

of the signing of the Treaty of Paris, the declaration in that treaty of the intention of both the U.S. and the United Kingdom to forget all past misunderstandings and differences and to secure perpetual peace and harmony, over 200 years later these goals remain a cornerstone to our strong relationship.

I encourage my colleagues to support this resolution and reaffirm our close ties to our dear ally, Great Britain.

Mr. PAYNE. Mr. Speaker, let me, once again, say what a great occasion it is marking the 225th anniversary of the Treaty of Paris of 1783.

As has been indicated, we are close allies. Many of our organizations, as a matter of fact, the YMCA, which was founded in Great Britain in the late 1840s to take people who were coming into London because of the Industrial Revolution in London and England found a place where they could have a wholesome relationship. Twenty-five years later, that organization was brought to the United States of America. Still we have relations between them, just another example of close ties between the United States and the United Kingdom.

Mr. Speaker, I have no further requests for time, and I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from New Jersey (Mr. PAYNE) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 1063.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds being in the affirmative, the ayes have it.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX and the Chair's prior announcement, further proceedings on this motion will be postponed.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on questions previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order: ordering the previous question on House Resolution 1253; adopting House Resolution 1253, if ordered; and suspending the rules and passing H.R. 6028.

The first electronic vote will be conducted as a 15-minute vote. Remaining electronic votes will be conducted as 5-minute votes.

□ 1245

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 6003, PASSENGER RAIL INVESTMENT AND IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 2008

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on order-

ing the previous question on House Resolution 1253, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on ordering the previous question.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 227, nays 185, not voting 21, as follows:

[Roll No. 391]

YEAS—227

Abercrombie Gordon
Ackerman Green, Gene
Allen Grijalva
Altmire Gutierrez
Andrews Hare
Arcuri Harman
Baca Hastings (FL)
Baird Herseht Sandlin
Baldwin Higgins
Barrow Hinchey
Bean Hinojosa
Becerra Hirono
Berkley Hodes
Berman Holden
Berry Honda
Bilirakis Hooley
Bishop (GA) Hoyer
Bishop (NY) Insee
Blumenauer Israel
Boren Jackson (IL)
Boswell Jackson-Lee
Boucher (TX)
Boyd (FL) Jefferson
Boyda (KS) Johnson (GA)
Brady (PA) Johnson (IL)
Braley (IA) Johnson, E. B.
Brown, Corrine Jones (OH)
Butterfield Kagen
Capps Kanjorski
Capuano Kaptur
Cardoza Kennedy
Carnahan Kildee
Carney Kilpatrick
Carson Kind
Castor Kirk
Cazayoux Klein (FL)
Chandler Kucinich
Childers Langevin
Clarke Larsen (WA)
Clay Larson (CT)
Cleaver Lee
Clyburn Levin
Cohen Lewis (GA)
Conyers Lipinski
Cooper Loebsack
Costa Lofgren, Zoe
Costello Lowey
Courtney Lynch
Cramer Mahoney (FL)
Crowley Maloney (NY)
Cuellar Markey
Davis (AL) Marshall
Davis (CA) Matheson
Davis (IL) Matsui
Davis, Lincoln McCarthy (NY)
DeFazio McCollum (MN)
DeGette McDermott
Delahunt McGovern
DeLauro McIntyre
Dicks McNerney
Doggett McNulty
Donnelly Meeks (NY)
Doyle Melancon
Edwards Michaud
Ellison Miller (NC)
Ellsworth Mitchell
Emanuel Mollohan
Engel Moore (KS)
Eshoo Moore (WI)
Etheridge Moran (VA)
Farr Murphy (CT)
Fattah Murphy, Patrick
Filner Murtha
Foster Nadler
Frank (MA) Napolitano
Giffords Neal (MA)
Gonzalez Oberstar

NAYS—185

Aderholt Bachmann
Akin Bachus
Alexander Barrett (SC)

Bilbray
Bishop (UT)
Blackburn
Blunt
Boehner
Bonner
Bono Mack
Boozman
Boustany
Brady (TX)
Broun (GA)
Brown (SC)
Brown-Waite,
Ginny
Buchanan
Burgess
Burton (IN)
Buyer
Calvert
Camp (MI)
Campbell (CA)
Cannon
Cantor
Capito
Carter
Castle
Chabot
Coble
Cole (OK)
Conaway
Crenshaw
Culberson
Davis (KY)
Davis, David
Davis, Tom
Deal (GA)
Dent
Doolittle
Drake
Dreier
Duncan
Ehlers
Emerson
English (PA)
Everett
Fallin
Feeney
Flake
Forbes
Fortenberry
Fox
Franks (AZ)
Frelinghuysen
Gallegly
Garrett (NJ)
Gerlach
Gilchrest
Gingrey
Gohmert
Goode

