

103^D CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. RES. 438

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require a two-thirds vote to adopt a rule disallowing germane amendments to a bill or resolution.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 24, 1994

Mr. PORTMAN submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Rules

RESOLUTION

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1 *Resolved*, That clause 4 of rule XI of the Rules of
2 the House of Representatives is amended by adding at the
3 end the following new paragraph:

4 “(e) The affirmative vote of two-thirds of those vot-
5 ing, a quorum being present, is required to adopt any rule
6 or order reported by the Committee on Rules providing
7 for the consideration of any bill or resolution that limits
8 the right of Members to offer germane amendments, if

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1 that bill or resolution would otherwise be subject to
2 amendment under House rules.”.

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