

House Calendar No. 144

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 793

[Report No. 110-422]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3685) to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 5, 2007

Ms. CASTOR, 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. 3685) to prohibit employment dis-
6 crimination on the basis of sexual orientation. The first
7 reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of

1 order against consideration of the bill are waived except
2 those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. General
3 debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed
4 one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman
5 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Edu-
6 cation and Labor. After general debate the bill shall be
7 considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The
8 bill shall be considered as read. All points of order against
9 provisions of the bill are waived. Notwithstanding clause
10 11 of rule XVIII, no amendment to the bill shall be in
11 order except those printed in the report of the Committee
12 on Rules accompanying this resolution. Each such amend-
13 ment may be offered only in the order printed in the re-
14 port, may be offered only by a Member designated in the
15 report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for
16 the time specified in the report equally divided and con-
17 trolled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be
18 subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a de-
19 mand for division of the question in the House or in the
20 Committee of the Whole. All points of order against such
21 amendments are waived except those arising under clause
22 9 or 10 of rule XXI. Amendment number 3 in the report
23 of the Committee on Rules may be withdrawn by its pro-
24 ponent before the question is put thereon. At the conclu-
25 sion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Com-

1 mittee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such
2 amendments as may have been adopted. The previous
3 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and
4 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
5 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-
6 structions.

7 SEC. 2. During consideration in the House of H.R.
8 3685 pursuant to this resolution, notwithstanding the op-
9 eration of the previous question, the Chair may postpone
10 further consideration of the bill to such time as may be
11 designated by the Speaker.

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