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This message and accompanying papers referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the Committee on Financial Services, the Committee on House Administration, the Committee on the Judiciary, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, the Committee on Rules, the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, the Committee on Small Business, the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and the Committee on Ways and Means.

To the Congress of the United States:

Today, I am pleased to submit to the Congress the enclosed legislative proposal, the "American Jobs Act of 2011," together with a section-by-section analysis of the legislation.

The American people understand that the economic crisis and the deep recession were not created overnight and will not be solved overnight. The economic security of the middle class has been under attack for decades. That is why I believe we need to do more than just recover from this economic crisis—we need to rebuild the economy the American way, based on balance, fairness, and the same set of rules for everyone from Wall Street to Main Street. We can work together to create the jobs of the future by helping small business entrepreneurs, by investing in education, and by making things the world buys.

To create jobs, I am submitting the American Jobs Act of 2011—nearly all of which is made up of the kinds of proposals supported by both Republicans and Democrats, and that the Congress should pass right away to get the economy moving now. The purpose of the American Jobs Act of 2011 is simple: put more people back to work and put more money in the pockets of working Americans. And it will do so without adding a dime to the deficit.

First, the American Jobs Act of 2011 provides a tax cut for small businesses, to help them hire and expand now, and an additional tax cut to any business that hires or increases wages. In addition, the American Jobs Act of 2011 puts more money in the pockets of working and middle class Americans by cutting in half the payroll tax that comes out of the paycheck of every worker, saving typical families an average of \$1,500 a year.

Second, the American Jobs Act of 2011 puts more people back to work, including teachers laid off by State budget cuts, first responders and veterans coming back from Iraq and Afghanistan, and construction workers repairing crumbling bridges, roads and more than 35,000 schools, with projects chosen by need and impact, not earmarks

and politics. It will repair and refurbish hundreds of thousands of foreclosed homes and businesses in communities across the country.

Third, the American Jobs Act of 2011 helps out-of-work Americans by extending unemployment benefits to help them support their families while looking for work, and by reforming the system with training programs that build real skills, connect to real jobs, and help the long-term unemployed. It bans employers from discriminating against the unemployed when hiring, and provides a new tax credit to employers hiring workers who have been out of a job for over 6 months. And, it expands job opportunities for hundreds of thousands of low-income youth and adults through a new Pathways Back to Work Fund that supports summer and year round jobs for youth; innovative new job training programs to connect low-income workers to jobs quickly; and successful programs to encourage employers to bring on disadvantaged workers.

Lastly, this legislation is fully paid for. The legislation includes specific offsets to close corporate tax loopholes and asks the wealthiest Americans to pay their fair share that more than cover the cost of the jobs measures. The legislation also increases the deficit reduction target for the Joint Committee by the amount of the cost of the jobs package and specifies that, if the Committee reaches that higher target, then their measures would replace and turn off the specific offsets in this legislation.

I urge the prompt and favorable consideration of this proposal.

BARACK OBAMA.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 12, 2011.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, proceedings will resume on motions to suspend the rules previously postponed.

Votes will be taken in the following order:

H.R. 2076, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 2633, by the yeas and nays;

H.R. 1059, by the yeas and nays.

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

INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANCE FOR VIOLENT CRIMES ACT OF 2011

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2076) to amend title 28, United States Code, to clarify the statutory authority for the longstanding practice of the Department of Justice of providing investigatory assistance on request of State and local authorities with respect to certain serious violent crimes, and for other purposes, 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 South Carolina (Mr. GOWDY) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 358, nays 9, not voting 64, as follows:

[Roll No. 699]

