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So section 107 was agreed to.

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

When section 108 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to section 108?

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

Mrs. KENNELLY 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. 1

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So section 108 was agreed to.

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

When title II of said resolution was considered.

After debate,

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Mr. BONIOR moved to commit title II to a select committee composed of the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader with instructions

At the end of the resolution, add the following:

TERM LIMITS FOR SPEAKER

SEC. 224. Clause 7(b) of rule I of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended by striking out "four" and inserting in lieu thereof "three"

EQUITABLE PARTY RATIOS ON COMMITTEES

SEC. 225. (a) In rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 6(a) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subparagraph:

(3) The membership of each committee (and each subcommittee, task force, or other subunit thereof) shall reflect the ratio of majority to minority party Members of the House at the beginning of the Congress (unless otherwise provided by House Rules). For the purposes of this clause, the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico and the Delegates to the House shall not be counted in determining the party ratio of the House.'

(b) In rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 6(f) is amended by inserting after the first sentence the fol-'The membership of each such select lowing: committee (and of any subcommittee, task force or subunit thereof), and of each such conference committee, shall reflect the ratio of the majority to minority party Members of the House at the time of its appointment.'

MAJORITY-MINORITY COMMITTEE STAFF

## RATIOS

SEC. 226. (a) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, not less than one-third of (the staff funding made available to each standing, select, special, ad hoc, or other committee of the House of Representatives shall be allocated to the minority party.

(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

BUDGET WAIVER LIMITATION

SEC. 227. Clause 4(e) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended-(1) by striking out "(e)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(e)(1)", and

(2) by adding at the end the following:

(2) It shall be in order after the previous question has been ordered on any such resolution, to offer motions proposing to strike one or more such waivers from the resolution, and each such motion shall be decided without debate and shall require for adoption the requisite number of affirmative votes as required by the Budget Act or the rules of the House. After disposition of any and all such motions, the House shall proceed to an immediate vote on adoption of the resolution."

### BAN ON GIFTS FROM LOBBYISTS

SEC. 228. Clause 4 of rule XLIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

"4. (a)(1) No Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall accept a gift, knowing that such gift is provided directly or indirectly by a paid lobbyist, a lobbying firm (a person or entity that has 1 or more employees who are lobbyists on behalf of a client other than that person or entity), or an agent of a foreign principal (as defined in the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938).

(2) The prohibition in subparagraph (1) includes the following:

"(A) Anything provided by a lobbyist or a foreign agent which the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe is paid for, charged to, or reimbursed by a client or firm of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

of such lobbyist or foreign agent. "(B) Anything provided by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to an entity that is maintained or controlled by a Member, officer, or employee.

"(C) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent on the basis of a designation, recommendation, or other specification of a Member, officer, or employee (not including a mass mailing or other solicitation directed to a broad category of persons or entities).

"(D) A contribution or other payment by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee.

"(E) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent in lieu of an honorarium to a Member, officer, or employee.

"(F) A financial contribution or expenditure made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent relating to a conference, retreat, or similar event, sponsored by or affiliated with an official congressional organization, for or on behalf of Members, officers, or employees.

"(3) The following are not gifts subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1):

"(A) Anything for which the recipient pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

"(B) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"(C) Food or refreshments of nominal value offered other than as part of a meal.

"(D) Benefits resulting from the business, employment, or other outside activities of the spouse of a Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances.

"(E) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

"(F) Informational materials that are sent to the office of a Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

"(4)(A) A gift given by an individual under circumstances which make it clear the gift is given for a nonbusiness purpose and is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship and not the position of the Member, officer, or employee shall not be subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1).

(1). "(B) A gift shall not be considered to be given for a nonbusiness purpose if the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual giving the gift will seek—

"(i) to deduct the value of such gift as a business expense on the individual's Federal income tax return, or

"(ii) direct or indirect reimbursement or any other compensation for the value of the gift from a client or employer of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

"(C) In determining if the giving of a gift is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship, at least the following factors shall be considered: "(i) The history of the relationship be-

"(i) The history of the relationship between the individual giving the gift and the recipient of the gift, including whether or not gifts have previously been exchanged by such individuals.

