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Report No. 116-_____

Providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 37) directing the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized by Congress; waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules; and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 11, 2019

Mr. MCGOVERN, 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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1 *Resolved*, That at any time after adoption of this reso-
2 lution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule
3 XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of
4 the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
5 ation of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 37) directing the
6 removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities
7 in the Republic of Yemen that have not been authorized
8 by Congress. The first reading of the joint resolution shall
9 be dispensed with. All points of order against consider-
10 ation of the joint resolution are waived. General debate
11 shall be confined to the joint resolution and shall not ex-
12 ceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair
13 and ranking minority member of the Committee on For-
14 eign Affairs. After general debate the joint resolution shall
15 be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule.
16 It shall be in order to consider as an original joint resolu-
17 tion for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute
18 rule an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting
19 of the text of Rules Committee Print 116-4. That amend-
20 ment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as
21 read. All points of order against that amendment in the
22 nature of a substitute are waived. No amendment to that
23 amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be in order
24 except those printed in the report of the Committee on
25 Rules accompanying this resolution. Each such amend-

1 ment may be offered only in the order printed in the re-
2 port, may be offered only by a Member designated in the
3 report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for
4 the time specified in the report equally divided and con-
5 trolled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be
6 subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a de-
7 mand for division of the question in the House or in the
8 Committee of the Whole. All points of order against such
9 amendments are waived. At the conclusion of consider-
10 ation of the joint resolution for amendment the Committee
11 shall rise and report the joint resolution to the House with
12 such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member
13 may demand a separate vote in the House on any amend-
14 ment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the joint
15 resolution or to the amendment in the nature of a sub-
16 stitute made in order as original text. The previous ques-
17 tion shall be considered as ordered on the joint resolution
18 and amendments thereto to final passage without inter-
19 vening motion except one motion to recommit with or
20 without instructions.

21 SEC. 2. The requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII
22 for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Com-
23 mittee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the
24 House is waived with respect to any resolution reported
25 through the legislative day of February 17, 2019, relating

1 to a measure making or continuing appropriations for the
2 fiscal year ending September 30, 2019.

3 SEC. 3. It shall be in order at any time through the
4 calendar day of February 17, 2019, for the Speaker to
5 entertain motions that the House suspend the rules as
6 though under clause 1 of rule XV. The Speaker or her
7 designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or his des-
8 ignee on the designation of any matter for consideration
9 pursuant to this section.

10 SEC. 4. The chair of the Committee on Appropria-
11 tions may insert in the Congressional Record not later
12 than February 17, 2019, such material as she may deem
13 explanatory of measures making or continuing appropria-
14 tions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019.