

PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE CONFERENCE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY THE BILL (H.R. 2) TO PROVIDE FOR THE REFORM AND CONTINUATION OF AGRICULTURAL AND OTHER PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2023, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

DECEMBER 11, 2018.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. NEWHOUSE, from the Committee on Rules,
submitted the following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. 1176]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 1176, by a nonrecord vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of the conference report to accompany H.R. 2, the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018. The resolution waives all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration. The resolution provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. The resolution provides that the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervention of any motion except one hour of debate and one motion to recommit if applicable. Debate on the conference report is divided pursuant to clause 8(d) of rule XXII.

Section 2 of the resolution provides the provisions of section 7 of the War Powers Resolution (50 U.S.C. 1546) not apply during the remainder of the One Hundred Fifteenth Congress to a concurrent resolution introduced pursuant to section 5 of the War Powers Resolution (50 U.S.C. 1544) with respect to Yemen.

EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

The waiver of all points of order against the conference report and its consideration includes a waiver of the following:

- Clause 10 of rule XXI, which prohibits the consideration of a bill if it has the net effect of increasing mandatory spending over the five-year or ten-year period;

- Section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act, which prohibits consideration of legislation providing new budget authority in excess of a 302(a) allocation of such authority; and
- Clause 9 of rule XXII, which prohibits the inclusion of matter in a conference report not committed to the conference by either House.

COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

Rules Committee record vote No. 284

Motion by Mr. McGovern to strike section 2 of the rule. Defeated:
2-7

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mr. Cole	Nay	Mr. McGovern	Yea
Mr. Woodall	Nay	Mr. Hastings of Florida
Mr. Burgess	Nay	Mr. Polis
Mr. Collins	Mrs. Torres	Yea
Mr. Byrne	Nay		
Mr. Newhouse	Nay		
Mr. Buck		
Ms. Cheney	Nay		
Mr. Sessions, Chairman	Nay		