

House Calendar No. 2

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. RES. 36

[Report No. 106-6]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 350) to improve congressional deliberation on proposed Federal private sector mandates, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 3, 1999

Mr. LINDER, 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. 350) to improve congressional delib-
6 eration on proposed Federal private sector mandates, and
7 for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be

1 dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of
2 the bill for failure to comply with clause 4(a) of rule XIII
3 or section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974
4 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill
5 and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and con-
6 trolled by the chairman and ranking minority member of
7 the Committee on Rules. After general debate the bill shall
8 be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule.
9 It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the
10 purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the
11 amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by
12 the Committee on Rules now printed in the bill. Each sec-
13 tion of the committee amendment in the nature of a sub-
14 stitute shall be considered as read. Points of order against
15 the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute
16 for failure to comply with section 306 of the Congressional
17 Budget Act of 1974 are waived. During consideration of
18 the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee
19 of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the
20 basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has
21 caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional
22 Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule
23 XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as
24 read. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may:
25 (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in

1 the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote
2 on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the
3 minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed
4 question that follows another electronic vote without inter-
5 vening business, provided that the minimum time for elec-
6 tronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall
7 be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the
8 bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report
9 the bill to the House with such amendments as may have
10 been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote
11 in the House on any amendment adopted in the Commit-
12 tee of the Whole to the bill or to the committee amend-
13 ment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question
14 shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments
15 thereto to final passage without intervening motion except
16 one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

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