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The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Kentucky (Mr. COMER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, as amended.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 420, nays 0, not voting 13, as follows:

[Roll No. 635]

YEAS—420

Abraham	Crawford	Hastings
Adams	Crist	Heck
Aderholt	Crowley	Hensarling
Aguilar	Cuellar	Herrera Beutler
Allen	Culberson	Hice, Jody B.
Amash	Cummings	Higgins (LA)
Amodel	Curbelo (FL)	Higgins (NY)
Arrington	Curtis	Hill
Babin	Davidson	Himes
Bacon	Davis (CA)	Holding
Banks (IN)	Davis, Danny	Hollingsworth
Barletta	Davis, Rodney	Hoyer
Barr	DeFazio	Hudson
Barragán	DeGette	Huffman
Bass	Delaney	Huizenga
Beatty	DeLauro	Hultgren
Bera	DelBene	Hunter
Bergman	Demings	Hurd
Beyer	Denham	Issa
Biggs	Dent	Jackson Lee
Bilirakis	DeSaulnier	Jayapal
Bishop (GA)	DesJarlais	Jeffries
Bishop (MI)	Deutch	Jenkins (KS)
Bishop (UT)	Diaz-Balart	Jenkins (WV)
Black	Dingell	Johnson (GA)
Blackburn	Doggett	Johnson (LA)
Blum	Donovan	Johnson (OH)
Blumenauer	Doyle, Michael	Johnson, E. B.
Blunt Rochester	F. Jones	Joyce (OH)
Bonamici	Duffy	Kaptur
Bost	Duncan (SC)	Katko
Boyle, Brendan	Duncan (TN)	Keating
F.	Dunn	Kelly (IL)
Brady (PA)	Ellison	Kelly (MS)
Brady (TX)	Emmer	Kelly (PA)
Brat	Engel	Kennedy
Brooks (AL)	Eshoo	Khanna
Brooks (IN)	Españallat	Kihuen
Brown (MD)	Estes (KS)	Kildee
Brownley (CA)	Esty (CT)	Kilmer
Buchanan	Evans	Kind
Buck	Farenthold	King (IA)
Bucshon	Faso	King (NY)
Budd	Ferguson	Kinzing
Burgess	Fitzpatrick	Knight
Bustos	Fleischmann	Krishnamoorthi
Butterfield	Flores	Kuster (NH)
Byrne	Fortenberry	Kustoff (TN)
Calvert	Foster	Labrador
Capuano	Fox	LaHood
Carbajal	Frankel (FL)	LaMalfa
Cárdenas	Franks (AZ)	Lamborn
Carson (IN)	Frelinghuysen	Lance
Carter (GA)	Fudge	Langevin
Carter (TX)	Gabbard	Larsen (WA)
Cartwright	Gaetz	Larson (CT)
Castor (FL)	Gallagher	Latta
Castro (TX)	Gallego	Lawrence
Chabot	Garamendi	Lawson (FL)
Cheney	Garrett	Lee
Chu, Judy	Gianforte	Levin
Cicilline	Gibbs	Lewis (GA)
Clark (MA)	Gohmert	Lewis (MN)
Clarke (NY)	Gomez	Lieu, Ted
Clay	Gonzalez (TX)	Lipinski
Cleaver	Goodlatte	LoBiondo
Clyburn	Gosar	Loeb
Coffman	Gottheimer	Loftis
Cohen	Gowdy	Long
Cole	Graves (GA)	Loudermilk
Collins (GA)	Graves (LA)	Love
Collins (NY)	Graves (MO)	Lowenthal
Comer	Green, Al	Lowey
Comstock	Green, Gene	Lucas
Conaway	Griffith	Luetkemeyer
Connolly	Grijalva	Lujan Grisham,
Conyers	Grothman	M.
Cook	Guthrie	Luján, Ben Ray
Cooper	Gutiérrez	Lynch
Correa	Hanabusa	MacArthur
Costa	Handel	Maloney
Costello (PA)	Harper	Carolyn B.
Courtney	Harris	Maloney, Sean
Cramer	Hartzler	

