

House Calendar No. 63

117TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 900

[Report No. 117-241]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3485) to impose sanctions on foreign persons responsible for violations of internationally recognized human rights against lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and intersex (LGBTQI) individuals, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4445) to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect to arbitration of disputes involving sexual assault and sexual harassment; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4521) to provide for a coordinated Federal research initiative to ensure continued United States leadership in engineering biology; and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 2, 2022

Ms. ROSS, 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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of disputes involving sexual assault and sexual harassment; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4521) to provide for a coordinated Federal research initiative to ensure continued United States leadership in engineering biology; and for other purposes.

1 *Resolved*, That upon adoption of this resolution it
2 shall be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R.
3 3485) to impose sanctions on foreign persons responsible
4 for violations of internationally recognized human rights
5 against lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and
6 intersex (LGBTQI) individuals, and for other purposes.
7 All points of order against consideration of the bill are
8 waived. In lieu of the amendment in the nature of a sub-
9 stitute recommended by the Committee on Foreign Affairs
10 now printed in the bill, an amendment in the nature of
11 a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee
12 Print 117–30 shall be considered as adopted. The bill, as
13 amended, shall be considered as read. All points of order
14 against provisions in the bill, as amended, are waived. The
15 previous question shall be considered as ordered on the
16 bill, as amended, and on any further amendment thereto,
17 to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) one
18 hour of debate equally divided and controlled by the chair
19 and ranking minority member of the Committee on For-
20 eign Affairs or their respective designees; (2) the further
21 amendments described in section 2 of this resolution; (3)

1 the amendments en bloc described in section 3 of this reso-
2 lution; and (4) one motion to recommit.

3 SEC. 2. After debate pursuant to the first section of
4 this resolution, each further amendment printed in part
5 A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying
6 this resolution not earlier considered as part of amend-
7 ments en bloc pursuant to section 3 of this resolution shall
8 be considered only in the order printed in the report, may
9 be offered only by a Member designated in the report,
10 shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time
11 specified in the report equally divided and controlled by
12 the proponent and an opponent, may be withdrawn by the
13 proponent at any time before the question is put thereon,
14 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-
15 ject to a demand for division of the question.

16 SEC. 3. It shall be in order at any time after debate
17 pursuant to the first section of this resolution for the chair
18 of the Committee on Foreign Affairs or his designee to
19 offer amendments en bloc consisting of further amend-
20 ments printed in part A of the report of the Committee
21 on Rules accompanying this resolution not earlier disposed
22 of. Amendments en bloc offered pursuant to this section
23 shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for 20 min-
24 utes equally divided and controlled by the chair and rank-
25 ing minority member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs

1 or their respective designees, shall not be subject to
2 amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for divi-
3 sion of the question.

4 SEC. 4. All points of order against the further amend-
5 ments printed in part A of the report of the Committee
6 on Rules or amendments en bloc described in section 3
7 of this resolution are waived.

8 SEC. 5. Upon adoption of this resolution it shall be
9 in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 4445)
10 to amend title 9 of the United States Code with respect
11 to arbitration of disputes involving sexual assault and sex-
12 ual harassment. All points of order against consideration
13 of the bill are waived. In lieu of the amendment in the
14 nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on
15 the Judiciary now printed in the bill, an amendment in
16 the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules
17 Committee Print 117-29 shall be considered as adopted.
18 The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. All
19 points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended,
20 are waived. The previous question shall be considered as
21 ordered on the bill, as amended, and on any amendment
22 thereto, to final passage without intervening motion ex-
23 cept: (1) one hour of debate equally divided and controlled
24 by the chair and ranking minority member of the Com-
25 mittee on the Judiciary or their respective designees; (2)

1 the further amendment printed in part B of the report
2 of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution,
3 if offered by the Member designated in the report, which
4 shall be in order without intervention of any point of
5 order, shall be considered as read, shall be separately de-
6 batable for the time specified in the report equally divided
7 and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, and
8 shall not be subject to a demand for division of the ques-
9 tion; and (3) one motion to recommit.

10 SEC. 6. Upon adoption of this resolution it shall be
11 in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 4521)
12 to provide for a coordinated Federal research initiative to
13 ensure continued United States leadership in engineering
14 biology. All points of order against consideration of the
15 bill are waived. In lieu of the amendment in the nature
16 of a substitute recommended by the Committee on
17 Science, Space, and Technology now printed in the bill,
18 an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of
19 the text of Rules Committee Print 117–31, modified by
20 the amendment printed in part C of the report of the Com-
21 mittee on Rules accompanying this resolution, shall be
22 considered as adopted. The bill, as amended, shall be con-
23 sidered as read. All points of order against provisions in
24 the bill, as amended, are waived. The previous question
25 shall be considered as ordered on the bill, as amended,

1 and on any further amendment thereto, to final passage
2 without intervening motion except: (1) two hours of debate
3 equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking
4 minority member of the Committee on Science, Space, and
5 Technology or their respective designees; (2) the further
6 amendments described in section 7 of this resolution; (3)
7 the amendments en bloc described in section 8 of this reso-
8 lution; and (4) one motion to recommit.

9 SEC. 7. After debate pursuant to section 6 of this
10 resolution, each further amendment printed in part D of
11 the report of the Committee on Rules not earlier consid-
12 ered as part of amendments en bloc pursuant to section
13 8 of this resolution shall be considered only in the order
14 printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member
15 designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall
16 be debatable for the time specified in the report equally
17 divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent,
18 may be withdrawn by the proponent at any time before
19 the question is put thereon, shall not be subject to amend-
20 ment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division
21 of the question.

22 SEC. 8. It shall be in order at any time after debate
23 pursuant to section 6 of this resolution for the chair of
24 the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology or her
25 designee to offer amendments en bloc consisting of further

1 amendments printed in part D of the report of the Com-
2 mittee on Rules accompanying this resolution not earlier
3 disposed of. Amendments en bloc offered pursuant to this
4 section shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for
5 20 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chair and
6 ranking minority member of the Committee on Education
7 and Labor or their respective designees, shall not be sub-
8 ject to amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand
9 for division of the question.

10 SEC. 9. All points of order against the further amend-
11 ments printed in part D of the report of the Committee
12 on Rules or amendments en bloc described in section 8
13 of this resolution are waived.

14 SEC. 10. House Resolution 188, agreed to March 8,
15 2021 (as most recently amended by House Resolution
16 860, agreed to January 11, 2022), is amended by striking
17 “February 4, 2022” each place it appears and inserting
18 (in each instance) “April 1, 2022”.

19 SEC. 11. Notwithstanding clause 8 of rule XX, fur-
20 ther proceedings on a vote by the yeas and nays on the
21 question of adoption of a motion that the House suspend
22 the rules offered on the legislative day of February 1,
23 2022 may be postponed through the legislative day of
24 March 3, 2022.

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