

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 6061, SECURE
FENCE ACT OF 2006

SEPTEMBER 13, 2006.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. SESSIONS, from the Committee on Rules,
submitted the following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. 1002]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 1002, 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 the consideration of H.R. 6061, the Secure Fence Act of 2006, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of debate in the House equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Homeland Security. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment printed in this report shall be considered as adopted.

Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

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

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS ADOPTED

(Summary derived from information provided by sponsor.)

King (NY): Allows for the study of multiple security methods to address potential vulnerabilities along the northern border while ensuring the Department of Homeland Security takes into consideration the economic impact of any enhancements.

TEXT OF AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS ADOPTED

Section 4 is amended to read as follows:

SEC. 4. NORTHERN BORDER STUDY.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary of Homeland Security shall conduct a study on the feasibility of a state-of-the-art infrastructure security system along the northern international land and maritime border of the United States and shall include in the study—

- (1) the necessity of implementing such a system;
- (2) the feasibility of implementing such a system; and
- (3) the economic impact implementing such a system will have along the northern border.

(b) **REPORT.**—Not later than one year after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Homeland Security shall submit to the Committee on Homeland Security of the House of Representatives and the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs of the Senate a report that contains the results of the study conducted under subsection (a).