YEAS—358

Ackerman	DesJarlais	Johnson, E. B.
Adams	Deutch	Johnson, Sam
Aderholt	Diaz-Balart	Jones
Akin	Dicks	Jordan
Alexander	Dingell	Kaptur
Altmire	Dold	Keating
Andrews	Donnelly (IN)	Kelly
Baca	Doyle	Kildee
Bachus	Dreier	Kind
Baldwin	Duffy	Kingston
Barrow	Duncan (SC)	Kissell
Bartlett	Duncan (TN)	Kline
Barton (TX)	Edwards	Kucinich
Bass (CA)	Ellison	Labrador
Bass (NH)	Ellmers	Lance
Becerra	Emerson	Landry
Berg	Eshoo	Langevin
Berkley	Farenthold	Lankford
Biggart	Farr	Larsen (WA)
Bilbray	Fattah	Larson (CT)
Bilirakis	Finler	Latham
Bishop (GA)	Fincher	LaTourette
Bishop (NY)	Fitzpatrick	Latta
Black	Fleischmann	Lee (CA)
Blackburn	Fleming	Levin
Blumenauer	Flores	Lewis (CA)
Bonner	Forbes	LoBiondo
Bono Mack	Fortenberry	Loebsack
Boren	Fox	Lofgren, Zoe
Boswell	Frelinghuysen	Long
Boustany	Fudge	Lowey
Brady (PA)	Garamendi	Lucas
Brady (TX)	Gardner	Luetkemeyer
Bralley (IA)	Garrett	Lujan
Brooks	Gerlach	Lummis
Brown (FL)	Gibbs	Lungren, Daniel
Bucshon	Gibson	E.
Buerkle	Gingrey (GA)	Mack
Burgess	Gohmert	Maloney
Burton (IN)	Gonzalez	Manzullo
Butterfield	Goodlatte	Markey
Calvert	Gosar	Matheson
Camp	Gowdy	Matsui
Campbell	Granger	McCarthy (CA)
Canseco	Graves (MO)	McCarthy (NY)
Capito	Green, Gene	McCaul
Capps	Griffin (AR)	McCollum
Carnahan	Griffith (VA)	McCotter
Carney	Grijalva	McDermott
Carson (IN)	Grimm	McGovern
Carter	Guinta	McHenry
Cassidy	Guthrie	McIntyre
Castor (FL)	Hahn	McKeon
Chabot	Hall	McKinley
Cicilline	Hanabusa	McMorris
Clarke (MI)	Hanna	Rodgers
Clarke (NY)	Harper	McNerney
Clay	Harris	Meehan
Cleaver	Hartzler	Mica
Clyburn	Hastings (FL)	Michaud
Coble	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)
Coffman (CO)	Hayworth	Miller (MI)
Cohen	Heck	Miller (NC)
Cole	Hensarling	Moore
Conaway	Herrera Beutler	Mulvaney
Connolly (VA)	Higgins	Murphy (PA)
Conyers	Himes	Myrick
Cooper	Hinojosa	Napolitano
Costa	Hirono	Neal
Courtney	Hochul	Nugent
Cravaack	Holden	Nunes
Crawford	Honda	Nunnelee
Crenshaw	Hoyer	Olson
Critz	Huelskamp	Olver
Crowley	Huizenga (MI)	Owens
Cuellar	Hultgren	Palazzo
Culberson	Hunter	Pallone
Cummings	Hurt	Pascrell
Davis (CA)	Israel	Pearce
Davis (IL)	Issa	Pelosi
DeGette	Jackson (IL)	Pence
DeLauro	Jenkins	Perlmutter
Denham	Johnson (IL)	Peters
Dent	Johnson (OH)	Peterson

Petri Sánchez, Linda
 Pingree (ME) T.
 Pitts Sanchez, Loretta
 Platts Sarbanes
 Pompeo Scalise
 Posey Schakowsky
 Price (GA) Schiff
 Price (NC) Schilling
 Quayle Schmidt
 Quigley Schock
 Rangel Schrader
 Reed Schwartz
 Rehberg Schweikert
 Reichert Scott (SC)
 Renacci Scott (VA)
 Richardson Scott, Austin
 Richmond Scott, David
 Rigell Sensenbrenner
 Rivera Serrano
 Roby Sewell
 Roe (TN) Sherman
 Rogers (AL) Shimkus
 Rogers (KY) Shuster
 Rogers (MI) Simpson
 Rokita Sires
 Rooney Slaughter
 Ros-Lehtinen Smith (NE)
 Roskam Smith (TX)
 Ross (AR) Southerland
 Ross (FL) Speier
 Rothman (NJ) Stearns
 Roybal-Allard Stivers
 Runyan Stutzman
 Ruppberger Sullivan
 Ryan (OH) Sutton
 Ryan (WI) Terry

