

H. Res. ____

H.R. 2584 - Interior, Environment and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2012

1. Open rule.
2. Provides for one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations.
3. Waives all points of order against consideration of the bill.
4. The amendment printed in section 2 of the resolution, striking section 427 of the bill, shall be considered as adopted.
5. Waives points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI.
6. Under the Rules of the House the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph.
7. Provides that the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule.
8. Authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the *Congressional Record*.
9. Provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

RESOLUTION

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2584) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior, environment, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2012, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined to the

bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The amendment printed in section 2 of this resolution shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. Points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for further amendment, the chair of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the *Congressional Record* designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. When the committee rises and reports the bill, as amended, back to the House with a recommendation that the bill do pass, the previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill, as amended, and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Sec. 2. The amendment considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole is as follows: Strike section 427.