

House Calendar No. 115

114TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 735

[Report No. 114–571]

Providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4909) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2017 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 17, 2016

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

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved*, That at any time after adoption of this reso-
2 lution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule
3 XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of
4 the Whole House on the state of the Union for further
5 consideration of the bill (H.R. 4909) to authorize appro-

1 priations for fiscal year 2017 for military activities of the
2 Department of Defense and for military construction, to
3 prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal year,
4 and for other purposes.

5 SEC. 2. (a) No further amendment to the bill, as
6 amended, shall be in order except those printed in the re-
7 port of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolu-
8 tion and amendments en bloc described in section 3 of this
9 resolution.

10 (b) Each further amendment printed in the report of
11 the Committee on Rules shall be considered only in the
12 order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Mem-
13 ber designated in the report, shall be considered as read,
14 shall be debatable for the time specified in the report
15 equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an
16 opponent, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall
17 not be subject to a demand for division of the question
18 in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

19 (c) All points of order against the further amend-
20 ments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules
21 or amendments en bloc described in section 3 of this reso-
22 lution are waived.

23 SEC. 3. It shall be in order at any time for the chair
24 of the Committee on Armed Services or his designee to
25 offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments print-

1 ed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying
2 this resolution not earlier disposed of. Amendments en
3 bloc offered pursuant to this section shall be considered
4 as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided
5 and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member
6 of the Committee on Armed Services or their designees,
7 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-
8 ject to a demand for division of the question in the House
9 or in the Committee of the Whole.

10 SEC. 4. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill
11 for amendment pursuant to this resolution the Committee
12 shall rise and report the bill to the House with such fur-
13 ther amendments as may have been adopted. The previous
14 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
15 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
16 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
17 structions.

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