House Calendar No. 97 H. RES. 338

108th CONGRESS 1st Session

[Report No. 108-236]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2861) making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 25 (legislative day, JULY 24), 2003

Ms. PRYCE, 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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 - Resolved, That at any time after the 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 consider-1 2 ation of the bill (H.R. 2861) making appropriations for 3 the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and 4 Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, 5 boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other pur-6 poses. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. 7 8 All points of order against consideration of the bill are 9 waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and 10 shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the 11 12 Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-13 minute rule. Points of order against provisions in the bill 14 15 for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived except as follows: under the heading "State and Tribal 16 Assistance Grants" beginning with ", except that, notwith-17 standing section 1452(n)" through "water contaminants". 18 19 Where points of order are waived against part of a para-20graph, points of order against a provision in another part 21 of such paragraph may be made only against such provi-22 sion and not against the entire paragraph. During consid-23 eration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the 24 Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition 25 on the basis of whether the Member offering an amend-

ment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Con-1 gressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 2 3 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill 4 5 for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been 6 7 adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage 8 without intervening motion except one motion to recommit 9 with or without instructions. 10

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