

House Calendar No. 214

106TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 483

[Report No. 106-601]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 673) to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to make grants to the Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority and other appropriate agencies for the purpose of improving water quality throughout the marine ecosystem of the Florida Keys.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 2, 2000

Mr. DIAZ-BALART, 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. 673) to authorize the Administrator
3 of the Environmental Protection Agency to make grants
4 to the Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority and other appro-
5 priate agencies for the purpose of improving water quality
6 throughout the marine ecosystem of the Florida Keys. The
7 first reading of the bill will be dispensed with. Points of
8 order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply
9 with clause 4(a) of rule XIII are waived. General debate
10 shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour
11 equally divided and controlled by the chairman and rank-
12 ing minority member of the Committee on Transportation
13 and Infrastructure. After general debate the bill shall be
14 considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It
15 shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the
16 purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the
17 amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by
18 the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure now
19 printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the na-
20 ture of a substitute shall be considered as read. During
21 consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of
22 the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in rec-
23 ognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an
24 amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of
25 the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in

1 clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be
2 considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of
3 the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further
4 consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for
5 a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five
6 minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any
7 postponed question that follows another electronic vote
8 without intervening business, provided that the minimum
9 time for electronic voting on the first in any series of ques-
10 tions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consider-
11 ation of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise
12 and report the bill to the House with such amendments
13 as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a
14 separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted
15 in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the com-
16 mittee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The pre-
17 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the bill
18 and amendments thereto to final passage without inter-
19 vening motion except one motion to recommit with or
20 without instructions.

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