Marchant	Quigley	Soto
Marino	Raskin	Speier
Marshall	Ratcliffe	Stefanik
Massie	Reed	Stewart
Mast	Reichert	Stivers
Matsui	Rice (NY)	Suozzi
McCarthy	Rice (SC)	Swalwell (CA)
McCaul	Richmond	Takano
McClintock	Roby	Taylor
McCollum	Roe (TN)	Tenney
McEeachin	Rogers (AL)	Thompson (CA)
McHenry	Rogers (KY)	Thompson (MS)
McKinley	Rohrabacher	Thompson (PA)
McMorris	Rokita	Thornberry
Rodgers	Rooney, Francis	Tiberi
McNerney	Rooney, Thomas	Tipton
McSally	J.	Titus
Meadows	Ros-Lehtinen	Tonko
Meehan	Rosen	Torres
Meeks	Ross	Trott
Meng	Rothfus	Tsongas
Messer	Rouzer	Turner
Mitchell	Roybal-Allard	Upton
Moolenaar	Royce (CA)	Valadao
Mooney (WV)	Ruiz	Vargas
Moore	Ruppersberger	Veasey
Moulton	Rush	Vela
Mullin	Rutherford	Velázquez
Murphy (FL)	Ryan (OH)	Visclosky
Nadler	Sánchez	Wagner
Napolitano	Sanford	Walberg
Neal	Sarbanes	Walden
Newhouse	Scalise	Walker
Noem	Schakowsky	Walorski
Nolan	Schiff	Walters, Mimi
Norcross	Schneider	Walz
Norman	Schrader	Wasserman
Nunes	Schweikert	Schultz
O'Halleran	Scott (VA)	Waters, Maxine
O'Rourke	Scott, Austin	Watson Coleman
Olson	Scott, David	Weber (TX)
Palazzo	Sensenbrenner	Serrano
Pallone	Serrano	Webster (FL)
Palmer	Sessions	Welch
Panetta	Sewell (AL)	Wenstrup
Pascarella	Shea-Porter	Westerman
Paulsen	Sherman	Williams
Payne	Shimkus	Wilson (FL)
Pearce	Shuster	Wilson (SC)
Perlmutter	Simpson	Wittman
Perry	Sinema	Womack
Peters	Sires	Woodall
Peterson	Slaughter	Yarmuth
Pingree	Smith (MO)	Yoder
Pittenger	Smith (NE)	Yoho
Poe (TX)	Smith (NJ)	Young (AK)
Poliquin	Smith (TX)	Young (IA)
Polis	Smith (WA)	Zeldin
Posey	Smucker	

NOT VOTING—13

Barton	Jordan	Renacci
Bridenstine	McGovern	Roskam
DeSantis	Pelosi	Russell
Granger	Pocan	
Johnson, Sam	Price (NC)	

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Mr. VELA changed his vote from “nay” to “yea.”

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.

The title of the bill was amended so as to read: “A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 430 Main Street in Clermont, Georgia, as the ‘Zack T. Addington Post Office’.”

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

#### SGT. DOUGLAS J. RINEY POST OFFICE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. DONOVAN). The unfinished business is the vote on the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2672) to designate the facility of the United

States Postal Service located at 520 Carter Street in Fairview, Illinois, as the “Sgt. Douglas J. Riney Post Office”, 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 Kentucky (Mr. COMER) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill.

This is a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 423, nays 0, not voting 10, as follows:

[Roll No. 636]

YEAS—423

Abraham	Cooper	Graves (LA)
Adams	Correa	Graves (MO)
Aderholt	Costa	Green, Al
Aguilar	Costello (PA)	Green, Gene
Allen	Courtney	Griffith
Amash	Cramer	Grijalva
Amodel	Crawford	Grothman
Arrington	Crist	Guthrie
Babin	Crowley	Gutiérrez
Bacon	Cuellar	Hanabusa
Banks (IN)	Culberson	Handel
Barletta	Cummings	Harper
Barr	Curbelo (FL)	Harris
Barragán	Curtis	Hartzler
Bass	Davidson	Hastings
Beatty	Davis (CA)	Heck
Bera	Davis, Danny	Hensarling
Bergman	Davis, Rodney	Herrera Beutler
Beyer	DeFazio	Hice, Jody B.
Biggs	DeGette	Higgins (LA)
Bilirakis	Delaney	Higgins (NY)
Bishop (GA)	DeLauro	Hill
Bishop (MI)	DelBene	Himes
Bishop (UT)	Demings	Holding
Black	Denham	Hollingsworth
Blackburn	Dent	Hoyer
Blum	DeSantis	Huffman
Blumenauer	DeSaulnier	Huizenga
Blunt Rochester	DesJarlais	Hultgren
Bonamici	Deutch	Hunter
Bost	Diaz-Balart	Hurd
Boyle, Brendan	Dingell	Issa
F.	Doggett	Jackson Lee
Brady (PA)	Donovan	Jayapal
Brady (TX)	Doyle, Michael	Jeffries
Brat	F.	Jenkins (KS)
Brooks (AL)	Duffy	Jenkins (WV)
Brooks (IN)	Duncan (SC)	Johnson (GA)
Brown (MD)	Duncan (TN)	Johnson (LA)
Brownley (CA)	Dunn	Johnson (OH)
Buck	Ellison	Johnson, E. B.
Bucshon	Emmer	Jones
Budd	Engel	Jordan
Burgess	Eshoo	Joyce (OH)
Bustos	Españallat	Katko
Butterfield	Estes (KS)	Keating
Byrne	Esty (CT)	Kelly (IL)
Calvert	Evans	Kelly (MS)
Capuano	Farenthold	Kelly (PA)
Carbajal	Faso	Kennedy
Cárdenas	Ferguson	Khanna
Carson (IN)	Fitzpatrick	Kihuen
Carter (GA)	Fleischmann	Kildee
Carter (TX)	Flores	Kilmer
Cartwright	Fortenberry	Kind
Castor (FL)	Foster	King (IA)
Castro (TX)	Fox	King (NY)
Chabot	Frankel (FL)	Kinzing
Cheney	Franks (AZ)	Knight
Chu, Judy	Frelinghuysen	Krishnamoorthi
Cicilline	Fudge	Kuster (NH)
Clark (MA)	Gabbard	Kustoff (TN)
Clarke (NY)	Gaetz	Labrador
Clay	Gallagher	LaHood
Cleaver	Gallego	LaMalfa
Clyburn	Garamendi	Lamborn
Coffman	Garrett	Lance
Cohen	Gianforte	Langevin
Cole	Gibbs	Larsen (WA)
Collins (GA)	Gohmert	Larson (CT)
Collins (NY)	Gomez	Latta
Comer	Gonzalez (TX)	Lawrence
Comstock	Goodlatte	Lawson (FL)
Conaway	Gosar	Lee
Connolly	Gottheimer	Levin
Conyers	Gowdy	Lewis (GA)
Cook	Graves (GA)	

