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In the House of Representatives, U.S., May 21, 1996.
1 Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this
2 resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of

3 rule XXIII, 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. 3259) to authorize appropriations
6 for fiscal year 1997 for intelligence and intelligence-relat-
7 ed activities of the United States Government, the Com-

8 munity Management Account, and the Central Intelligence
9 Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other

10 purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed
11 with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for
12 failure to comply with section 302(f), 308(a), or 401(a)

13 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. Gen-
14 eral debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not ex-

15 ceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair-
16 man and ranking minority member of the Permanent Se-
17 lect Committee on Intelligence. After general debate the

18 bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-

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1 minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original
2 bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute
3 rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute rec-

4 ommended by the Permanent Select Committee On Intel-

5 ligence now printed in the bill. The committee amendment
6 in the nature of a substitute shall be considered by title
7 rather than by section. The first section and each title

8 shall be considered as read. Points of order against the

9 committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for

10 failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XVI, clause 5(b)

11 of rule XXI, or section 302(f) or 401(a) of the Congres-
12 sional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. No amendment to
13 the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute

14 shall be in order unless printed in the portion of the Con-

15 gressional Record designated for that purpose in clause
16 6 of rule XXIII. The Chairman of the Committee of the
17 Whole may postpone until a time during further consider-

18 ation in the Committee of the Whole a request for a re-19 corded vote on any amendment. The Chairman of the
20 Committee of the Whole may reduce to not less than five

21 minutes the time for voting by electronic device on any
22 postponed question that immediately follows another vote

23 by electronic device without intervening business, provided 24 that the time for voting by electronic device on the first

25 in any series of questions shall be not less than fifteen

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1 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for
2 amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill

3 to the House with such amendments as may have been 4 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the 5 House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of

6 the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in
7 the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be
8 considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto

9 to final passage without intervening motion except one

10 motion to recommit with or without instructions.

Attest:

Clerk.