

104TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 354

Relating to a question of the privileges of the House.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 31, 1996

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. WISE, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. STUDDS, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. REED, Mr. STUPAK, Mrs. LINCOLN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Ms. MCCARTHY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WYNN, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. LUTHER) submitted the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

Relating to a question of the privileges of the House.

Whereas the inability of the House to pass a bill to raise the public debt limit will cause the Federal Government to default on its obligations and affect the dignity and integrity of House proceedings; and

Whereas the inability of the House to pass a bill to raise the public debt limit will cause severe hardship on Federal employees, Federal contractors, and the American people

and cause millions of American citizens to hold the House in disrepute: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this resolution,
- 2 the Speaker of the House shall take such action to keep
- 3 the House in session until the House considers a clean
- 4 bill regarding the debt ceiling to avoid default of the full
- 5 faith and credit of the United States.