Lewis (MN)	Paulsen	Sires
Lieu, Ted	Payne	Slaughter
Lipinski	Pearce	Smith (MO)
LoBiondo	Pelosi	Smith (NE)
Loeback	Perlmutter	Smith (NJ)
Lofgren	Perry	Smith (TX)
Long	Peters	Smith (WA)
Loudermilk	Peterson	Smucker
Love	Pingree	Soto
Lowenthal	Pittenger	Speier
Lowey	Poe (TX)	Stefanik
Lucas	Poliquin	Stewart
Luetkemeyer	Polis	Stivers
Lujan Grisham,	Posey	Suozi
M.	Price (NC)	Swalwell (CA)
Luján, Ben Ray	Quigley	Takano
Lynch	Raskin	Taylor
MacArthur	Ratcliffe	Tenney
Maloney,	Reed	Thompson (CA)
Carolyn B.	Reichert	Thompson (MS)
Maloney, Sean	Rice (NY)	Thompson (PA)
Marchant	Rice (SC)	Thornberry
Marino	Richmond	Tiberti
Marshall	Roby	Tipton
Massie	Roe (TN)	Titus
Mast	Rogers (AL)	Tonko
Matsui	Rogers (KY)	Torres
McCarthy	Rohrabacher	Trott
McCaul	Rokita	Tsongas
McClintock	Rooney, Francis	Turner
McCollum	Rooney, Thomas	Upton
McEachin	J.	Valadao
McHenry	Ros-Lehtinen	Vargas
McKinley	Rosen	Veasey
McMorris	Roskam	Vela
Rodgers	Ross	Velázquez
McNerney	Rothfus	Visclosky
McSally	Rouzer	Wagner
Meadows	Roybal-Allard	Walberg
Meehan	Royce (CA)	Walden
Meeks	Ruiz	Walker
Meng	Ruppersberger	Rush
Messer	Rush	Walorski
Mitchell	Rutherford	Walters, Mimi
Moolenaar	Ryan (OH)	Walz
Mooney (WV)	Sánchez	Wasserman
Moore	Sanford	Schultz
Moulton	Sarbanes	Waters, Maxine
Mullin	Scalise	Watson Coleman
Murphy (FL)	Schakowsky	Weber (TX)
Nadler	Schiff	Webster (FL)
Napolitano	Schneider	Welch
Neal	Schrader	Wenstrup
Newhouse	Schweikert	Westerman
Noem	Scott (VA)	Williams
Nolan	Scott, Austin	Wilson (FL)
Norcross	Scott, David	Wilson (SC)
Norman	Sensenbrenner	Wittman
Nunes	Serrano	Womack
O'Halleran	Sessions	Woodall
O'Rourke	Sewell (AL)	Yarmuth
Olson	Shea-Porter	Yoder
Palazzo	Sherman	Yoho
Pallone	Shimkus	Young (AK)
Palmer	Shuster	Young (IA)
Panetta	Simpson	Zeldin
Pascarella	Sinema	

## NOT VOTING—10

Barton	Hudson	Renacci
Bridenstine	Johnson, Sam	Russell
Buchanan	McGovern	
Granger	Pocan	

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

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. MCGOVERN. Mr. Speaker, I was unavoidably absent on Wednesday, November 15, 2017.