Obey
Oliver
Pallone
Pascrell
Pastor
Payne
Perlmutter
Peterson (MN)
Pomeroy
Price (NC)
Rahall
Rangel
Reichert
Reyes
Richardson
Rodriguez
Ros-Lehtinen
Ross
Rothman
Roybal-Allard
Ruppersberger
Ryan (OH)
Salazar
Sanchez, Linda
T.
Sanchez, Loretta
Sarbanes
Schakowsky
Schiff
Schwartz
Scott (GA)
Scott (VA)
Serrano
Sestak
Shea-Porter
Sherman
Shuler
Sires
Skelton
Slaughter
Smith (WA)
Snyder
Solis
Space
Speier
Spratt
Stark
Stupak
Sutton
Tanner
Tauscher
Taylor
Thompson (CA)
Thompson (MS)
Tierney
Towns
Tsongas
Udall (CO)
Udall (NM)
Van Hollen
Velázquez
Visclosky
Walz (MN)
Wasserman
Schultz
Waters
Watson
Watt
Waxman
Weiner
Welch (VT)
Wexler
Wilson (OH)
Woolsey
Wu
Yarmuth

Goodlatte
Granger
Graves
Hall (TX)
Hastings (WA)
Hayes
Heller
Hensarling
Herger
Hill
Hobson
Hoekstra
Hunter
Inglis (SC)
Issa
Johnson, Sam
Jones (NC)
Jordan
Keller
King (IA)
King (NY)
Kingston
Kline (MN)
Knollenberg
Kuhl (NY)
LaHood
Lampson
Latham
LaTourette
Latta
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (KY)
Linder
LoBiondo
Lucas
Lungren, Daniel
E.
Mack
Manzullo
Marchant
McCarthy (CA)
McCauley
McCaul (TX)
McCotter
McHenry
McHugh
McKeon
McMorris
Rodgers
Mica
Miller (FL)
Miller (MI)
Miller, Gary
Moran (KS)
Murphy, Tim
Musgrave
Myrick
Neugebauer
Nunes
Paul
Pearce

NOT VOTING—21

Cubin Gillibrand
Cummings Green, AI
Diaz-Balart, L. Hall (NY)
Diaz-Balart, M. Holt
Dingell Hulshof
Ferguson Lamborn
Fossella McCrery

□ 1310

Mr. DRAKE and Messrs. FRANKS of Arizona, KINGSTON and DOOLITTLE changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

So the previous question was ordered. The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the resolution.

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

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington. Mr. Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered. The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 227, nays 187, not voting 19, as follows:

Bartlett (MD)
Barton (TX)
Biggart

Pence
Peterson (PA)
Petri
Pitts
Platts
Poe
Porter
Price (GA)
Pryce (OH)
Putnam
Radanovich
Ramstad
Regula
Rehberg
Renzi
Reynolds
Rogers (AL)
Rogers (KY)
Rogers (MI)
Rohrabacher
Roskam
Royce
Ryan (WI)
Sali
Saxton
Scalise
Schmidt
Sensenbrenner
Sessions
Shadegg
Shays
Shimkus
Shuster
Simpson
Smith (NE)
Smith (NJ)
Smith (TX)
Souder
Stearns
Sullivan
Terry
Thornberry
Tiahrt
Tiberti
Turner
Upton
Walberg
Walden (OR)
Walsh (NY)
Wamp
Weldon (FL)
Weller
Westmoreland
Whitfield (KY)
Wilson (NM)
Wittman (VA)
Wolf
Young (AK)
Young (FL)

