PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 115) TO AMEND TITLE 18, UNITED STATES CODE, TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL AGGRAVATING FACTORS FOR THE IMPOSITION OF THE DEATH PENALTY BASED ON THE STATUS OF THE VICTIM

May 16, 2017.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

MR. Buck, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. Res.__]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution____, by a nonrecord vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 115, the Thin Blue Line Act, under a closed rule. The resolution provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 115-17 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

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