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H. RES. 1579

Establishing an earmark moratorium for fiscal year 2011.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

RESOLUTION

Establishing an earmark moratorium for fiscal year 2011.

1 *Resolved*, That (a) it shall not be in order to con-
2 sider—

3 (1) a bill or joint resolution reported by any
4 committee, or any amendment thereto or conference
5 report thereon, that includes a congressional ear-
6 mark or limited tax benefit; or

7 (2) a bill or joint resolution not reported by any
8 committee, or any amendment thereto or conference
9 report thereon, that includes a congressional ear-
10 mark or limited tax benefit.

11 (b) For the purposes of this resolution, the terms
12 “congressional earmark” and “limited tax benefit” have

1 the meaning given those terms in clause 9 of rule XXI
2 of the Rules of the House of Representatives.

3 (c) The point of order under subsection (a) shall only
4 apply to legislation providing or authorizing discretionary
5 budget authority, credit authority, or other spending au-
6 thority, or providing a Federal tax deduction, credit, or
7 exclusion in fiscal year 2011.

8 (d) This resolution shall not apply to any authoriza-
9 tion of appropriations to a Federal entity if such author-
10 ization is not specifically targeted to a State, locality, or
11 congressional district.

12 SEC. 2. The Committee on Rules may not report a
13 rule or order that would waive the point of order set forth
14 in the first section of this resolution.

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