
PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE CONFERENCE REPORT
TO ACCOMPANY THE BILL (S. 524) TO AUTHORIZE THE
ATTORNEY GENERAL TO AWARD GRANTS TO ADDRESS THE
NATIONAL EPIDEMICS OF PRESCRIPTION OPIOID ABUSE
AND HEROIN USE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

July 6, 2016.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

MR. BYRNE, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res.]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution____, by a record vote of 8 to 3, 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 S. 524, the Comprehensive Addiction and Recovery Act of 2016. 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 that the House has taken S. 2943, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2017, from the Speaker's table, adopts an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of H.R. 4909 as passed by the House, and adopts S. 2943, as amended. The resolution provides that the chair of the Committee on Armed Services or his designee is authorized to move that the House insist on its amendment to S. 2943 and request a conference with the Senate thereon.

EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

The waiver of all points of order against the conference report to accompany S. 524 and its consideration includes a waiver of the following:

- Clause 9 of rule XXII, which prohibits the inclusion of matter in a conference report not committed to the conference by either House;
- 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. Based on the preliminary estimate provided by the Congressional Budget Office the conference report violates the rule over the five-year period and reduces direct spending by \$72 million over the ten-year period; and
- Section 311 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, prohibiting consideration of legislation that would cause revenues to be less than the level of total revenues for the first fiscal year or for the total of that first fiscal year and the ensuing fiscal years for which allocations are provided. The violation is based on a preliminary estimate provided by the Congressional Budget Office.

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. 198

Motion by Ms. Foxx to report the rule. Adopted: 8-3

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Ms. Foxx.....	Yea	Ms. Slaughter.....	Nay
Mr. Cole.....		Mr. McGovern.....	Nay
Mr. Woodall.....	Yea	Mr. Hastings of Florida.....	
Mr. Burgess.....	Yea	Mr. Polis.....	Nay
Mr. Stivers.....	Yea		
Mr. Collins.....	Yea		
Mr. Byrne.....	Yea		
Mr. Newhouse.....	Yea		
Mr. Sessions, Chairman.....	Yea		

House Calendar No. _____

114TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. _____

Report No. 114-_____

Providing for consideration of the conference report to accompany the bill (S. 524) to authorize the Attorney General to award grants to address the national epidemics of prescription opioid abuse and heroin use; and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 6, 2016

Mr. BYRNE, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

Providing for consideration of the conference report to accompany the bill (S. 524) to authorize the Attorney General to award grants to address the national epidemics of prescription opioid abuse and heroin use; and for other purposes.

1 *Resolved*, That upon adoption of this resolution it
2 shall be in order to consider the conference report to ac-
3 company the bill (S. 524) to authorize the Attorney Gen-
4 eral to award grants to address the national epidemics of
5 prescription opioid abuse and heroin use. All points of

1 order against the conference report and against its consid-
2 eration are waived. The conference report shall be consid-
3 ered as read. The previous question shall be considered
4 as ordered on the conference report to its adoption without
5 intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate; and (2)
6 one motion to recommit if applicable.

7 SEC. 2. Upon adoption of this resolution—

8 (a) the House shall be considered to have: (1) taken
9 from the Speaker's table the bill (S. 2943) to authorize
10 appropriations for fiscal year 2017 for military activities
11 of the Department of Defense, for military construction,
12 and for defense activities of the Department of Energy,
13 to prescribe military personnel strengths for such fiscal
14 year, and for other purposes; (2) stricken all after the en-
15 acting clause of such bill and inserted in lieu thereof the
16 provisions of H.R. 4909, as passed by the House; and (3)
17 passed the Senate bill as so amended; and

18 (b) it shall be in order for the chair of the Committee
19 on Armed Services or his designee to move that the House
20 insist on its amendment to S. 2943 and request a con-
21 ference with the Senate thereon.