

# House Calendar No. 185

110<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
2<sup>D</sup> SESSION

# H. RES. 956

[Report No. 110-523]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4137) to amend and extend the Higher Education Act of 1965, and for other purposes.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 6, 2008

Ms. SUTTON, 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  
4 of the Whole House on the State of the Union for consid-  
5 eration of the bill (H.R. 4137) to amend and extend the  
6 Higher Education Act of 1965, and for other purposes.  
7 The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All

1 points of order against consideration of the bill are waived  
2 except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI.  
3 General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not  
4 exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the  
5 chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee  
6 on Education and Labor. After general debate the bill  
7 shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute  
8 rule.

9       SEC. 2. (a) It shall be in order to consider as an origi-  
10 nal bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-  
11 minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute  
12 recommended by the Committee on Education and Labor  
13 now printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the  
14 nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. All  
15 points of order against the committee amendment in the  
16 nature of a substitute are waived except those arising  
17 under clause 10 of rule XXI.

18       (b) Notwithstanding clause 11 of rule XVIII, no  
19 amendment to the committee amendment in the nature  
20 of a substitute shall be in order except those printed in  
21 the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this  
22 resolution and amendments en bloc described in section  
23 3 of this resolution.

24       (c) Each amendment printed in the report of the  
25 Committee on Rules shall be considered only in the order

1 printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member  
2 designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall  
3 be debatable for the time specified in the report equally  
4 divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent,  
5 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-  
6 ject to a demand for division of the question in the House  
7 or in the Committee of the Whole.

8 (d) All points of order against amendments printed  
9 in the report of the Committee on Rules or amendments  
10 en bloc described in section 3 of this resolution are waived  
11 except those arising under clause 9 or 10 of rule XXI.

12 SEC. 3. It shall be in order at any time for the chair-  
13 man of the Committee on Education and Labor or his des-  
14 ignee to offer amendments en bloc consisting of amend-  
15 ments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules  
16 not earlier disposed of. Amendments en bloc offered pur-  
17 suant to this section shall be considered as read, shall be  
18 debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled  
19 by the chairman and ranking minority member of the  
20 Committee on Education and Labor or their designees,  
21 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-  
22 ject to a demand for division of the question in the House  
23 or in the Committee of the Whole. The original proponent  
24 of an amendment included in such amendments en bloc

1 may insert a statement in the Congressional Record imme-  
2 diately before the disposition of the amendments en bloc.

3       SEC. 4. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill  
4 for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the  
5 bill to the House with such amendments as may have been  
6 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the  
7 House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of  
8 the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in  
9 the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be  
10 considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto  
11 to final passage without intervening motion except one  
12 motion to recommit with or without instructions.

13       SEC. 5. During consideration in the House of H.R.  
14 4137 pursuant to this resolution, notwithstanding the op-  
15 eration of the previous question, the Chair may postpone  
16 further consideration of the bill to such time as may be  
17 designated by the Speaker.

18       SEC. 6. House Resolution 941 is laid upon the table.



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