

House Calendar No. 142

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 780

[Report No. 110-416]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2262) to modify the requirements applicable to locatable minerals on public domain lands, consistent with the principles of self-initiation of mining claims, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

OCTOBER 30, 2007

Mr. MCGOVERN, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

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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
4 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
5 ation of the bill (H.R. 2262) to modify the requirements
6 applicable to locatable minerals on public domain lands,

1 consistent with the principles of self-initiation of mining
2 claims, and for other purposes. The first reading of the
3 bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against
4 consideration of the bill are waived except those arising
5 under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. General debate shall
6 be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equal-
7 ly divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking mi-
8 nority member of the Committee on Natural Resources.
9 After general debate the bill shall be considered for
10 amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order
11 to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amend-
12 ment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the na-
13 ture of a substitute recommended by the Committee on
14 Natural Resources now printed in the bill. The committee
15 amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be consid-
16 ered as read. All points of order against the committee
17 amendment in the nature of a substitute are waived except
18 those arising under clause 10 of rule XXI. Notwith-
19 standing clause 11 of rule XVIII, no amendment to the
20 committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall
21 be in order except those printed in the report of the Com-
22 mittee on Rules accompanying this resolution. Each such
23 amendment may be offered only in the order printed in
24 the report, may be offered only by a Member designated
25 in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debat-

1 able for the time specified in the report equally divided
2 and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall
3 not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to
4 a demand for division of the question in the House or in
5 the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against
6 such amendments are waived except those arising under
7 clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. At the conclusion of consider-
8 ation of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise
9 and report the bill to the House with such amendments
10 as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a
11 separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted
12 in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the com-
13 mittee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The pre-
14 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the bill
15 and amendments thereto to final passage without inter-
16 vening motion except one motion to recommit with or
17 without instructions.

18 SEC. 2. During consideration in the House of H.R.
19 2262 pursuant to this resolution, notwithstanding the op-
20 eration of the previous question, the Chair may postpone
21 further consideration of the bill to such time as may be
22 designated by the Speaker.

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