

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 1431) TO AMEND THE ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT, AND DEMONSTRATION AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1978 TO PROVIDE FOR SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS, PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

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MARCH 28, 2017.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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

## R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. 233]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 233, by a record vote of 8 to 2, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

### SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 1431, the EPA Science Advisory Board Reform Act of 2017, under a closed rule. The resolution provides one hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that the bill shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill. The resolution provides one motion to recommit.

### EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

### COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

*Rules Committee record vote No. 43*

**Motion by Mr. Woodall to report the rule. Adopted: 8–2**

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mr. Cole .....	.....	Ms. Slaughter .....	.....
Mr. Woodall .....	Yea	Mr. McGovern .....	Nay
Mr. Burgess .....	Yea	Mr. Hastings of Florida .....	Nay
Mr. Collins .....	Yea	Mr. Polis .....	.....
Mr. Byrne .....	Yea		
Mr. Newhouse .....	Yea		
Mr. Buck .....	Yea		
Ms. Cheney .....	Yea		
Mr. Sessions, Chairman .....	Yea		