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YEAS—227

Abercrombie Giffords Oberstar
 Ackerman Gonzalez Obey
 Allen Gordon Oliver
 Altmire Green, Gene Pallone
 Andrews Grijalva Pascarell
 Arcuri Gutierrez Pastor
 Baca Hare Payne
 Baird Harman Perlmutter
 Baldwin Hastings (FL) Peterson (MN)
 Barrow Herger Pomeroy
 Bean Herseth Sandlin Price (NC)
 Becerra Higgins Rahall
 Berkley Hinchey Rangel
 Berman Hinojosa Reyes
 Berry Hirono Richardson
 Bishop (GA) Hodes Rodriguez
 Bishop (NY) Holden Ross
 Blumenauer Honda Rothman
 Boren Hoolley Roybal-Allard
 Boswell Hoyer Ruppelberger
 Boucher Inslee Ryan (OH)
 Boyd (FL) Israel Salazar
 Boyda (KS) Jackson (IL) Sanchez, Linda
 Brady (PA) Jackson-Lee T.
 Braley (IA) (TX) Sanchez, Loretta
 Brown, Corrine Jefferson Sarbanes
 Butterfield Johnson (GA) Schakowsky
 Capps Johnson, E. B. Schiff
 Capuano Jones (OH) Schwartz
 Cardoza Kagen Scott (GA)
 Carnahan Kanjorski Scott (VA)
 Carney Kaptur Serrano
 Carson Kennedy Sestak
 Castle Kildee Shea-Porter
 Castor Kilpatrick Sherman
 Cazayoux Kind Shuler
 Chandler Klein (FL) Sires
 Childers Kucinich Skelton
 Clarke Lampson Slaughter
 Clay Langevin Smith (WA)
 Cleaver Larsen (WA) Snyder
 Clyburn Larson (CT) Solis
 Cohen Lee Space
 Conyers Levin Speier
 Cooper Lewis (GA) Spratt
 Costa Lipinski Stark
 Costello Loeb sack Stupak
 Courtney Lofgren, Zoe Sutton
 Cramer Lowey Tanner
 Crowley Lynch Tauscher
 Cuellar Mahoney (FL) Taylor
 Davis (AL) Maloney (NY) Thompson (CA)
 Davis (CA) Markey Thompson (MS)
 Davis (IL) Marshall
 Davis, Lincoln Matheson
 Davis, Tom Matsui
 DeFazio McCarthy (NY) Towns
 DeGette McCollum (MN) Tsongas
 Delahunt McDermott Udall (CO)
 DeLauro McGovern Udall (NM)
 Dent McIntyre Van Hollen
 Dicks Mc Nerney Velázquez
 Doggett McNulty Vislosky
 Donnelly Meeks (NY) Walz (MN)
 Doyle Michaud Wasserman
 Edwards Miller (NC) Schultz
 Ellison Mitchell Waters
 Ellsworth Mollohan Watson
 Emanuel Moore (KS) Watt
 Engel Moore (WI) Waxman
 Eshoo Moran (VA) Weiner
 Etheridge Murphy (CT) Welch (VT)
 Farr Murphy, Patrick Wexler
 Fattah Murtha Wilson (OH)
 Filner Nadler Woolsey
 Foster Napolitano Wu
 Frank (MA) Neal (MA) Yarmuth
 Young (AK)

NAYS—187

Aderholt Boozman Carter
 Akin Boustany Chabot
 Alexander Brady (TX) Coble
 Bachmann Brown (GA) Cole (OK)
 Bachus Brown (SC) Conaway
 Barrett (SC) Brown-Waite, Crenshaw
 Bartlett (MD) Ginny Culberson
 Barton (TX) Buchanan Davis (KY)
 Biggert Burgess Davis, David
 Bilbray Burton (IN) Deal (GA)
 Bilirakis Buyer Diaz-Balart, L.
 Bishop (UT) Calvert Diaz-Balart, M.
 Blackburn Camp (MI) Doolittle
 Blunt Campbell (CA) Drake
 Boehner Cannon Dreier
 Bonner Cantor Duncan
 Bono Mack Capito Ehlers

Emerson LaTourette Renzi
 English (PA) Latta Reynolds
 Everett Lewis (CA) Rogers (AL)
 Fallin Lewis (KY) Rogers (KY)
 Feeney Linder Rogers (MI)
 Flake LoBiondo Rohrabacher
 Forbes Lucas Ros-Lehtinen
 Fortenberry Lungren, Daniel
 Foxx E. Roskam
 Franks (AZ) Mack Royce
 Frelinghuysen Manzullo Ryan (WI)
 Gallegly McHenry Sali
 Garrett (NJ) McCaul (TX) Saxton
 Gerlach McCotter Scalise
 Gilchrest McHenry Schmidt
 Gingrey McHugh Sensenbrenner
 Gohmert McKeon Sessions
 Goode McMorris Shadegg
 Goodlatte Rodgers Shays
 Granger Mica Shimkus
 Graves Miller (FL) Shuster
 Hall (TX) Miller (MI) Simpson
 Hastings (WA) Miller, Gary Smith (NE)
 Hayes Moran (KS) Smith (NJ)
 Heller Murphy, Tim Smith (TX)
 Hensarling Musgrave Souder
 Hill Myrick Stearns
 Hobson Neugebauer Sullivan
 Hoekstra Nunes Terry
 Hunter Paul Thornberry
 Inglis (SC) Pearce Tiahrt
 Issa Pence Tiberi
 Johnson (IL) Peterson (PA) Turner
 Johnson, Sam Petri Upton
 Jones (NC) Pickering Walberg
 Jordan Pitts Walden (OR)
 Keller Platts Walsh (NY)
 King (IA) Poe Wamp
 King (NY) Porter Weldon (FL)
 Kingston Price (GA) Weller
 Kirk Pryce (OH) Westmoreland
 Kline (MN) Putnam Whitfield (KY)
 Knollenberg Radanovich Wilson (NM)
 Kuhl (NY) Ramstad Wittman (VA)
 LaHood Regula Wolf
 Lamborn Rehberg
 Latham Reichert Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—19

Cubin Hall (NY) Miller, George
 Cummings Holt Ortiz
 Dingell Hulshof Rush
 Ferguson Marchant Tancredo
 Fossella McCrery Wilson (SC)
 Gillibrand Meek (FL)
 Green, Al Melancon

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE
 The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are 2 minutes remaining.

