

House Calendar No. 97

105TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 243

[Report No. 105-268]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 901) to preserve the sovereignty of the United States over public lands and acquired lands owned by the United States, and to preserve State sovereignty and private property rights in non-Federal lands surrounding those public lands and acquired lands.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 24, 1997

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, 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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- 1 *Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this
- 2 resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of
- 3 rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee

1 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
2 ation of the bill (H.R. 901) to preserve the sovereignty
3 of the United States over public lands and acquired lands
4 owned by the United States, and to preserve State sov-
5 ereignty and private property rights in non-Federal lands
6 surrounding those public lands and acquired lands. The
7 first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General
8 debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed
9 one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman
10 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Re-
11 sources. After general debate the bill shall be considered
12 for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in
13 order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of
14 amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in
15 the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee
16 on Resources now printed in the bill. The committee
17 amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be consid-
18 ered as read. During consideration of the bill for amend-
19 ment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may
20 accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the
21 Member offering an amendment has caused it to be print-
22 ed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated
23 for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments
24 so printed shall be considered as read. At the conclusion
25 of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee

1 shall rise and report the bill to the House with such
2 amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may
3 demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment
4 adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to
5 the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.
6 The previous question shall be considered as ordered on
7 the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without
8 intervening motion except one motion to recommit with
9 or without instructions.

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