"(ii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was purchased by the individual who gave the item.

"(iii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual who gave the gift also at the same time gave the same or similar gifts to other Members, officers, or employees.

"(b) In addition to the restriction on receiving gifts from paid lobbyists, lobbying firms, and agents of foreign principals provided by paragraph (a) and except as provided in this Rule, no Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall knowingly accept a gift from any other person.

"(c)(1) For the purpose of this clause, the term 'gift' means any gratuity, favor, discount, entertainment, hospitality, loan, forbearance, or other item having monetary value. The term includes gifts of services, training, transportation, lodging, and meals, whether provided in kind, by purchase of a ticket, payment in advance, or reimbursement after the expense has been incurred.

"(2) A gift to the spouse or dependent of a Member, officer, or employee (or a gift to any other individual based on that individual's relationship with the Member, officer, or employee) shall be considered a gift to the Member, officer, or employee if it is given with the knowledge and acquiescence of the Member, officer, or employee and the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was given because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee.

"(d) The restrictions in paragraph (b) shall not apply to the following: "(1) Anything for which the Member, offi-

"(1) Anything for which the Member, officer, or employee pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

"(2) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"(3) Anything provided by an individual on the basis of a personal or family relationship unless the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe that, under the circumstances, the gift was provided because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee and not because of the personal or family relationship. The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance on the applicability of this clause and examples of circumstances under which a gift may be accepted under this exception.

<sup>9</sup>(4) A contribution or other payment to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee, that is otherwise lawfully made, if the person making the contribution or payment is identified for the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

"(5) Any food or refreshments which the recipient reasonably believes to have a value of less than \$20.

"(6) Any gift from another Member, officer, or employee of the Senate or the House of Representatives.

``(7) Food, refreshments, lodging, and other benefits—

"(A) resulting from the outside business or employment activities (or other outside activities that are not connected to the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder) of the Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse of the Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits have not been offered or enhanced because of the official position of the Member, or employee and are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances;

"(B) customarily provided by a prospective employer in connection with bona fide employment discussions; or

"(C) provided by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 in connection with a fund-raising or campaign event sponsored by such an organization.

"(8) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

"(9) Informational materials that are sent to the office of the Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

"(10) Awards or prizes which are given to competitors in contests or events open to the public, including random drawings.

"(11) Honorary degrees (and associated travel, food, refreshments, and entertainment) and other bona fide, nonmonetary awards presented in recognition of public service (and associated food, refreshments, and entertainment provided in the presentation of such degrees and awards).

"(12) Donations of products from the State that the Member represents that are intended primarily for promotional purposes, such as display or free distribution, and are of minimal value to any individual recipient.

"(13) Food, refreshments, and entertainment provided to a Member or an employee of a Member in the Member's home State, subject to reasonable limitations, to be established by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

"(14) An item of little intrinsic value such as a greeting card, baseball cap, or a T shirt.

"(15) Training (including food and refreshments furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the training) provided to a Member, officer, or employee, if such training is in the interest of the House of Representatives.

"(16) Bequests, inheritances, and other transfers at death.

"(17) Any item, the receipt of which is authorized by the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act, the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act, or any other statute.

"(18) Anything which is paid for by the Federal Government, by a State or local government, or secured by the Government under a Government contract.

"(19) A gift of personal hospitality of an individual, as defined in section 109(14) of the Ethics in Government Act.

''(20) Free attendance at a widely attended event permitted pursuant to paragraph (e).

