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Report No. 114–

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1806) to provide for technological innovation through the prioritization of Federal investment in basic research, fundamental scientific discovery, and development to improve the competitiveness of the United States, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2250) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2353) to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 18, 2015

Mr. NEWHOUSE, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following resolution; which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

RESOLUTION

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fiscal year ending September 30, 2016, and for other purposes; and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2353) to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund, and for other purposes.

1 Resolved, That at any time after adoption of this reso-2 lution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule 3 XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of 4 the Whole House on the state of the Union for consider-5 ation of the bill (H.R. 1806) to provide for technological innovation through the prioritization of Federal invest-6 7 ment in basic research, fundamental scientific discovery, 8 and development to improve the competitiveness of the United States, and for other purposes. The first reading 9 10 of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill are waived. General de-11 12 bate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and rank-13 14 ing minority member of the Committee on Science, Space, 15 and Technology. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. In lieu 16 17 of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Science, Space, and Tech-18 19 nology now printed in the bill, it shall be in order to con-20 sider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment

under the five-minute rule an amendment in the nature 1 2 of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee 3 Print 114-15. That amendment in the nature of a sub-4 stitute shall be considered as read. All points of order 5 against that amendment in the nature of a substitute are 6 waived. No amendment to that amendment in the nature 7 of a substitute shall be in order except those printed in 8 part A of the report of the Committee on Rules accom-9 panying this resolution. Each such amendment may be of-10 fered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall 11 be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time spec-12 13 ified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amend-14 15 ment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the 16 Whole. All points of order against such amendments are 17 waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for 18 19 amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been 20 21 adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of 22 23 the Whole to the bill or to the amendment in the nature 24 of a substitute made in order as original text. The previous 25 question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and

amendments thereto to final passage without intervening
motion except one motion to recommit with or without in structions.

4 SEC. 2. At any time after adoption of this resolution 5 the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the 6 7 Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration 8 of the bill (H.R. 2250) making appropriations for the Leg-9 islative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 10 2016, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consid-11 12 eration of the bill are waived. General debate shall be con-13 fined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority 14 15 member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment 16 17 under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered 18 as read. All points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI are waived. 19 20 No amendment to the bill shall be in order except those 21 printed in part B of the report of the Committee on Rules 22 accompanying this resolution. Each such amendment may 23 be offered only in the order printed in the report, may 24 be offered only by a Member designated in the report, 25 shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time

specified in the report equally divided and controlled by 1 the proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to 2 3 amendment, and shall not be subject to a demand for divi-4 sion of the question in the House or in the Committee 5 of the Whole. All points of order against such amendments are waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill 6 7 for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the 8 bill to the House with such amendments as may have been 9 adopted. The previous question shall be considered as or-10 dered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit 11 12 with or without instructions.

13 SEC. 3. Upon adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 2353) 14 15 to provide an extension of Federal-aid highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs 16 funded out of the Highway Trust Fund, and for other pur-17 poses. All points of order against consideration of the bill 18 19 are waived. The bill shall be considered as read. All points of order against provisions in the bill are waived. The pre-20 21 vious question shall be considered as ordered on the bill 22 and on any amendment thereto to final passage without 23 intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate equally 24 divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority

- 1 member of the Committee on Transportation and Infra-
- 2 structure; and (2) one motion to recommit.