NAYS—9

Amash Flake
 Benishek Graves (GA)
 Broun (GA) McClintock

NOT VOTING—64

Austria Gutierrez
 Bachmann Heinrich
 Barletta Hergert
 Berman Hinchey
 Bishop (UT) Holt
 Buchanan Insee
 Cantor Jackson Lee
 Capuano (TX)
 Cardoza Johnson (GA)
 Chaffetz King (IA)
 Chandler King (NY)
 Chu Kinzinger (IL)
 Costello Lamborn
 Davis (KY) Lewis (GA)
 DeFazio Lipinski
 Doggett Lynch
 Engel Marchant
 Frank (MA) Marino
 Franks (AZ) Meeks
 Gallegly Miller, Gary
 Giffords Miller, George
 Green, Al Moran

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

□ 1857

Messrs. ROHRBACHER and GRAVES of Georgia changed their vote from “yea” to “nay.”

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Stated for:

Mr. HERGER. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, I was unavoidably detained. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. RAHALL. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

Mr. MARCHANT. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 699, my plane flight was delayed. Had I been present, I would have voted “yes.”

APPEAL TIME CLARIFICATION ACT OF 2011

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2633) to amend title 28, United States Code, to clarify the time limits for appeals in civil cases to which United States officers or employees are parties, 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 North Carolina (Mr. COBLE) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 384, nays 0, not voting 47, as follows:

[Roll No. 700]
 YEAS—384

Ackerman Coble
 Adams Coffman (CO)
 Aderholt Cohen
 Akin Cole
 Alexander Conaway
 Altmire Connolly (VA)
 Amash Conyers
 Andrews Cooper
 Austria Costa
 Baca Courtney
 Bachus Cravaack
 Baldwin Crawford
 Barrow Crenshaw
 Bartlett Critz
 Barton (TX) Crowley
 Bass (CA) Cuellar
 Bass (NH) Culberson
 Becerra Cummings
 Benishek Davis (CA)
 Berg Davis (IL)
 Berkeley DeGette
 Berman DeLauro
 Biggert Denham
 Bilbray Dent
 Bilirakis DesJarlais
 Bishop (GA) Deutch
 Bishop (NY) Diaz-Balart
 Bishop (UT) Dicks
 Black Dingell
 Blackburn Doggett
 Blumenauer Dold
 Bonner Donnelly (IN)
 Bono Mack Doyle
 Boren Dreier
 Boswell Duffy
 Boustany Duncan (SC)
 Brady (PA) Duncan (TN)
 Brady (TX) Edwards
 Braley (IA) Ellison
 Brooks Ellmers
 Broun (GA) Emerson
 Brown (FL) Eshoo
 Bucshon Farenthold
 Buerkle Farr
 Burgess Fattah
 Burton (IN) Filner
 Butterfield Fincher
 Calvert Fitzpatrick
 Camp Flake
 Campbell Fleischmann
 Canseco Fleming
 Cantor Flores
 Capito Forbes
 Capps Fortenberry
 Carnahan Foxx
 Carney Frelinghuysen
 Carson (IN) Fudge
 Carter Garamendi
 Cassidy Gardner
 Castor (FL) Garrett
 Chabot Gerlach
 Chandler Gibbs
 Chu Gibson
 Cicilline Gingrey (GA)
 Clarke (MI) Gohmert
 Clarke (NY) Gonzalez
 Clay Goodlatte
 Cleaver Gosar
 Clyburn Gowdy

Latta
 Lee (CA)
 Levin
 Lewis (CA)
 LoBiondo
 Loeb sack
 Lofgren, Zoe
 Long
 Lowey
 Lucas
 Luetkemeyer
 Luján
 Lummis
 Lungren, Daniel E.
 Mack
 Maloney
 Manzullo
 Marchant
 Markey
 Matheson
 Matsui
 McCarthy (CA)
 McCarthy (NY)
 McCaul
 McClintock
 McCollum
 McCotter
 McDermott
 McGovern
 McHenry
 McIntyre
 McKeon
 McKinley
 McMorris
 Rodgers
 McNerney
 Meehan
 Meeks
 Mica
 Michaud
 Miller (FL)
 Miller (MI)
 Miller (NC)
 Critz
 Moore
 Mulvaney
 Murphy (PA)
 Myrick
 Napolitano
 Neal
 Nugent
 Nunes
 Nunnelee
 Olson
 Olver
 Owens
 Palazzo
 Pallone
 Pascrell
 Pearce

