

NAYS—1

Paul

NOT VOTING—15

Barrett (SC)	Graves	Kilpatrick (MI)
Blunt	Griffith	Manzullo
Boucher	Hinojosa	Ryan (WI)
Conyers	Hoekstra	Wamp
Davis (AL)	Jackson Lee	
Fallin	(TX)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Two minutes remain in this vote.

□ 1508

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.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, May 24, 2010.

Hon. NANCY PELOSI,
The Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MADAM SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of a letter received from Mr. Scott T. Nago, Chief Election Officer, Office of Elections, State of Hawaii, indicating that, according to the unofficial returns of the Special Election held May 22, 2010, the Honorable Charles Djou was elected Representative to Congress for the First Congressional District, State of Hawaii.

With best wishes, I am
Sincerely,

LORRAINE C. MILLER,
Clerk.

By Robert F. Reeves, Deputy Clerk.
Enclosure.

STATE OF HAWAII,
OFFICE OF ELECTIONS,
Pearl City, HI, May 23, 2010.

Hon. LORRAINE C. MILLER,
Clerk, House of Representatives,
The Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR MS. MILLER: This is to advise you that the unofficial results of the Special Election held on Saturday, May 22, 2010 for Representative in Congress from the First Congressional District of Hawaii shows that Charles Djou (R) received the most votes of the total number cast for that office.

It would appear from the unofficial results that Charles Djou (R) was elected Representative from the First Congressional District of Hawaii. We are unaware of any election contests at this time.

As soon as the official results are certified, an official Certificate of Election will be transmitted as required by law.

Sincerely,

SCOTT T. NAGO,
Chief Election Officer.

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Congressional District I		98 of 98
(R) Djou, Charles	(67,610, 39.4%)

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Congressional District I		98 of 98
(D) Hanabusa, Colleen	(52,802, 30.8%)
(D) Case, Ed	(47,391, 27.6%)
(D) Del Castillo, Rafael (Del)	.....	(664, 0.4%)
(N) Strode, Kalaeloa	.....	(491, 0.3%)
(N) Brewer, Jim	.....	(273, 0.2%)
(D) Lee, Philmund (Phil)	.....	(254, 0.1%)
(R) Collins, Charles (Googie)	.....	(194, 0.1%)
(R) Amsterdam, C. Kauai Jochanan	.....	(170, 0.1%)
(D) Browne, Vinny	.....	(150, 0.1%)
(N) Tataii, Steve	.....	(125, 0.1%)
(R) Crum, Douglas	.....	(107, 0.1%)
(R) Giuffre, John (Raghu)	.....	(82, 0.0%)
(N) Moseley, Karl F.	.....	(80, 0.0%)
Blank Votes:	.....	(135, 1.1%)
Over Votes:	.....	(889, 1.5%)
REGISTRATION AND TURNOUT SPECIAL		
TOTAL REGISTRATION	.....	(317, 337)
TOTAL TURNOUT	.....	(171,417, 54.0%)
PRECINCT TURNOUT	.....	(169,104, 53.3%)
ABSENTEE TURNOUT	.....	(2,313, 0.7%)
OVERSEAS BALLOTS CAST		
OVERSEAS TURNOUT	.....	(296, 0.0%)
1ST CONGRESSIONAL	.....	(296)
2ND CONGRESSIONAL	.....	(0)

SWEARING IN OF THE HONORABLE CHARLES DJOU, OF HAWAII, AS A MEMBER OF THE HOUSE

Ms. HIRONO. Madam Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the gentleman from Hawaii, the Honorable CHARLES DJOU, be permitted to take the oath of office today.

His certificate of election has not arrived, but there is no contest and no question has been raised with regard to his election.

The SPEAKER. Is there objection to the request of the gentlewoman from Hawaii?

There was no objection.

The SPEAKER. Will the Representative-elect and the Hawaiian delegation present themselves in the well.

Mr. DJOU appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office, as follows:

Do you solemnly swear or affirm that you will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that you will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that you take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that you will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which you are about to enter, so help you God.

The SPEAKER. Congratulations, you are now a Member of the 111th Congress.

WELCOMING THE HONORABLE CHARLES DJOU TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the gentlewoman from Hawaii (Ms. HIRONO) is recognized for 1 minute.

There was no objection.

Ms. HIRONO. Madam Speaker, I would like to introduce to you and our colleagues today Congressman CHARLES DJOU, the newest member of Hawaii's large delegation.

Born in Los Angeles, Congressman DJOU's family moved to Hawaii when he was three. He is a graduate of Punahou School in Honolulu, the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, and the University of Southern California Law School. By the way, he attended the same school as our President.

