

House Calendar No. 50

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 154

[Report No. 106-120]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1480) to provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, to authorize the United States Army Corps of Engineers to construct various projects for improvements to rivers and harbors of the United States, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 28, 1999

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 2(b) of
- 3 rule XVIII, 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. 1480) to provide for the conserva-
3 tion and development of water and related resources, to
4 authorize the United States Army Corps of Engineers to
5 construct various projects for improvements to rivers and
6 harbors of the United States, and for other purposes. 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 Trans-
11 portation and Infrastructure. After general debate the bill
12 shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute
13 rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill
14 for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule
15 the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended
16 by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure
17 now printed in the bill, modified by the amendments print-
18 ed in part 1 of the report of the Committee on Rules ac-
19 companying this resolution. That amendment in the na-
20 ture of a substitute shall be considered as read. All points
21 of order against that amendment in the nature of a sub-
22 stitute are waived. No amendment to that amendment in
23 the nature of a substitute shall be in order except those
24 printed in part 2 of the report of the Committee on Rules.
25 Each amendment may be offered only in the order printed

1 in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated
2 in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debat-
3 able for the time specified in the report equally divided
4 and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall
5 not be subject to an amendment, and shall not be subject
6 to a demand for division of the question in the House or
7 in the Committee of the Whole. The chairman of the Com-
8 mittee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during
9 further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a re-
10 quest for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) re-
11 duce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic vot-
12 ing on any postponed question that follows another elec-
13 tronic vote without intervening business, provided that the
14 minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any se-
15 ries of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion
16 of consideration of the bill for amendments the Committee
17 shall rise and report the bill to the House with such
18 amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may
19 demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment
20 adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to
21 the amendment in the nature of a substitute made in order
22 as original text. The previous question shall be considered
23 as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final
24 passage without intervening motion except one motion to
25 recommit with or without instructions.

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