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S. RES. 28

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

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Mr. PAUL submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the
Committee on Rules and Administration

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved*, That (a) it shall not be in order for the Sen-
2 ate to consider any bill, resolution, message, conference
3 report, amendment, treaty, or any other measure or mat-
4 ter until 1 session day has passed since introduction for
5 every 20 pages included in the measure or matter in the
6 usual form plus 1 session day for any number of remain-
7 ing pages less than 20 in the usual form.

8 (b)(1) Any Senator may raise a point of order that
9 consideration of any bill, resolution, message, conference
10 report, amendment, treaty, or any other measure or mat-
11 ter is not in order under subsection (a). No motion to table
12 the point of order shall be in order.

1 (2) Any Senator may move to waive a point of order
2 raised under paragraph (1) by an affirmative yea and nay
3 vote of two-thirds of the Senators duly chosen and sworn.
4 All motions to waive under this paragraph shall be debat-
5 able collectively for not to exceed 3 hours equally divided
6 between the Senator raising the point for order and the
7 Senator moving to waive the point of order or their des-
8 ignees. A motion to waive the point of order shall not be
9 amendable.

10 (3) This resolution is enacted pursuant to the power
11 granted to each House of Congress to determine the Rules
12 of its Proceedings in clause 2 of section 5 of article I of
13 the Constitution of the United States.

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