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Report No. 113-_____

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2397) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2610) making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 22, 2013

Mr. NUGENT, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2397) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2610) making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes.

1 *Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this
2 resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of
3 rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee
4 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
5 ation of the bill (H.R. 2397) making appropriations for
6 the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending Sep-
7 tember 30, 2014, and for other purposes. The first reading
8 of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order
9 against consideration of the bill are waived. General de-
10 bate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one
11 hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and rank-
12 ing minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.
13 After general debate the bill shall be considered for
14 amendment under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be
15 considered as read through page 157, line 2. Points of
16 order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply
17 with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived.

18 (b) No amendment shall be in order except those
19 printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accom-
20 panying this resolution, the amendment described in sec-
21 tion 2 of this resolution, and amendments en bloc de-
22 scribed in section 3 of this resolution. All points of order
23 against amendments printed in the report of the Com-
24 mittee on Rules and against amendments en bloc de-
25 scribed in section 3 of this resolution are waived.

1 (c) Each amendment printed in the report of the
2 Committee on Rules shall be considered only in the order
3 printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member
4 designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall
5 be debatable for the time specified in the report equally
6 divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent,
7 may be withdrawn by the proponent at any time before
8 action thereon, shall not be subject to amendment, and
9 shall not be subject to a demand for division of the ques-
10 tion in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

11 SEC. 2. After disposition of amendments printed in
12 the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this
13 resolution and amendments en bloc described in section
14 3 of this resolution, it shall be in order for the chair of
15 the Committee on Appropriations or his designee to offer
16 an amendment reducing funding levels in the bill.

17 SEC. 3. It shall be in order at any time for the chair
18 of the Committee on Appropriations or his designee to
19 offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments print-
20 ed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying
21 this resolution not earlier disposed of. Amendments en
22 bloc offered pursuant to this section shall be considered
23 as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided
24 and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member
25 of the Committee on Appropriations or their respective

1 designees, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall
2 not be subject to a demand for division of the question
3 in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. The origi-
4 nal proponent of an amendment included in such amend-
5 ments en bloc may insert a statement in the Congressional
6 Record immediately before the disposition of the amend-
7 ments en bloc.

8 SEC. 4. After the conclusion of consideration of the
9 bill for amendment, there shall be in order a final period
10 of general debate, which shall not exceed 10 minutes
11 equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking
12 minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.

13 SEC. 5. When the committee rises and reports the
14 bill back to the House with a recommendation that the
15 bill do pass, the previous question shall be considered as
16 ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final pas-
17 sage without intervening motion except one motion to re-
18 commit with or without instructions.

19 SEC. 6. At any time after the adoption of this resolu-
20 tion the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule
21 XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of
22 the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
23 ation of the bill (H.R. 2610) making appropriations for
24 the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and
25 Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal

1 year ending September 30, 2014, and for other purposes.
2 The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All
3 points of order against consideration of the bill are waived.
4 General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not
5 exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair
6 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appro-
7 priations. After general debate the bill shall be considered
8 for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order
9 against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with
10 clause 2 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of
11 the bill for amendment, the chair of the Committee of the
12 Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of
13 whether the Member offering an amendment has caused
14 it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record
15 designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII.
16 Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. When
17 the committee rises and reports the bill back to the House
18 with a recommendation that the bill do pass, the previous
19 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
20 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
21 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
22 structions.