NOT VOTING—47

Bachmann Holt
 Barletta Hurt
 Buchanan Jackson Lee
 Capuano (TX)
 Cardoza King (NY)
 Chaffetz Kinzinger (IL)
 Costello Lewis (GA)
 Davis (KY) Lipinski
 DeFazio Lynch
 Engel Marino
 Frank (MA) Miller, Gary
 Franks (AZ) Miller, George
 Gallegly Moran
 Giffords Murphy (CT)
 Green, Al Nadler
 Heinrich Neugebauer
 Hinchey Noem

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). There are less than 2 minutes remaining in this vote.

□ 1904

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the bill, as amended, was passed.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Granger
 Graves (GA)
 Graves (MO)
 Green, Gene
 Griffin (AR)
 Griffith (VA)
 Grijalva
 Grimm
 Guinta
 Guthrie
 Gutierrez
 Hahn
 Hall
 Hanabusa
 Hanna
 Harper
 Harris
 Hartzler
 Hastings (FL)
 Hastings (WA)
 Hayworth
 Heck
 Hensarling
 Hergert
 Dent
 Herrera Beutler
 Higgins
 Himes
 Hinojosa
 Hirono
 Hochul
 Holden
 Honda
 Hoyer
 Huelskamp
 Huizenga (MI)
 Hultgren
 Hunter
 Insee
 Israel
 Issa
 Jackson (IL)
 Jenkins
 Johnson (GA)
 Johnson (IL)
 Johnson (OH)
 Johnson, E. B.
 Johnson, Sam
 Jones
 Jordan
 Kaptur
 Keating
 Kelly
 Kildee
 Kind
 King (IA)
 Kingston
 Kissell
 Kline
 Kucinich
 Labrador
 Lamborn
 Lance
 Landry
 Langevin
 Lankford
 Larsen (WA)
 Larson (CT)
 Latham
 LaTourette

Pelosi
 Pence
 Perlmutter
 Peters
 Peterson
 Petri
 Pingree (ME)
 Pitts
 Platts
 Pompeo
 Posey
 Price (GA)
 Price (NC)
 Quayle
 Quigley
 Rahall
 Rangel
 Reed
 Rehberg
 Reichert
 Renacci
 Ribble
 Richardson
 Richmond
 Rigell
 Rivera
 Roby
 Roe (TN)
 Rogers (AL)
 Rogers (KY)
 Rogers (MI)
 Rohrabacher
 Rokita
 Rooney
 Ros-Lehtinen
 Roskam
 Ross (AR)
 Ross (FL)
 Rothman (NJ)
 Roybal-Allard
 Royce
 Runyan
 Ruppberger
 Ryan (OH)
 Ryan (WI)
 Sánchez, Linda T.
 Sanchez, Loretta
 Sarbanes
 Scalise
 Schakowsky
 Schiff
 Schilling
 Schmidt
 Schock
 Schrader
 Schwartz
 Schweikert
 Scott (SC)
 Scott (VA)
 Scott, Austin
 Scott, David
 Sensenbrenner
 Serrano
 Sewell
 Sherman
 Shimkus
 Shuster
 Sullivan
 Sutton
 Terry
 Thompson (CA)
 Thompson (MS)
 Thompson (PA)
 Thornberry
 Tiberi
 Tierney
 Tipton
 Tonko
 Tsongas
 Turner
 Upton
 Van Hollen
 Velázquez
 Visclosky
 Walberg
 Walden
 Walsh (IL)
 Walsh (MN)
 Waters
 Watt
 Webster
 Welch
 West
 Westmoreland
 Whitfield
 Wilson (FL)
 Wilson (SC)
 Wittman
 Wolf
 Womack
 Woodall
 Woolsey
 Yarmuth
 Yoder
 Young (FL)
 Young (IN)