"(21) Opportunities and benefits which are—

"(A) available to the public or to a class consisting of all Federal employees, whether or not restricted on the basis of geographic consideration;

"(B) offered to members of a group or class in which membership is unrelated to congressional employment;

"(C) offered to members of an organization, such as an employees' association or congressional credit union, in which membership is related to congressional employment and similar opportunities are available to large segments of the public through organizations of similar size;

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(D) offered to any group or class that is not defined in a manner that specifically discriminates among Government employees on the basis of branch of Government or type of responsibility, or on a basis that favors those of higher rank or rate of pay;

"(E) in the form of loans from banks and other financial institutions on terms generally available to the public; or

 $\dot{}(\check{F})$  in the form of reduced membership or other fees for participation in organization activities offered to all Government employees by professional organizations if the only restrictions on membership relate to professional qualifications.

(22) A plaque, trophy, or other momento of modest value.

(23) Anything for which, in exceptional circumstances, a waiver is granted by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

(e)(1) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee may accept an offer of free attendance at a widely attended convention, conference, symposium, forum, panel discussion, dinner, viewing, reception, or similar event, provided by the sponsor of the event, if-

"(Â) the Member, officer, or employee participates in the event as a speaker or a panel participant, by presenting information related to Congress or matters before Congress, or by performing a ceremonial function appropriate to the Member's, officer's, or employee's official position; or

'(B) attendance at the event is appropriate to the performance of the official duties or representative function of the Member, officer, or employee.

(2) A Member, officer, or employee who attends an event described in subparagraph (1) may accept a sponsor's unsolicited offer of free attendance at the event for an accompanying individual if others in attendance will generally be similarly accompanied or if such attendance is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

(3) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse or dependent thereof, may accept a sponsor's unsolicited offer of free attendance at a charity event, except that reimbursement for transportation and lodging may not be accepted in connection with the event.

'(4) For purposes of this paragraph, the term 'free attendance' may include waiver of all or part of a conference or other fee, the provision of local transportation, or the provision of food, refreshments, entertainment, and instructional materials furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the event. The term does not include entertainment collateral to the event, or food or refreshments taken other than in a group setting with all or substantially all other attendees.

"(f) No Member, officer, or employee may accept a gift the value of which exceeds \$250 on the basis of the personal relationship exception in paragraph (d)(3) or the close personal friendship exception in section 106(d) of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 unless the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct issues a written determination that one of such exceptions applies.

'(g)(1) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct is authorized to adjust the dollar amount referred to in paragraph (d)(5)on a periodic basis, to the extent necessary to adjust for inflation.

"(2) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance setting forth reasonable steps that may be taken by Members, officers, and employees, with a minimum of paperwork and time, to prevent the acceptance of prohibited gifts from lobbyists.

'(3) When it is not practicable to return a tangible item because it is perishable, the item may, at the discretion of the recipient, be given to an appropriate charity or destroyed.

''(ĥ)(1)(A) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a reimbursement (including payment in kind) to a Member, officer, or employee for necessary transportation, lodging and related expenses for travel to a meeting, speaking engagement, factfinding trip or similar event in connection with the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder shall be deemed to be a reimbursement to the House of Representatives and not a gift prohibited by this paragraph, if the Member, officer, or employee-

(i) in the case of an employee, receives advance authorization, from the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works, to accept reimbursement, and

"(ii) discloses the expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed and the authorization to the Clerk of the House of Representatives within 30 days after the travel is completed.

(B) For purposes of clause (A), events, the activities of which are substantially recreational in nature, shall not be considered to be in connection with the duties of a Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder.

(2) Each advance authorization to accept reimbursement shall be signed by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works and shall include-

(A) the name of the employee;

(B) the name of the person who will make the reimbursement;

"(C) the time, place, and purpose of the travel: and (D) a determination that the travel is in connection with the duties of the employee as an officeholder and would not create the

appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain. (3) Each disclosure made under subpara-

graph (1)(A) of expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed shall be signed by the Member or officer (in the case of travel by the Member or officer) or by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works (in the case of travel by an employee) and shall include-

'(A) a good faith estimate of total transportation expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed.

'(B) a good faith estimate of total lodging expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

(C) a good faith estimate of total meal expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

(D) a good faith estimate of the total of other expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed:

"(E) a determination that all such expenses are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in this paragraph; and

(F) in the case of a reimbursement to a Member or officer, a determination that the travel was in connection with the duties of the Member or officer as an officeholder and would not create the appearance that the Member or officer is using public office for private gain.

