

How your lawmakers voted

did not vote.

HOUSE

EXTENDED JOBLESS BENEFITS

Voting 289-112, the House on Thursday sent President Barack Obama a bill, HR 4851, providing about \$12 billion to pay for an extension until June 2 of jobless checks for hundreds of thousands of people whose benefits expired after April 4. Costing \$18 billion overall, the bill also would provide short-term funding of COBRA health insurance for the jobless, transportation projects, national flood insurance, small-business-loan programs and Medicare payments to doctors, among other measures.

This vote occurred as the House and Senate negotiated a separate bill that would extend eligibility for jobless benefits until the end of the year.

A "yes" vote was to pass the bill.

	Yes	No	NV
Brian Bilbray R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Susan Davis D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bob Filner D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duncan D. Hunter R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Darrell Issa R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

RADIO SPECTRUM

Voting 394-18, the House on Wednesday sent the Senate a bill, HR 3125, requiring a government inventory of radio-spectrum licenses. This would guide the re-allocation of underused bandwidth

to create space for mobile Internet access. Covering frequency bands between 225 megahertz and 10 gigahertz, the inventory would be conducted by the National Telecommunications Information Administration, which oversees the federal government's use of spectrum, and the Federal Communications Commission, which oversees nonfederal and commercial use. No member spoke against the bill. A "yes" vote was to pass the bill.

	Yes	No	NV
Brian Bilbray R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Susan Davis D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bob Filner D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duncan D. Hunter R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Darrell Issa R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

ESTUARIES PROTECTION

Voting 278-128, the House on Thursday sent the Senate a bill, HR 4715, renewing the National Estuary Program through fiscal 2016 at a budget of \$50 million annually, up from the current \$35 million. Administered by the Environmental Protection Agency under the Clean Water Act, the program is designed to protect drinking-water supplies, natural habitats and aquatic life in coastal areas where fresh water meets saltwater. The program is focused on nearly 30 estuaries and bays along the Atlantic, Pacific and Gulf coasts. A "yes" vote was to pass the bill.

	Yes	No	NV
Brian Bilbray R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Susan Davis D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bob Filner D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duncan D. Hunter R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Darrell Issa R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

TAX RULES

Voting 399-9, the House on Wednesday sent the Senate a bill, HR 4994, changing several Internal Revenue Service rules for taxpayers. In part, the bill eliminates record-keeping requirements on those who make private calls on business cell phones, requires taxpayers to be notified when the IRS suspects they are victims of identity theft, reduces from 45 days to 30 days the time the Treasury has to send refunds without adding interest, and exempts tax-return preparers with religious objections from having to file returns electronically.

No member spoke against the bill.

A "yes" vote was to pass the bill.

	Yes	No	NV
Brian Bilbray R	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Susan Davis D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bob Filner D	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Duncan D. Hunter R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Darrell Issa R	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>