Mr. HOLIFIELD. And the statement of the managers follows on page 34435.

Mr. SEIBERLING. I thank the chairman. I wonder if I might ask one more question.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. The gentleman certainly may.

Mr. SEIBERLING. One of the objections that was raised during the debate on this measure was that there was not sufficient specificity as to guidelines for the new Administrator to use in carrying out the directions of the bill, statutory guidelines to determine what was in the public interest, etcetera.

Has there been any change in that or any elaboration of statutory guidelines?

Mr. HOLIFIELD. Statutory guidelines, no.

This bill is a traditional Government structure; it is an organizational entity like any other agency or department of Government. We tried to stay out of it. Like any other agency or department of Government, we have tried to provide the General Accounting Office the regular type of organization that would set up the guidelines on any research and development done on coal or gas.

The Committee on Space and Technology would set up the guidelines on the research to produce solar and geothermal energy.

The Joint Committee would set up the guidelines, as they always do, on nuclear matters, both civilian and military application.

Mr. Speaker, it is a good bill, I will say to the gentleman, and the gentleman can be assured that the committees were in agreement in all the way. There was no division among the Republican committees and the Democratic committees. We stood strong for the House position, the position that was ratified by 353 aye votes to 25 no votes in the passage of the bill in the House.

We feel very, very happy over the result of that conference. It took a bit of doing to do it, I might add.

Mr. SEIBERLING. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman, the chairman of the committee. I congratulate him for doing a good job.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question on the conference report.

The previous question was ordered.

The SPEAKER. The question is on the conference report.

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

Mr. HORTON. Mr. Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER. Evidently a quorum is not present.

The Sergeant at Arms will notify absent Members.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 372, nays 1, not voting 61, as follows:

[Roll No. 594]

YEAS—372

Abdnor               Abraham               Adrup
Adams               Adabebo               Alexander
Andrews, N. Dak.    Annunziata           Archer
Arends               Armstrong          Ashby
Arial                Argui               Aspin
Baker                Bauman               Bevill Gaydos
Beard                Beaton               Bell
Bennett             Bergland             Bevil
Biagi               Bingham              Boggs
Boland              Bone                 Bowren
Bredemans           Brey                Broun
Breeden             Breckenridge       Bredy
Brock               Broomfield          Brown, Calif.
Brownhill, N. C.     Brownhill, Va.     Buchanan
Burgenor            Burke, Calif.        Burke, Fla.
Burton, John        Burton, Phillip       Butler
Byron                Camp                 Carnahan
Carty                Casey, Tex.          Cederberg
Chamberlain          Chapin               Chakholm
Claussen            Clancy                Clay
Clay                 Cleveland            Cochran
Coffin               Collins, Ill.       Collins, Tex.
Conlan               Conner                Conyers
Conway               Corman               Cotter
Craney              Danforth             Daniel, Dan
Daniels, W.          Daniels              David, Ga.
David, S. C.         Davis, Wis.           Delaney
Debellas            Denholm              Dent
Derkerski           Devine               Dickinson
Dingewel            Dingle               Dingell
Dolitt              Down                          

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