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H. RES. 648

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives respecting budget-related points of order.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. RENACCI (for himself, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. BRAT, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. STUTZMAN, Mr. RIBBLE, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. BARR, and Mrs. BROOKS of Indiana) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

RESOLUTION

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- 1 *Resolved*, That rule XXI of the Rules of the House
- 2 of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the
- 3 following new clause:
- 4 “12.(a) It shall not be in order to consider a resolu-
- 5 tion reported by the Committee on Rules providing for the
- 6 consideration of a bill or joint resolution that waives, or
- 7 has the effect of waiving, any budget-related point of order
- 8 unless the resolution specifies each such point of order.

1 “(b)(1) Upon consideration of a resolution reported
2 by the Committee on Rules providing for the consideration
3 of a bill or joint resolution, it shall be in order to offer
4 a motion to strike or amend any provision of the resolution
5 that waives, or has the effect of waiving, the application
6 of a budget-related point of order in order to eliminate
7 any such waiver from the resolution.

8 “(2) A motion made pursuant to subparagraph (1)—
9 “(A) shall be privileged;
10 “(B) shall be debatable for 20 minutes, divided
11 evenly between those in favor of the motion and
12 those opposed to the motion; and
13 “(C) may not be amended.

14 “(3) At the conclusion of any debate on a motion
15 made pursuant to subparagraph (1), the previous question
16 shall be considered as ordered. It shall not be in order
17 to move to reconsider the vote by which the motion is
18 agreed to or disagreed to.

19 “(c) In this clause, the term ‘budget-related point of
20 order’ means—

21 “(1) in the Congressional Budget and Impound-
22 ment Control Act of 1974—
23 “(A) section 302(f);
24 “(B) section 303;
25 “(C) section 306(b);

- 1 “(D) section 311; or
- 2 “(E) section 401; and
- 3 “(2) clause 10 of rule XXI.”.

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