

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 659

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to prohibit the Committee on Ethics from waiving any requirement that Members, officers, and employees of the House include information on reimbursements for travel in the financial disclosure reports such individuals are required to file under the Ethics in Government Act of 1978.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 8, 2014

Mr. LOEBSACK (for himself, Mr. FITZPATRICK, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. ENYART, Mr. WALZ, Mrs. BUSTOS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. COOPER, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. RUIZ, Mr. BARROW of Georgia, Mr. NOLAN, Ms. TSONGAS, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, and Mr. FOSTER) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved,*

1 **SECTION 1. PROHIBITING WAIVER OF REQUIREMENT TO**
2 **INCLUDE TRAVEL INFORMATION IN FINAN-**
3 **CIAL DISCLOSURE REPORTS OF MEMBERS,**
4 **OFFICERS, AND EMPLOYEES OF THE HOUSE.**

5 Clause 5 of rule XXV of the Rules of the House of
6 Representatives is amended by adding at the end the fol-
7 lowing new paragraph:

8 “(j) The Committee on Ethics may not use its au-
9 thority under this clause or section 111(2) of the Ethics
10 in Government Act of 1978 (5 U.S.C. App. 112(2)) to
11 waive any requirement under title I of such Act that Mem-
12 bers, Delegates, Resident Commissioners, officers, or em-
13 ployees include information on reimbursements for travel
14 (as described in section 102(a)(2)(B) of such Act) in the
15 reports such individuals are required to file under title I
16 of such Act.”.

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