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Mr. FROST, 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 1(b) of
3 rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee
4 of the Whole House on the state of the Union for further
5 consideration of the bill (H.R. 2401) to authorize appro-

1 priations for fiscal year 1994 for military activities of the
2 Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel
3 strengths for fiscal year 1994, and for other purposes. No
4 further amendment to the committee amendment in the
5 nature of a substitute shall be in order except the amend-
6 ments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules
7 accompanying this resolution and amendments en bloc de-
8 scribed in section 2 of this resolution. Pro forma amend-
9 ments for the purpose of debate may be offered only by
10 the chairman or ranking minority member of the Commit-
11 tee on Armed Services. Except as specified in section 2
12 or 3 of this resolution, each amendment may be offered
13 only in the order printed in the report, may be offered
14 only by a Member designated in the report, shall be con-
15 sidered as read, shall be debatable for ten minutes equally
16 divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent,
17 shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not be sub-
18 ject to a demand for division of the question in the House
19 or in the Committee of the Whole. All points of order
20 against amendments printed in the report are waived.

21 SEC. 2. It shall be in order at any time for the chair-
22 man of the Committee on Armed Services or his designee
23 to offer amendments en bloc consisting of amendments
24 printed in the report of the Committee on Rules or ger-
25 mane modifications thereof. Amendments en bloc shall be

1 considered as read except that modifications shall be re-
2 ported. Amendments en bloc shall be debatable for twenty
3 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chairman
4 and ranking minority member of the Committee on Armed
5 Services, shall not be subject to amendment, and shall not
6 be subject to a demand for division of the question in the
7 House or in the Committee of the Whole. For the purpose
8 of inclusion in amendments en bloc, an amendment print-
9 ed in the form of a motion to strike may be modified to
10 the form of a germane perfecting amendment to the text
11 originally proposed to be stricken. All points of order
12 against amendments en bloc are waived. The original pro-
13 ponent of an amendment included in amendments en bloc
14 may insert a statement in the Congressional Record imme-
15 diately before the disposition of the amendments en bloc.

16 SEC. 3. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole
17 may postpone until a time during further consideration
18 in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded
19 vote on any amendment made in order by this resolution.
20 The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may reduce
21 to not less than five minutes the time for voting by elec-
22 tronic device on any postponed question that immediately
23 follows another vote by electronic device without interven-
24 ing business: *Provided*, That the time for voting by elec-
25 tronic device on the first in any series of questions shall

1 be not less than fifteen minutes. The chairman of the
2 Committee of the Whole may recognize for consideration
3 of an amendment printed in the report of the Committee
4 on Rules out of the order printed, but not sooner than
5 one hour after the chairman of the Committee on Armed
6 Services announces from the floor a request to that effect.

7 SEC. 4. After disposition of the amendments printed
8 in the report of the Committee on Rules, the Committee
9 shall rise without motion. No further consideration of the
10 bill shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order
11 of the House.