

PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4, DECLARATION OF POLICY OF THE UNITED STATES CONCERNING NATIONAL MISSILE DEFENSE DEPLOYMENT

MARCH 17, 1999.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. REYNOLDS, from the Committee on Rules,  
submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. Res. 120]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 120, by a record vote of 8 to 3, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for the consideration of H.R. 4, the “Declaration of Policy of the United States Concerning National Missile Defense Deployment” under a closed rule. The rule provides 2 hours of debate divided equally between the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Armed Services. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Additionally, the rule provides that it will be in order, upon receipt of a message from the Senate transmitting H.R. 4 with Senate amendments, to consider in the House a motion offered by the Chairman of the Armed Services Committee or his designee that the House disagree to the Senate amendments and request or agree to a conference with the Senate.

COMMITTEE VOTES

Pursuant to clause 3(b) of House rule XIII the results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

*Rules Committee record vote No. 6*

Date: March 17, 1999.

Measure: H.R. 4, Declaration of Policy of the United States Concerning National Missile Defense Deployment.

Motion by: Mr. Moakley.

Summary of motion: To make in order the Allen (ME) amendment in the nature of a substitute; waive all points of order against it; and to provide sixty minutes of debate thereon, equally divided and controlled between the proponent and opponent.

Results: Defeated 3–8.

Vote by Members: Goss—Nay; Linder—Nay; Pryce—Nay; Diaz-Balart—Nay; Hastings—Nay; Sessions—Nay; Reynolds—Nay; Moakley—Yea; Hall—Yea; Slaughter—Yea; Dreier—Nay.

*Rules Committee record vote No. 7*

Date: March 17, 1999.

Measure: H.R. 4, Declaration of Policy of the United States Concerning National Missile Defense Deployment.

Motion by: Mr. Moakley.

Summary of motion: To increase the debate time from 2 hours to 3 hours.

Results: Defeated 3–8.

Vote by Members: Goss—Nay; Linder—Nay; Pryce—Nay; Diaz-Balart—Nay; Hastings—Nay; Sessions—Nay; Reynolds—Nay; Moakley—Yea; Hall—Yea; Slaughter—Yea; Dreier—Nay.

*Rules Committee record vote No. 8*

Date: March 17, 1999.

Measure: H.R. 4, Declaration of Policy of the United States Concerning National Missile Defense Deployment.

Motion by: Mr. Goss.

Summary of motion: To report the rule providing for consideration of H.R. 4.

Results: Adopted 8–3.

Vote by Members: Goss—Yea; Linder—Yea; Pryce—Yea; Diaz-Balart—Yea; Hastings—Yea; Sessions—Yea; Reynolds—Yea; Moakley—Nay; Hall—Nay; Slaughter—Nay; Dreier—Yea.