Congressman DJOU most recently served as one of nine members of the Honolulu City Council, where he represented District 4, the area extending from Waikiki to Hawaii Kai. He served as the chairman of the Executive Matters and Legal Affairs Committee, vice chair of the Planning Committee, and as a member of the Transportation and Public Safety and Services Committee. He was first elected to his seat in 2002 and reelected in 2006. He previously served one term in the Hawaii House of Representatives, from 2000 to 2002, and was the minority floor leader.

Hawaii is one of the most ethnically and culturally diverse States in our country, and that diverse heritage is exemplified in Congress DJOU's unique French variation on a Chinese surname, which goes back to his grandfather in Shanghai. I will let Congressman DJOU tell you that story himself.

Now I extend a warm, warm aloha to Congressman DJOU, his wife, Stacey Kawasaki Djou, and their three children. I know that they and all the members of your family are very proud today, CHARLES, as you become a Member of the people's House.

I look forward to working with you, CHARLES, to ensure that the needs of the people of Hawaii are met and that their voices are represented in the people's House.

Congratulations.

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Mr. BOEHNER. Will the gentlewoman yield?

Ms. HIRONO. I yield to the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. BOEHNER).

Mr. BOEHNER. On behalf of the House Republican Conference, let me welcome Congressman CHARLES DJOU, his wife, Stacey, and their children, family and guests to our Nation's Capitol.

CHARLES understands what it means to pursue the American Dream because he's lived it. CHARLES' mother was from Bangkok, Thailand, his father, from China, raised in Hong Kong. And during the Communist Revolution of China in 1948, his grandfather fled from Shanghai to Hong Kong which, at the time, was under British control.

So CHARLES is the son of immigrants and a devoted young husband and father with three beautiful children. He serves as an officer in the U.S. Army Reserve, which gives him a deep appreciation for the sacrifices made by the many men and women of our military he will now represent in this body.

He served his community, as you've heard, as a former member of the city council in Honolulu, and a former minority leader in the Hawaii State

House. And as most of you know, this son of immigrants is about to begin a new chapter of his life representing the people of Hawaii.

CHARLES, on behalf of our conference and all of the Members of the U.S. House of Representatives, we welcome you to our Nation's Capitol, and look forward to your service on behalf of the people of the First District of Hawaii.

The SPEAKER. Without objection, the gentleman from Hawaii is recognized.

There was no objection.

Mr. DJOU. Madam Speaker, Leader BOEHNER, my colleague Congresswoman HIRONO, Members of the House of Representatives, aloha.

Today, I am extraordinarily humbled to have the incredible honor of entering the United States House of Representatives. And I understand with this incredible honor comes incredible responsibility, and I feel privileged to call myself a colleague of all of yours.

The reason I am here today, however, is not because of anything that I have done but, instead, thanks must go to a whole bunch of individuals who put an enormous effort to helping me become a Member.

First and foremost, I want to thank my family, my parents, who raised me, my wonderful children, Nicholas, Victoria and Alexandria. They are the reason I get up every morning and consider myself so blessed to have so much and driven to do so much more. And most of all, my wife, Stacey, who is my confidante, my best friend, my most trusted adviser and the reason I go on every day and the reason I am so successful.

Second, of course, I want to thank all of my hardworking volunteers. It is only because of their enormous amount of hard work, standing with me in the hot sun, doing the unique Hawaiian practice of sign waving, coupled with going door to door with me and phone-banking, that I was able to communicate my message to the voters of Hawaii.

Third, I want to thank the voters from Hawaii for bestowing upon me this incredible privilege. I want all of the voters to know that every single day I have the privilege of serving them I will never, ever forget the trust and confidence they have vested in me.

And, finally, I want to thank the American people. It is a testimony to the greatness of the United States of America that I, a son of immigrants from China and Thailand, have the privilege of calling myself a Member of the United States Congress.

It is a testimony to the greatness of our Nation that, had I been born in the home nation of either one of my parents, the idea of calling myself the maker of laws in my parents' home nation would be laughable. But it is because of the good fortune that I was born and today call myself an American that I have this amazing privilege.

I am eager to start work, eager to work with all of you. I look forward to

beginning the hard work of doing good, bringing change and restoring our Nation to prosperity. Thank you all very much.

And as we say in Hawaii, mahalo aloha, best wishes.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER

The SPEAKER. Under clause 5(d) of rule XX, the Chair announces to the House that, in light of the administration of the oath to the gentleman from Hawaii, the whole number of the House is now 432.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. CUMMINGS). Without objection, 5-minute voting will continue.

There was no objection.

EXPRESSING SYMPATHY TO FAMILIES OF SOUTH KOREAN SEAMEN KILLED BY NORTH KOREA

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 1382.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from American Samoa (Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 1382.

The question was taken.

