

House Calendar No. _____

113TH CONGRESS
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H. RES. _____

Report No. 113-_____

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 367) to amend chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that major rules of the executive branch shall have no force or effect unless a joint resolution of approval is enacted into law; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2009) to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from enforcing the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010; providing for proceedings during the period from August 3, 2013, through September 6, 2013; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2879) to provide limitations on bonuses for Federal employees during sequestration, to provide for investigative leave requirements for members of the Senior Executive Service, to establish certain procedures for conducting in-person or telephonic interactions by Executive branch employees with individuals, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 31, 2013

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

RESOLUTION

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(H.R. 2009) to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from enforcing the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010; providing for proceedings during the period from August 3, 2013, through September 6, 2013; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2879) to provide limitations on bonuses for Federal employees during sequestration, to provide for investigative leave requirements for members of the Senior Executive Service, to establish certain procedures for conducting in-person or telephonic interactions by Executive branch employees with individuals, 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. 367) to amend chapter 8 of title
6 5, United States Code, to provide that major rules of the
7 executive branch shall have no force or effect unless a joint
8 resolution of approval is enacted into law. The first read-
9 ing of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order
10 against consideration of the bill are waived. General de-
11 bate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one
12 hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and rank-
13 ing minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary.
14 After general debate the bill shall be considered for
15 amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order
16 to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amend-

1 ment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the na-
2 ture of a substitute recommended by the Committee on
3 the Judiciary now printed in the bill modified by the
4 amendment printed in part A of the report of the Com-
5 mittee on Rules accompanying this resolution. That
6 amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be consid-
7 ered as read. All points of order against that amendment
8 in the nature of a substitute are waived. No amendment
9 to that amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be
10 in order except those printed in part B of the report of
11 the Committee on Rules. Each such amendment may be
12 offered only in the order printed in the report, may be
13 offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall
14 be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time spec-
15 ified in the report equally divided and controlled by the
16 proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amend-
17 ment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division
18 of the question in the House or in the Committee of the
19 Whole. All points of order against such amendments are
20 waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for
21 amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill
22 to the House with such amendments as may have been
23 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the
24 House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of
25 the Whole to the bill or to the amendment in the nature

1 of a substitute made in order as original text. The previous
2 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
3 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
4 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
5 structions.

6 SEC. 2. Upon the adoption of this resolution it shall
7 be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 2009)
8 to prohibit the Secretary of the Treasury from enforcing
9 the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and the
10 Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010.
11 All points of order against consideration of the bill are
12 waived. The bill shall be considered as read. All points of
13 order against provisions in the bill are waived. The pre-
14 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the bill
15 and on any amendment thereto to final passage without
16 intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally
17 divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority
18 member of the Committee on Ways and Means; and (2)
19 one motion to recommit.

20 SEC. 3. House Resolution 292 is laid on the table.

21 SEC. 4. On any legislative day during the period from
22 August 3, 2013, through September 6, 2013, —

23 (a) the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day
24 shall be considered as approved;

1 (b) the Chair may at any time declare the House ad-
2 journed to meet at a date and time, within the limits of
3 clause 4, section 5, article I of the Constitution, to be an-
4 nounced by the Chair in declaring the adjournment; and

5 (c) bills and resolutions introduced during the period
6 addressed by this section shall be numbered, listed in the
7 Congressional Record, and when printed shall bear the
8 date of introduction, but may be referred by the Speaker
9 at a later time.

10 SEC. 5. The Speaker may appoint Members to per-
11 form the duties of the Chair for the duration of the period
12 addressed by section 4 of this resolution as though under
13 clause 8(a) of rule I.

14 SEC. 6. Each day during the period addressed by sec-
15 tion 4 of this resolution shall not constitute a calendar
16 day for purposes of section 7 of the War Powers Resolu-
17 tion (50 U.S.C. 1546).

18 SEC. 7. Each day during the period addressed by sec-
19 tion 4 of this resolution shall not constitute a legislative
20 day for purposes of clause 7 of rule XIII.

21 SEC. 8. Upon the adoption of this resolution it shall
22 be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 2879)
23 to provide limitations on bonuses for Federal employees
24 during sequestration, to provide for investigative leave re-
25 quirements for members of the Senior Executive Service,

1 to establish certain procedures for conducting in-person
2 or telephonic interactions by Executive branch employees
3 with individuals, and for other purposes. All points of
4 order against consideration of the bill are waived. The bill
5 shall be considered as read. All points of order against
6 provisions in the bill are waived. The previous question
7 shall be considered as ordered on the bill and on any
8 amendment thereto to final passage without intervening
9 motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and
10 controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of
11 the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform; and
12 (2) one motion to recommit.

13 SEC. 9. Upon passage of H.R. 2879, the following
14 bills shall be laid on the table: H.R. 1541, H.R. 2579,
15 and H.R. 2711.