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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 13 (legislative day, JULY 12), 2017

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

RESOLUTION

Providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2810) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2018 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.

Resolved, That at any time after adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2810) to authorize appro-
priations for fiscal year 2018 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.

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

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

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

Sec. 3. It shall be in order at any time for the chair
of the Committee on Armed Services or his designee to
offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments print-
ed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc offered pursuant to this section shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Armed Services or their designees, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.

SEC. 4. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment pursuant to this resolution the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such further amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.
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