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So the resolution was agreed to.
 The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. HALL of New York. Mr. Speaker, on roll-call Nos. 391 and 392, I did not receive a page. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" and "yea."

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. AL GREEN of Texas. Mr. Speaker, today I was unavoidably delayed and missed the vote on Ordering the Previous Question (rollcall 391) and H. Res. 1253—Rule providing for consideration of H.R. 6003—Passenger Rail Investment and Improvement Act of 2008 (rollcall 392). Had I been present I would have voted "yea" on rollcall 391 and rollcall 392.

MERIDA INITIATIVE TO COMBAT ILLICIT NARCOTICS AND REDUCE ORGANIZED CRIME AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 2008

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 6028, as amended, on which the yeas and nays were ordered.

The Clerk read the title of the bill. The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from California (Mr. BERMAN) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 6028, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote. The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 311, nays 106, not voting 16, as follows:

[Roll No. 393]

YEAS—311

Abercrombie DeFazio Kagen
 Ackerman DeGette Kanjorski
 Alexander Delahunt Kaptur
 Allen DeLauro Keller
 Altmire Dent Kennedy
 Andrews Diaz-Balart, L. Kildee
 Arcuri Diaz-Balart, M. Kilpatrick
 Baca Dicks Kind
 Bachus Doggett King (NY)
 Baird Donnelly Kirk
 Barrow Doolittle Klein (FL)
 Bartlett (MD) Doyle Knollenberg
 Barton (TX) Drake Kuhl (NY)
 Bean Dreier LaHood
 Becerra Edwards Lampson
 Berkley Ehlers Langevin
 Berman Emanuel Larsen (WA)
 Berry Emerson Larson (CT)
 Biggert Engel Latham
 Bilbray English (PA) LaTourette
 Bishop (GA) Eshoo Levin
 Bishop (NY) Etheridge Lewis (CA)
 Blumenauer Fallin Lewis (KY)
 Blunt Farr Lipinski
 Boehner Fattah LoBiondo
 Bono Mack Fortenberry Loeb sack
 Boozman Foster Lofgren, Zoe
 Boren Frank (MA) Lowey
 Boswell Frelinghuysen Lucas
 Boucher Gallegly Lungren, Daniel
 Boustany Garrett (NJ) E.
 Boyd (FL) Gerlach Lynch
 Boyda (KS) Giffords Mack
 Brady (PA) Gilchrest Mahoney (FL)
 Braley (IA) Gonzalez Maloney (NY)
 Brown (SC) Gordon Markey
 Brown, Corrine Green, Al Marshall
 Buchanan Green, Gene Matheson
 Butterfield Grijalva Matsui
 Calvert Gutierrez McCarthy (CA)
 Camp (MI) Hall (NY) McCarthy (NY)
 Cannon Hare McCollum (MN)
 Capito Harman McHugh
 Capps Hastings (FL) McKeon
 Capuano Hastings (WA) McMorris
 Cardoza Hayes Rodgers
 Carnahan Herger McNerney
 Castle Herseth Sandlin McNulty
 Castor Higgins Meeks (NY)
 Cazayoux Hill Melancon
 Chandler Hinchey Michaud
 Childers Hinojosa Miller (MI)
 Clay Hirono Miller (NC)
 Cleaver Hobson Miller, George
 Clyburn Hodes Mitchell
 Cohen Holden Mollohan
 Conaway Honda Moore (KS)
 Cooper Hoolley Moran (KS)
 Costa Hoyer Moran (VA)
 Courtney Inglis (SC) Murphy (CT)
 Cramer Inslee Murphy, Patrick
 Crenshaw Israel Murphy, Tim
 Crowley Issa Murtha
 Cuellar Jackson (IL) Myrick
 Davis (AL) Jackson-Lee Nadler
 Davis (CA) (TX) Napolitano
 Davis (IL) Jefferson Neal (MA)
 Davis (KY) Johnson (GA) Nunes
 Davis, Lincoln Johnson (IL) Oberstar
 Davis, Tom Johnson, E. B. Obey