

House Calendar No. 226

111TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 1559

[Report No. 111-570]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5822) making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, and for other purposes and providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 27, 2010

Ms. PINGREE of Maine, 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

1 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
2 ation of the bill (H.R. 5822) making appropriations for
3 military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs,
4 and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September
5 30, 2011, and for other purposes. The first reading of the
6 bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against
7 consideration of the bill are waived except those arising
8 under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. General debate shall
9 be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equal-
10 ly divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minor-
11 ity member of the Committee on Appropriations. After
12 general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment
13 under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered
14 as read through page 63, line 4. Points of order against
15 provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2
16 of rule XXI are waived. Notwithstanding clause 11 of rule
17 XVIII, except as provided in section 2, no amendment
18 shall be in order except the amendments printed in the
19 report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this reso-
20 lution. Each such amendment may be offered only in the
21 order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Mem-
22 ber designated in the report, shall be considered as read,
23 shall be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and con-
24 trolled by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not
25 be subject to a demand for division of the question. All

1 points of order against such amendments are waived ex-
2 cept those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. At
3 the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment
4 the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House
5 with such amendments as may have been adopted. In case
6 of sundry amendments reported from the Committee, the
7 question of their adoption shall be put to the House en
8 gros and without division of the question. The previous
9 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
10 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
11 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
12 structions.

13 SEC. 2. After consideration of the bill for amendment,
14 the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee
15 on Appropriations or their designees each may offer one
16 pro forma amendment to the bill for the purpose of debate,
17 which shall be controlled by the proponent.

18 SEC. 3. The Chair may entertain a motion that the
19 Committee rise only if offered by the chair of the Com-
20 mittee on Appropriations or his designee. The Chair may
21 not entertain a motion to strike out the enacting words
22 of the bill (as described in clause 9 of rule XVIII).

23 SEC. 4. It shall be in order at any time through the
24 calendar day of August 1, 2010, for the Speaker to enter-
25 tain motions that the House suspend the rules. The

- 1 Speaker or her designee shall consult with the Minority
- 2 Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter
- 3 for consideration pursuant to this section.

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