

House Calendar No. 139

112TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 697

[Report No. 112-545]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5973) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5972) making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 21, 2012

Ms. FOXX, 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 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. 5973) making appropriations for
6 Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Adminis-
7 tration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year
8 ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes. The
9 first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points
10 of order against consideration of the bill are waived. Gen-
11 eral debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not ex-
12 ceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair
13 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Approp-
14 priations. After general debate the bill shall be considered
15 for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order
16 against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with
17 clause 2 of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of
18 the bill for amendment, the chair of the Committee of the
19 Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of
20 whether the Member offering an amendment has caused
21 it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record
22 designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII.
23 Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. When
24 the committee rises and reports the bill back to the House
25 with a recommendation that the bill do pass, the previous

1 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
2 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
3 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
4 structions.

5 SEC. 2. At any time after the adoption of this resolu-
6 tion the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule
7 XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of
8 the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
9 ation of the bill (H.R. 5972) making appropriations for
10 the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and
11 Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal
12 year ending September 30, 2013, and for other purposes.

13 The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All
14 points of order against consideration of the bill are waived.
15 General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not
16 exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair
17 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Approp-
18 priations. After general debate the bill shall be considered
19 for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order
20 against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with
21 clause 2 of rule XXI are waived except for section 169C.

22 The amendment specified in section 3 of this resolution
23 shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the
24 Committee of the Whole. During consideration of the bill
25 for further amendment, the chair of the Committee of the

1 Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of
2 whether the Member offering an amendment has caused
3 it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record
4 designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII.
5 Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. When
6 the committee rises and reports the bill, as amended, back
7 to the House with a recommendation that the bill do pass,
8 the previous question shall be considered as ordered on
9 the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without
10 intervening motion except one motion to recommit with
11 or without instructions.

12 SEC. 3. The amendment referred to in section 2 of
13 this resolution is as follows: insert before section 418 the
14 caption “Spending Reduction Account”.

15 SEC. 4. It shall be in order without intervention of
16 any point of order to consider concurrent resolutions pro-
17 viding for adjournment during the month of July.

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