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

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia. Mr. Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 411, noes 3, not voting 17, as follows:

[Roll No. 296]

AYES—411

Ackerman	Bishop (UT)	Calvert	Issa	Neal (MA)
Aderholt	Blackburn	Camp	Jackson (IL)	Neugebauer
Adler (NJ)	Blumenauer	Campbell	Jenkins	Nunes
Akin	Bocchieri	Cantor	Johnson (GA)	Nye
Alexander	Boehner	Cao	Johnson (IL)	Oberstar
Altmire	Bonner	Capito	Johnson, E. B.	Obey
Andrews	Bono Mack	Capps	Johnson, Sam	Olson
Arcuri	Boozman	Capuano	Jordan (OH)	Oliver
Austria	Boren	Cardoza	Kagen	Ortiz
Baca	Boswell	Carnahan	Kanjorski	Owens
Bachmann	Boucher	Carney	Kaptur	Pallone
Bachus	Boustany	Carson (IN)	Kennedy	Pascarell
Baird	Boyd	Carter	Kildee	Pastor (AZ)
Baldwin	Brady (PA)	Cassidy	Kilroy	Paulsen
Barrow	Brady (TX)	Castle	Kind	Payne
Bartlett	Braley (IA)	Castor (FL)	King (IA)	Perce
Barton (TX)	Bright	Chaffetz	King (NY)	Perlmutter
Bean	Brown (GA)	Chandler	Kingston	Perriello
Bean	Brown (SC)	Childers	Kirk	Peters
Becerra	Brown, Corrine	Chu	Kirkpatrick (AZ)	Peterson
Berkley	Brown-Waite,	Clarke	Kissell	Petri
Berman	Brown-Waite,	Clay	Klein (FL)	Pingree (ME)
Berry	Brown-Waite,	Clay	Kline (MN)	Pitts
Biggert	Buchanan	Cleaver	Kosmas	Platts
Bilbray	Burgess	Clyburn	Kratovil	Poe (TX)
Bilirakis	Burton (IN)	Coble	Lamborn	Polis (CO)
Bishop (GA)	Butterfield	Coffman (CO)	Lance	Pomerooy
Bishop (NY)	Buyer	Cohen	Langevin	Posey
			Larsen (WA)	Price (GA)
			Larson (CT)	Price (NC)
			Latham	Putnam
			LaTourrette	Quigley
			Latta	Radanovich
			Lee (CA)	Rahall
			Lee (NY)	Rangel
			Levin	Rehberg
			Lewis (CA)	Reichert
			Lewis (GA)	Reyes
			Linder	Richardson
			Lipinski	Rodriguez
			LoBiondo	Roe (TN)
			Loeb sack	Rogers (AL)
			Lofgren, Zoe	Rogers (KY)
			Lowe y	Rogers (MI)
			Lucas	Rohrabacher
			Luetkemeyer	Rooney
			Lujan	Ros-Lehtinen
			Lummis	Roskam
			Lungren, Daniel	Ross
			E.	Rothman (NJ)
			Lynch	Royal-Ballard
			Mack	Royce
			Maffei	Ruppersberger
			Maloney	Rush
			Marchant	Ryan (OH)
			Markey (CO)	Salazar
			Markey (MA)	Sánchez, Linda
			Marshall	T.
			Garrett (NJ)	Sanchez, Loretta
			Matheson	Sarbanes
			Matsui	Scalise
			McCarthy (CA)	Schakowsky
			McCarthy (NY)	Schauer
			McCaul	Schiff
			McClintock	Schmidt
			McCollum	Schock
			McCotter	Schrader
			McDermott	Schwartz
			McGovern	Scott (GA)
			McHenry	Scott (VA)
			McIntyre	Sensenbrenner
			McKeon	Serrano
			McMahon	Sessions
			McMorris	Sestak
			Rodgers	Shadegg
			McNerney	Shea-Porter
			Meek (FL)	Sherman
			Meeks (NY)	Shimkus
			Melancon	Shuler
			Mica	Shuster
			Michaud	Simpson
			Miller (FL)	Sires
			Miller (MI)	Skelton
			Miller (NC)	Slaughter
			Miller, Gary	Smith (NE)
			Miller, George	Smith (NJ)
			Minnick	Smith (TX)
			Mitchell	Smith (WA)
			Mollohan	Snyder
			Moore (KS)	Space
			Moore (WI)	Speier
			Moran (KS)	Spratt
			Moran (VA)	Stark
			Moran (WA)	Stearns
			Murphy (CT)	Stupak
			Murphy (NY)	Sullivan
			Murphy, Patrick	Sutton
			Murphy, Tim	Tanner
			Myrick	Taylor
			Nadler (NY)	
			Napolitano	