

House Calendar No. 138

112TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 691

[Report No. 112-540]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4480) to provide for the development of a plan to increase oil and gas exploration, development, and production under oil and gas leases of Federal lands under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Agriculture, the Secretary of Energy, the Secretary of the Interior, and the Secretary of Defense in response to a drawdown of petroleum reserves from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 19, 2012

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

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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. 4480) to provide for the develop-
6 ment of a plan to increase oil and gas exploration, develop-
7 ment, and production under oil and gas leases of Federal
8 lands under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Agri-
9 culture, the Secretary of Energy, the Secretary of the In-
10 terior, and the Secretary of Defense in response to a draw-
11 down of petroleum reserves from the Strategic Petroleum
12 Reserve. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed
13 with. All points of order against consideration of the bill
14 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill
15 and amendments specified in this resolution and shall not
16 exceed two hours equally divided among and controlled by
17 the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee
18 on Energy and Commerce and the chair and ranking mi-
19 nority member of the Committee on Natural Resources.
20 After general debate the bill shall be considered for
21 amendment under the five-minute rule. In lieu of the
22 amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by
23 the Committee on Energy and Commerce now printed in
24 the bill, it shall be in order to consider as an original bill
25 for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule

1 an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of
2 the text of Rules Committee Print 112-24. That amend-
3 ment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as
4 read. All points of order against that amendment in the
5 nature of a substitute are waived. No amendment to that
6 amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be in order
7 except those printed in the report of the Committee on
8 Rules accompanying this resolution. Each such amend-
9 ment may be offered only in the order printed in the re-
10 port, may be offered only by a Member designated in the
11 report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for
12 the time specified in the report equally divided and con-
13 trolled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be
14 subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a de-
15 mand for division of the question in the House or in the
16 Committee of the Whole. All points of order against such
17 amendments are waived. At the conclusion of consider-
18 ation of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise
19 and report the bill to the House with such amendments
20 as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a
21 separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted
22 in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the amend-
23 ment in the nature of a substitute made in order as origi-
24 nal text. The previous question shall be considered as or-
25 dered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage

- 1 without intervening motion except one motion to recommit
- 2 with or without instructions.

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