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H. RES. 17

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to abolish the Committee on Appropriations.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. CAMPBELL submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to abolish the Committee on Appropriations.

1 *Resolved*, That rule X of the Rules of the House of
2 Representatives is amended as follows:

3 (1)(A) In clause 1, strike paragraph (b) (relat-
4 ing to the Committee on Appropriations) and redesi-
5 gnate paragraphs (c) through (t) as paragraphs (b)
6 through (s), respectively.

7 (B) In clause 1(i)(1) (as redesignated), strike
8 “(except for the Committee on Appropriations)”.

9 (2) In clause 2(b)(1), strike “(other than the
10 Committee on Appropriations)”.

1 (3) In clause 3, strike paragraph (a) and redesi-
2 gnate paragraphs (b) through (m) as paragraphs
3 (a) through (l), respectively.

4 (4) In clause 4, strike paragraph (a) and redesi-
5 gnate paragraphs (b) through (f) as paragraphs (a)
6 through (e), respectively.

7 (5)(A) In clause 5(a)(2)(A)(i), strike “five from
8 the Committee on Appropriations,”.

9 (B) In clause 5(d)(2), strike the second sen-
10 tence.

11 (6) In clause 6(a), strike “(other than the Com-
12 mittee on Appropriations)”.

13 (7)(A) In clause 9(b)(2)(B), strike “other than
14 the Committee on Appropriations”.

15 (B) In clause 9, strike paragraph (d) and redesi-
16 gnate paragraphs (e) through (i) as paragraphs (d)
17 through (h), respectively.

18 (8) In clause 11(a)(1), strike subdivision (A)
19 and redesignate subdivisions (B) through (D) as
20 subdivisions (A) through (C), respectively.

21 SEC. 2. Rule XI of the Rules of the House of Rep-
22 resentatives is amended as follows:

23 (1)(A) In clause 2(g)(2)(D), strike “the Com-
24 mittee on Appropriations,” and strike the comma
25 after “Services”.

1 (B) In clause 2(g), strike subparagraph (6).

2 (2) In clause 2(h)(3), strike “other than the
3 Committee on Appropriations,” and strike the
4 comma after “Budget”.

5 SEC. 3. Rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Rep-
6 resentatives is amended as follows:

7 (1) In clause 3(d)(3)(B), strike “the Committee
8 on Appropriations,”.

9 (2)(A) In clause 3(f), strike paragraph (1) and
10 strike (2).

11 (B) In clause 3(f) (as amended), strike “(A)”
12 and insert “(1)”, strike “(B)” and insert “(2)”, and
13 strike “the Committee on Appropriations reports a
14 bill or joint resolution including matter specified in
15 clause 1(b)(2) or (3) of rule X” and insert “any
16 committee reports a bill or joint resolution rescind-
17 ing appropriations contained in appropriation Acts
18 or transfers unexpended balances”.

19 (3) In clause 4(c), strike “the Committee on
20 Appropriations” both places it appears and in the
21 first place insert “any committee” and in the second
22 place insert “that committee”.

23 (4) In clause 5(a)(1), strike “The Committee on
24 Appropriations” and insert “Any committee”.

1 SEC. 4. Clause 2 of rule XXI of the Rules of the
2 House of Representatives is amended by striking para-
3 graphs (a), (b), (c), and (e), and by redesignating para-
4 graph (d) as paragraph (a) and paragraph (f) as para-
5 graph (b).

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