(4) For the purpose of this paragraph, the term 'necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses'-

'(A) includes reasonable expenses that are necessary for travel-

(i) for a period not exceeding 4 days including travel time within the United States or 7 days in addition to travel time outside the United States; and

(ii) within 24 hours before or after participation in an event in the United States or within 48 hours before or after participation in an event outside the United States,

unless approved in advance by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct; "(B) is limited to reasonable expenditures

for transportation, lodging, conference fees and materials, and food and refreshments, including reimbursement for necessary transportation, whether or not such transportation occurs within the periods described in clause (A).

'(C) does not include expenditures for recreational activities or entertainment other than that provided to all attendees as an integral part of the event; and

(D) may include travel expenses incurred on behalf of either the spouse or a child of the Member, officer, or employee, subject to a determination signed by the Member or officer (or in the case of an employee, the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the officer or employee works) that the attendance of the spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

(5) The Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make available to the public all advance authorizations and disclosures of reimbursement filed pursuant to subparagraph (1) as soon as possible after they are received.".

LIMITATION ON ROYALTY INCOME

SEC. 229. (a) Clause 3 of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

(g) In calendar year 1995 or thereafter, a Member, officer, or employee of the House may not-

"(1) receive any copyright royalties for any work-

"(A) unless the royalty is received from an established publisher pursuant to usual and customary contractual terms;

(B) unless the total amount of such royalties for that work does not exceed one-third of that individual's annual pay as a Member, officer, or employee for the year in which the contract is entered into; and

(C) without the prior notification and approval of the contract for that work by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct;

"(2) receive any advance payment for any such work.'

(b) Clause 3(e)(5) of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

(5) copyright royalties."

(c) The amendments made by this section shall apply only to copyright royalties received by any Member, officer, or employee of the House after the adoption of this resolution, pursuant to any contract entered into while that individual is such a Member, officer, or employee.

AMENDMENT TO THE RULES TO CREATE THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

SEC. 230. The Rules of the House of Representatives are amended by adding at the end the following new rule:

## "RULE LIII

#### "DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

"1. The Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services shall be appointed for a Congress by the Speaker, the majority leader, and the minority leader, acting jointly. The Director may be removed by the House or by the Speaker. The Director shall be paid at the same rate of basic pay as the elected officers of the House.

2. The Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services shall have extensive managerial and financial experience.

3. Subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Committee on House Oversight, the Director shall have operational and financial responsibility for functions assigned by resolution of the House.

"4. Subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Committee on House Over-sight, the Director shall develop employment standards that provide that all employment decisions for functions under the Director's supervision be made in accordance with the non-discrimination provisions of clause 9 of rule XLIII and of rule LI, without regard to political affiliation, and solely on the basis of fitness to perform the duties involved. No adverse personnel action may be taken by the Director without cause."

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS TO THE DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES.

SEC. 231. As soon as practicable, but not later than the ninetieth day beginning after the date of adoption of this resolution, the functions and entities specified in subsection (d) shall be transferred to the Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services.

(b) The Committee on House Oversight shall have authority to prescribe regulations providing for

(1) the orderly transfer of the functions and entities specified in subsection (d); and

(2) such additional transfers of functions and entities specified in subsection (d) with respect to the Clerk, the Sergeant-at-Arms, and the Director as may be necessary for the improvement of non-legislative and financial services in the House.

(c) Except as provided in subsection (d), functions and entities within the jurisdiction of the Committee on House Oversight under rule X may not be transferred to the Director

(d) The functions and entities referred to in subsection (a) are: Office of Employee Assistance, Finance Office, pay and mileage of Members, House Information Systems, Office Furnishings, Office Supply Service, Office Systems Management, Placement Office, Special Services Office, Telecommuni-cations, Telephone Exchange, Typewriter Repair, Barber Shop, Beauty Shop, House Restaurant System, Office of Photography, Inside Mail and Internal Mail Operations (including coordination with postal substations to be operated by the United States Postal Service), Guide Service, and Child Care Center, and the non-legislative functions of the Printing Services, Recording Studio, and Records and Registration.

