

## House Calendar No. 82

114TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 566

[Report No. 114–382]

Providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 2029) making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes; providing for proceedings during the period from December 19, 2015, through January 4, 2016; and for other purposes.

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 16, 2015

Mr. COLE, 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 upon adoption of this resolution it  
2 shall be in order to take from the Speaker's table the bill

1 (H.R. 2029) making appropriations for military construc-  
2 tion, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related  
3 agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016,  
4 and for other purposes, with the Senate amendment there-  
5 to, and to consider in the House, without intervention of  
6 any point of order, a motion offered by the chair of the  
7 Committee on Appropriations or his designee that the  
8 House concur in the Senate amendment with each of the  
9 two amendments specified in section 3 of this resolution.  
10 The Senate amendment and the motion shall be consid-  
11 ered as read. The previous question shall be considered  
12 as ordered on the motion to its adoption without inter-  
13 vening motion or demand for division of the question ex-  
14 cept as specified in section 2 of this resolution. Clause 5(b)  
15 of rule XXI shall not apply to the motion.

16       SEC. 2. (a) The question of adoption of the motion  
17 shall be divided between the two House amendments speci-  
18 fied in section 3 of this resolution. The two portions of  
19 the divided question shall be considered in the order speci-  
20 fied by the Chair. Either portion of the divided question  
21 may be subject to postponement as though under clause  
22 8 of rule XX.

23       (b) The portion of the divided question comprising  
24 the amendment specified in section 3(a) of this resolution  
25 shall be debatable for one hour equally divided and con-

1 trolled by the chair and ranking minority member of the  
2 Committee on Appropriations. The portion of the divided  
3 question comprising the amendment specified in section  
4 3(b) of this resolution shall be debatable for one hour  
5 equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking  
6 minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means.

7       SEC. 3. The amendments referred to in the first and  
8 second sections of this resolution are as follows:

9       (a) An amendment consisting of the text of Rules  
10 Committee Print 114-39 modified by the amendment  
11 printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accom-  
12 panying this resolution.

13       (b) An amendment consisting of the text of Rules  
14 Committee Print 114-40.

15       SEC. 4. If only the portion of the divided question  
16 comprising the amendment specified in section 3(b) of this  
17 resolution is adopted, that portion shall be engrossed as  
18 an amendment in the nature of a substitute to the Senate  
19 amendment to H.R. 2029.

20       SEC. 5. The chair of the Committee on Appropria-  
21 tions may insert in the Congressional Record at any time  
22 during the remainder of the first session of the 114th Con-  
23 gress such material as he may deem explanatory of the  
24 Senate amendment and the motion specified in the first  
25 section of this resolution.

1        SEC. 6. On any legislative day of the first session of  
2 the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress after December  
3 18, 2015—

4        (a) the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day  
5 shall be considered as approved; and

6        (b) the Chair may at any time declare the House ad-  
7 journed to meet at a date and time, within the limits of  
8 clause 4, section 5, article I of the Constitution, to be an-  
9 nounced by the Chair in declaring the adjournment.

10       SEC. 7. On any legislative day of the second session  
11 of the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress before January  
12 5, 2016—

13       (a) the Speaker may dispense with organizational and  
14 legislative business;

15       (b) the Journal of the proceedings of the previous day  
16 shall be considered as approved if applicable; and

17       (c) the Chair at any time may declare the House ad-  
18 journed to meet at a date and time, within the limits of  
19 clause 4, section 5, article I of the Constitution, to be an-  
20 nounced by the Chair in declaring the adjournment.

21       SEC. 8. The Speaker may appoint Members to per-  
22 form the duties of the Chair for the duration of the periods  
23 addressed by sections 6 and 7 of this resolution as though  
24 under clause 8(a) of rule I.

1        SEC. 9. Each day during the periods addressed by  
2 sections 6 and 7 of this resolution shall not constitute a  
3 calendar day for purposes of section 7 of the War Powers  
4 Resolution (50 U.S.C. 1546).

5        SEC. 10. Each day during the periods addressed by  
6 sections 6 and 7 of this resolution shall not constitute a  
7 legislative day for purposes of clause 7 of rule XIII.

8        SEC. 11. It shall be in order at any time through the  
9 legislative day of December 18, 2015, for the Speaker to  
10 entertain motions that the House suspend the rules as  
11 though under clause 1 of rule XV. The Speaker or his  
12 designee shall consult with the Minority Leader or her des-  
13 ignee on the designation of any matter for consideration  
14 pursuant to this section.

15        SEC. 12. The requirement of clause 6(a) of rule XIII  
16 for a two-thirds vote to consider a report from the Com-  
17 mittee on Rules on the same day it is presented to the  
18 House is waived with respect to any resolution reported  
19 through the legislative day of December 18, 2015.

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