

**House Calendar No.** \_\_\_\_\_

114<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

**H. RES.** \_\_\_\_\_

**Report No. 114-**\_\_\_\_\_

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5303) to provide for improvements to the rivers and harbors of the United States, to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules; and waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 26, 2016

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

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**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 bill (H.R. 5303) to provide for improvements  
6 to the rivers and harbors of the United States, to provide  
7 for the conservation and development of water and related  
8 resources, and for other purposes. The first reading of the  
9 bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against  
10 consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall  
11 be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equal-  
12 ly divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minor-  
13 ity member of the Committee on Transportation and In-  
14 frastructure. After general debate the bill shall be consid-  
15 ered for amendment under the five-minute rule. In lieu  
16 of the amendment in the nature of a substitute rec-  
17 ommended by the Committee on Transportation and In-  
18 frastructure now printed in the bill, it shall be in order  
19 to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amend-  
20 ment under the five-minute rule an amendment in the na-  
21 ture of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Com-  
22 mittee Print 114-65. That amendment in the nature of  
23 a substitute shall be considered as read. All points of order  
24 against that amendment in the nature of a substitute are  
25 waived. No amendment to that amendment in the nature

1 of a substitute shall be in order except those printed in  
2 the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this  
3 resolution. Each such amendment may be offered only in  
4 the order printed in the report, may be offered only by  
5 a Member designated in the report, shall be considered  
6 as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the  
7 report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and  
8 an opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall  
9 not be subject to a demand for division of the question  
10 in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. All points  
11 of order against such amendments are waived. At the con-  
12 clusion of consideration of the bill for amendment pursu-  
13 ant to this resolution, the Committee of the Whole shall  
14 rise without motion. No further consideration of the bill  
15 shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order  
16 of the House.

17       SEC. 2. It shall be in order at any time on the legisla-  
18 tive day of September 29, 2016, or September 30, 2016,  
19 for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House sus-  
20 pend the rules as though under clause 1 of rule XV. The  
21 Speaker or his designee shall consult with the Minority  
22 Leader or her designee on the designation of any matter  
23 for consideration pursuant to this section.

24       SEC. 3. The requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII  
25 for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Com-

1 mittee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the  
2 House is waived with respect to any resolution reported  
3 through the legislative day of September 30, 2016, relat-  
4 ing to a measure making or continuing appropriations for  
5 the fiscal year ending September 30, 2017.