

House Calendar No. 229

111TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 1574

[Report No. 111–582]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3534) to provide greater efficiencies, transparency, returns, and accountability in the administration of Federal mineral and energy resources by consolidating administration of various Federal energy minerals management and leasing programs into one entity to be known as the Office of Federal Energy and Minerals Leasing of the Department of the Interior, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5851) to provide whistleblower protections to certain workers in the offshore oil and gas industry.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 30 (legislative day, JULY 29), 2010

Ms. PINGREE of Maine, 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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1 *Resolved*, That at any time after the adoption of this
2 resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of
3 rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee
4 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-
5 ation of the bill (H.R. 3534) to provide greater effi-
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9 minerals management and leasing programs into one enti-
10 ty to be known as the Office of Federal Energy and Min-
11 erals Leasing of the Department of the Interior, and for
12 other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dis-
13 pensed with. All points of order against consideration of
14 the bill are waived except those arising under clause 9 or
15 10 of rule XXI. General debate shall be confined to the
16 bill and amendments specified in this section and shall not
17 exceed one hour, with 40 minutes equally divided and con-
18 trolled by the chair and ranking minority member of the
19 Committee on Natural Resources and 20 minutes equally
20 divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority
21 member of the Committee on Transportation and Infra-
22 structure. After general debate the bill shall be considered
23 for amendment under the five-minute rule. In lieu of the

1 amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by
2 the Committee on Natural Resources now printed in the
3 bill, it shall be in order to consider as an original bill for
4 the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the
5 amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in part
6 A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying
7 this resolution. That amendment in the nature of a sub-
8 stitute shall be considered as read. All points of order
9 against that amendment in the nature of a substitute are
10 waived except those arising under clause 10 of rule XXI.
11 Notwithstanding clause 11 of rule XVIII, no amendment
12 to that amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be
13 in order except those printed in part B of the report of
14 the Committee on Rules. Each amendment may be offered
15 only in the order printed in the report, may be offered
16 only by a Member designated in the report, shall be con-
17 sidered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified
18 in the report equally divided and controlled by the pro-
19 ponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amend-
20 ment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division
21 of the question. All points of order against such amend-
22 ments are waived except those arising under clause 9 or
23 10 of rule XXI. At the conclusion of consideration of the
24 bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report
25 the bill to the House with such amendments as may have

1 been adopted. The previous question shall be considered
2 as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final
3 passage without intervening motion except one motion to
4 recommit with or without instructions.

5 SEC. 2. The Chair may entertain a motion that the
6 Committee rise only if offered by the chair of the Com-
7 mittee on Natural Resources or his designee. The Chair
8 may not entertain a motion to strike out the enacting
9 words of the bill (as described in clause 9 of rule XVIII).

10 SEC. 3. Upon the adoption of this resolution it shall
11 be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 5851)
12 to provide whistleblower protections to certain workers in
13 the offshore oil and gas industry. All points of order
14 against consideration of the bill are waived except those
15 arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI. The amendment
16 printed in part C of the report of the Committee on Rules
17 accompanying this resolution shall be considered as adopt-
18 ed. The bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. All
19 points of order against provisions of the bill, as amended,
20 are waived. The previous question shall be considered as
21 ordered on the bill, as amended, to final passage without
22 intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally
23 divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority
24 member of the Committee on Education and Labor; and
25 (2) one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

1 SEC. 4. (a) In the engrossment of H.R. 3534, the
2 Clerk shall—

3 (1) add the text of H.R. 5851, as passed by the
4 House, as new matter at the end of H.R. 3534;

5 (2) assign appropriate designations to provi-
6 sions within the engrossment; and

7 (3) conform provisions for short titles within
8 the engrossment.

9 (b) Upon the addition of the text of H.R. 5851 to
10 the engrossment of H.R. 3534, H.R. 5851 shall be laid
11 on the table.

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