

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3717, TO PROHIBIT THE EXPENDITURE OF FEDERAL FUNDS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF NEEDLES OR SYRINGES FOR THE HYPODERMIC INJECTION OF ILLEGAL DRUGS

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APRIL 28, 1998.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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

REPORT

[To accompany H. Res. 409]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 409, by a nonrecord vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 3717, to prohibit the expenditure of federal funds for the distribution of needles or syringes for the hypodermic injection of illegal drugs, under a closed rule. The rule further provides two hours of debate in the House equally divided and controlled by Representative Wicker and an opponent.

Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit.

COMMITTEE VOTES

Pursuant to clause 2(1)(2)(B) of House Rule XI the results of each rollcall vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

*Rules Committee Rollcall No. 85*

Date: April 28, 1998.

Measure: H.R. 3717, To Prohibit the Expenditure of Federal Funds for the Distribution of Needles or Syringes for the Hypodermic Injection of Illegal Drugs.

Motion by: Mr. Moakley.

Summary of motion: Postpone action in the Rules Committee until the Committee on Commerce can hold hearings and report the bill.

Results: Defeated 1-7.

Vote by Members: Dreier—Nay; Linder—Nay; Pryce—Nay; Diaz-Balart—Nay; McInnis—Nay; Hastings—Nay; Moakley—Yea; Solomon—Nay.

