

107TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. RES. 493

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 18, 2002

Mr. JEFFERSON submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

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- 1 *Resolved*, That immediately upon the adoption of this
- 2 resolution the House shall without intervention of any
- 3 point of order consider in the House the bill (H.R. 664)
- 4 to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that

1 the reductions in Social Security benefits which are re-
2 quired in the case of spouses and surviving spouses who
3 are also receiving certain Government pensions shall be
4 equal to the amount by which the total amount of the com-
5 bined monthly benefit (before reduction) and monthly pen-
6 sion exceeds \$1,200. The first reading of the bill shall be
7 dispensed with. After general debate, which shall be con-
8 fined to the bill and shall not exceed 2 hours, to be equally
9 divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking mi-
10 nority member of the Committee on Ways and Means, the
11 bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-
12 minute rule. No amendment shall be in order except an
13 amendment by and if offered by Mr. Jefferson of Lou-
14 isiana, or his designee, and shall be debatable for not to
15 exceed one hour, equally divided and controlled by the pro-
16 ponent and a Member opposed thereto. Such amendment
17 shall not be subject to an amendment and shall not be
18 subject to a division of the question in the House or in
19 the Committee of the Whole. At the conclusion of consider-
20 ation of the bill for amendment, the Committee shall rise
21 and report the bill to the House with such amendments
22 as may have been adopted. The previous question shall
23 be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments

- 1 thereto to final passage without intervening motion, except
- 2 one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