On rollcall Vote No. 632, the Motion on Ordering the Previous Question on the Rule providing for consideration of H.R. 1, if I had been present, I would have voted "no."

On rollcall Vote No. 633, on passage of H. Res. 619, the Rule providing for consideration of H.R. 1, if I had been present, I would have voted "no."

On rollcall Vote No. 634, on passage of H.R. 2331, the Connected Government Act, as amended, if I had been present, I would have voted "yes."

On rollcall Vote No. 635, on passage of H.R. 3821, to designate the "Zachary Addington Post Office," if I had been present, I would have voted "yes."

On rollcall Vote No. 636, on passage of H.R. 2672, to designate the "Sgt. Douglas J. Riney Post Office," if I had been present, I would have voted "yes."

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Ms. GRANGER. Mr. Speaker, I was unable to make votes. Had I been present, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall No. 635 and "yea" on rollcall No. 636.

# RECOGNIZING THE DEEP AND ABIDING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND ISRAEL

Mr. ROYCE of California. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Affairs be discharged from further consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 92) recognizing the deep and abiding friendship between the United States and Israel, and ask for its immediate consideration in the House.

The Clerk read the title of the concurrent resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

The text of the concurrent resolution is as follows:

## H. CON. RES. 92

Whereas the Jewish people have had a homeland in modern-day Israel for more than 3,000 years;

Whereas, on November 2, 1917, United Kingdom Foreign Secretary Lord Arthur Balfour wrote to Lord Walter Rothschild, to be declared to the Zionist Federation, a letter declaring, on behalf of the Government of the United Kingdom, support for a home for the Jewish people in the former Ottoman district of Palestine;

Whereas this letter, known as the Balfour Declaration, was ratified by the League of Nations on July 24, 1922;

Whereas, on September 21, 1922, President Warren G. Harding signed House Joint Resolution 322, after unanimous support from the House of Representatives and the Senate, favoring the establishment, in the former Ottoman district of Palestine, of a national home for the Jewish people;

Whereas the Balfour Declaration clearly recognized and sought to uphold the "civil and religious rights of the existing non-Jewish communities in Palestine," as well as the "rights and political status enjoyed by Jews in any other country";

Whereas the Balfour Declaration was a significant part of the chain of events that led to the establishment of the modern State of Israel on May 14, 1948;

Whereas since Israel's founding, it has been a strong and steadfast ally to the United States, and the relationship is built on a mutual commitment to shared values;

Whereas Israel serves as a beacon for democracy by holding free and transparent elections and promoting the free exchange of ideas;

Whereas in April 1998, the United States designated Israel as a Major Non-NATO ally

and in 2014 was elevated to the status of a Major Strategic Partner; and

Whereas the 100th Anniversary of the Balfour Declaration offers an opportunity for recommitment to strengthening the relationship between the United States and Israel; Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That Congress—*

(1) affirms its commitment to maintaining the strongest of bilateral ties with the State of Israel;

(2) recognizes the importance of the establishment of the modern State of Israel as a secure and democratic homeland for the Jewish people, without prejudice to the rights of all people to live within or alongside Israel in peace; and

(3) supports efforts to continue to increase economic, security and cultural ties between the United States and Israel.

## AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. ROYCE OF CALIFORNIA

Mr. ROYCE of California. Mr. Speaker, I have an amendment at the desk.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Clerk will report the amendment.

The Clerk read as follows:

Page 3, line 3, strike "without prejudice to the rights of all people to live within or alongside Israel in peace" and insert "that upholds full and equal rights for all of its citizens".

The amendment was agreed to.

The concurrent resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## TAX CUTS AND JOBS ACT

Mr. BRADY of Texas. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to House Resolution 619, I call up the bill (H.R. 1) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to title II of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2018, and ask for its immediate consideration.

The Clerk read the title of the bill.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 619, in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means printed in the bill, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-39 is adopted, and the bill, as amended, is considered read.

The text of the bill, as amended, is as follows:

## H.R. 1

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

## SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; ETC.

(a) *SHORT TITLE.*—This Act may be cited as the "Tax Cuts and Jobs Act".

(b) *AMENDMENT OF 1986 CODE.*—Except as otherwise expressly provided, whenever in this Act an amendment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a section or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to a section or other provision of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

(c) *TABLE OF CONTENTS.*—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title; etc.

*TITLE I—TAX REFORM FOR INDIVIDUALS*  
*Subtitle A—Simplification and Reform of Rates, Standard Deduction, and Exemptions*

*Sec. 1001. Reduction and simplification of individual income tax rates.*