OPEN RULE FOR CONSIDERATION OF

CONGRESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY ACT SEC. 232. (a) Section 108 of this resolution

shall have no force or effect. (b) 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. 1) to apply certain laws to the Congress. The first reading of the shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the Majority and Minority Leaders. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered as read. 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. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to commit with or without instructions.

Pursuant to House Resolution 5 the previous question was ordered on the motion to commit with instructions.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House commit said resolution with instructions?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. THOMAS of California, announced the navs had it.

Mr. FRANK demanded a recorded vote on the motion to commit with instructions, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

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Bentsen	Hastings (FL)	Payne (VA)		
Berman	Hayes	Pelosi Determon (EL)		
Bevill Bishop	Hefner Hilliard	Peterson (FL) Peterson (MN)		
Bonior	Hinchey	Pickett		
Borski	Holden	Pomeroy		
Boucher	Hoyer	Poshard		
Brewster Browder	Jackson-Lee Jacobs	Rahall Reed		
Brown (CA)	Jefferson	Reynolds		
Brown (OH)	Johnson (SD)	Richardson		
Bryant (TX)	Johnson, E. B.	Rivers		
Cardin	Johnston	Roemer		
Chapman Clay	Kanjorski Kaptur	Rose Roybal-Allard		
Clayton	Kennedy (MA)	Rush		
Clement	Kennedy (RI)	Sabo		
Clyburn	Kennelly	Sanders		
Coleman	Kildee	Sawyer		
Collins (IL) Collins (MI)	Kleczka Klink	Schroeder Schumer		
Condit	LaFalce	Scott		
Conyers	Lambert-Lincoln	Serrano		
Costello	Lantos	Sisisky		
Coyne Cramer	Laughlin	Skaggs		
Danner	Levin Lewis (GA)	Skelton Slaughter		
de la Garza	Lipinski	Spratt		
Deal	Lofgren	Stenholm		
DeFazio	Lowey	Stokes		
DeLauro Dellums	Luther Maloney	Studds Stupak		
Deutsch	Manton	Tanner		
Dicks	Markey	Tauzin		
Dingell	Martinez	Taylor (MS)		
Dixon	Mascara Matsui	Tejeda Thompson		
Doggett Dooley	McCarthy	Thornton		
Doyle	McDermott	Thurman		
Durbin	McHale	Torres		
Edwards	McKinney	Torricelli		
Engel Eshoo	McNulty Meehan	Towns Traficant		
Evans	Meek	Tucker		
Farr	Menendez	Velazquez		
Fattah	Mfume	Vento		
Fazio Fields (LA)	Miller (CA) Mineta	Visclosky Volkmer		
Filner	Minge	Ward		
Flake	Mink	Waters		
Foglietta	Moakley	Watt (NC)		
Ford	Mollohan	Waxman		
Frank (MA) Frost	Montgomery Moran	Williams Wilson		
Furse	Murtha	Wise		
Gejdenson	Nadler	Woolsey		
Gephardt	Neal	Wyden		
Geren	Oberstar NOES—227	Wynn		
Allard		Plilov		
Allard Archer	Barrett (NE) Bartlett	Bliley Blute		
Armey	Barton	Boehlert		
Bachus	Bass	Boehner		
Baker (CA)	Bateman	Bonilla		
Baker (LA) Ballenger	Bereuter Bilbray	Bono Brownback		
Barr	Bilirakis	Bryant (TN)		
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Brown (FL) Rangel Yates Cunningham Stark

So the motion to commit with instructions was not agreed to.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to title II?

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

So title II was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said title II of House Resolution 5 was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

1.31 CONGRESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

Mr. SHAYS, pursuant to section 108 of House Resolution 6, called up the bill (H.R. 1) to make certain laws appli-