- Bartlett Callahan de la Garza
- Barton Calvert Deal
- Bateman Camp DeFazio
- Becerra Canady DeLauro
- Beilenson Cantwell DeLay
- Bentley Cardin Dellums
- Bereuter Castle Derrick
- Berman Chapman Deutsch
- Bevill Clay Diaz-Balart
- Bilbray Clayton Dickey
- Bilirakis Clement Dingell

- Dixon King
- Dooley King
- Doolittle Kingston
- Dornan Kleczka
- Dreier Klein
- Duncan Klink
- Dunn Klug
- Durbin Knollenberg
- Edwards (CA) Kolbe
- Edwards (TX) Kreidler
- Ehlers Kyl
- Emerson LaFalce
- Engel Lancaster
- English Lantos
- Eshoo LaRocco
- Evans Lazio
- Everett Lehman
- Ewing Levin
- Farr Levy
- Fawell Lewis (CA)
- Fazio Lewis (FL)
- Fields (LA) Lewis (GA)
- Fields (TX) Lewis (KY)
- Filner Lightfoot
- Fingerhut Linder
- Flake Lipinski
- Ford (TN) Livingston
- Fowler Lloyd
- Frank (MA) Long
- Franks (CT) Lowey
- Franks (NJ) Lucas
- Frost Machtley
- Furse Maloney
- Galleghy Mann
- Gallo Manton
- Gejdenson Manullo
- Gekas Margolies
- Gephardt Mezvinsky
- Geran Markey
- Gibbons Martinez
- Gilchrist Matsui
- Gillmor Mazzoli
- Gilman McCandless
- Gingrich McCloskey
- Glickman McCollum
- Gonzalez McCrery
- Goodlatte McCurdy
- Goodling McDade
- Gordon McDermott
- Goss McHale
- Grams McHugh
- Green McInnis
- Greenwood McKean
- Gunderson McKinney
- Gutierrez McMillan
- Hall (OH) McNulty
- Hall (TX) Meehan
- Hamburg Meek
- Hamilton Menendez
- Hancock Meyers
- Hansen Mfume
- Harman Mica
- Hastert Michel
- Hayes Miller (CA)
- Hefley Miller (FL)
- Hefner Mineta
- Herger Minge
- Hilliard Mink
- Hinchev Molinaro
- Hoagland Mollohan
- Hobson Montgomery
- Hochbrueckner Moorhead
- Moran
- Hoke Morella
- Holden Murphy
- Horn Myers
- Houghton Neal (MA)
- Hoyer Neal (NC)
- Hughes Nussle
- Hunter Oberstar
- Hutchinson Obey
- Hutto Olver
- Hyde Ortiz
- Inglis Pallone
- Inhofe Parker
- Inslee Pastor
- Istook Paxon
- Jacobs Payne (NJ)
- Johnson (CT) Johnson (VA)
- Johnson (GA) Pelosi
- Johnson (SD) Penny
- Johnson, E. B. Peterson (FL)
- Johnson, Sam Peterson (MN)
- Johnston
- Johnston Petri
- Kanjorski Pickett
- Kaptur Pickle
- Kasich Pombo
- Kennedy Pomeroy
- Kennelly Porter
- Kildee Portman

- Wyden Young (AK)
 - Wynn Young (FL)
 - Yates Zeliff
- NAYS—2
- Ford (MI) Swift
- NOT VOTING—33
- Bryant Lambert Ridge
 - Carr Laughlin Royce
 - Collins (MI) Leach Skelton
 - Dicks Moakley Slattery
 - Fish Murtha Sundquist
 - Foglietta Nadler Towns
 - Grandy Orton Tucker
 - Hastings Owens Valentine
 - Huffington Oxley Washington
 - Jefferson Packard Weldon
 - Kepetski Rangel Whitten

So the resolution was agreed to. A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

59.22 SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 761. An Act to amend the "unit of general local government" definition for Federal payments in lieu of taxes to include unorganized boroughs in Alaska; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

S. 1033. An Act to establish the Shenandoah Valley National Battlefields and Commission in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

59.23 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Miss COLLINS of Michigan, for today and balance of the week;

To Mr. TOWNS, for today;

To Mr. ROYCE, for today and balance of the week;

To Mr. SKELTON, for today after 6 p.m. and balance of the week; and

To Mr. ORTON, for today after 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m., June 13.

And then,

59.24 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. BURTON, at 9 o'clock p.m., the House adjourned.

59.25 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. HOYER: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4539. A bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-534, Pt. 2.)

Mr. MONTGOMERY: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 3013. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a Women's Bureau in the Department of Veterans Affairs; with amendments (Rept. No. 103-538). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. OBEY: Committee on Appropriations. Revised Subdivision of Budget Totals for fiscal year 1995 (Rept. No. 103-539). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HALL of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 449. Resolution waiving