

## House Calendar No. 82

108TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 316

[Report No. 108-206]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1950) to authorize appropriations for the Department of State for the fiscal years 2004 and 2005, to authorize appropriations under the Arms Export Control Act and the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for security assistance for fiscal years 2004 and 2005, and for other purposes.

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### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2003

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART, 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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## RESOLUTION

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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

1 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-  
2 ation of the bill (H.R. 1950) to authorize appropriations  
3 for the Department of State for the fiscal years 2004 and  
4 2005, to authorize appropriations under the Arms Export  
5 Control Act and the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 for  
6 security assistance for fiscal years 2004 and 2005, and  
7 for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be  
8 dispensed with. All points of order against consideration  
9 of the bill are waived. General debate shall be confined  
10 to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided  
11 and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority  
12 member of the Committee on International Relations.  
13 After general debate the bill shall be considered for  
14 amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order  
15 to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amend-  
16 ment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the na-  
17 ture of a substitute recommended by the Committee on  
18 International Relations now printed in the bill modified  
19 by the amendments recommended by the Committees on  
20 Armed Services and Energy and Commerce also printed  
21 in the bill. That amendment in the nature of a substitute  
22 shall be considered as read. All points of order against  
23 the amendment in the nature of a substitute are waived.  
24 No amendment to that amendment in the nature of a sub-  
25 stitute shall be in order except those printed in the report

1 of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution  
2 and amendments en bloc described in section 2. Each  
3 amendment may be offered only in the order printed in  
4 the report (except as specified in section 3), may be of-  
5 fered only by a Member designated in the report, shall  
6 be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time spec-  
7 ified in the report equally divided and controlled by the  
8 proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amend-  
9 ment except as specified in the report, shall not be subject  
10 to a demand for division of the question in the House or  
11 in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order against  
12 amendments printed in the report of the Committee on  
13 Rules or against amendments en bloc described in section  
14 2 are waived.

15       SEC. 2. It shall be in order at any time for the chair-  
16 man of the Committee on International Relations or his  
17 designee to offer amendments en bloc consisting of amend-  
18 ments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules  
19 not earlier considered. Amendments en bloc offered pursu-  
20 ant to this section shall be considered as read, shall be  
21 debatable for 20 minutes equally divided and controlled  
22 by the chairman and ranking minority member of the  
23 Committee on International Relations or their designees,  
24 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-  
25 ject to a demand for division of the question in the House

1 or in the Committee of the Whole. The original proponent  
2 of an amendment included in such amendments en bloc  
3 may insert a statement in the Congressional Record imme-  
4 diately before the disposition of the amendments en bloc.

5       SEC. 3. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole  
6 may recognize for consideration of any amendment printed  
7 in the report of the Committee on Rules out of the order  
8 printed, but not sooner than one hour after the chairman  
9 of the Committee on International Relations or a designee  
10 prospectively announces from the floor a request to that  
11 effect.

12       SEC. 4. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill  
13 for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the  
14 bill to the House with such amendments as may have been  
15 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the  
16 House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of  
17 the Whole to the bill or to the amendment in the nature  
18 of a substitute made in order as original text. The previous  
19 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and  
20 amendments thereto to final passage without intervening  
21 motion except one motion to recommit with or without in-  
22 structions.



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