

# House Calendar No. 211

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

# H. RES. 910

[Report No. 109-554]

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 9) to amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 12, 2006

Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART, 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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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 consider-  
5 ation of the bill (H.R. 9) to amend the Voting Rights Act  
6 of 1965. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed  
7 with. All points of order against consideration of the bill

1 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill  
2 and shall not exceed 90 minutes equally divided and con-  
3 trolled by the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader  
4 or their designees. After general debate the bill shall be  
5 considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It  
6 shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the  
7 purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the  
8 amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by  
9 the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill.  
10 The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute  
11 shall be considered as read. Notwithstanding clause 11 of  
12 rule XVIII, no amendment to the committee amendment  
13 in the nature of a substitute shall be in order except those  
14 printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accom-  
15 panying this resolution. Each such amendment may be of-  
16 fered only in the order printed in the report, may be of-  
17 fered only by a Member designated in the report, shall  
18 be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time spec-  
19 ified in the report equally divided and controlled by the  
20 proponent and an opponent, shall not be subject to amend-  
21 ment, and shall not be subject to a demand for division  
22 of the question in the House or in the Committee of the  
23 Whole. All points of order against such amendments are  
24 waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for  
25 amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill

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

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