

# House Calendar No. 223

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

# H. RES. 435

[Report No. 104-577]

Providing for further consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 178) establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1997 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 15, 1996

Mr. SOLOMON, 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 concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res.

1 178) establishing the congressional budget for the United  
2 States Government for fiscal year 1997 and setting forth  
3 appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 1998, 1999,  
4 2000, 2001, and 2002. No further general debate shall  
5 be in order. The concurrent resolution shall be considered  
6 for amendment under the five-minute rule. The concurrent  
7 resolution shall be considered as read. No amendment  
8 shall be in order except those designated in section 2 of  
9 this resolution. Each amendment may be offered only in  
10 the order designated, may be offered only by the Member  
11 designated or a designee (except that if no Member offers  
12 the amendment designated in paragraph (3) of section 2,  
13 then that amendment shall nevertheless be considered as  
14 pending at that point), shall be considered as read, shall  
15 be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled  
16 by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not be sub-  
17 ject to amendment. All points of order against the amend-  
18 ments designated in section 2 are waived except that the  
19 adoption of an amendment in the nature of a substitute  
20 shall constitute the conclusion of consideration of the con-  
21 current resolution for amendment. After the conclusion of  
22 consideration of the concurrent resolution for amendment  
23 and a final period of general debate, which shall not exceed  
24 40 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chairman  
25 and ranking minority member of the Committee on the

1 Budget, the Committee shall rise and report the concur-  
2 rent resolution to the House with such amendment as may  
3 have been adopted. The previous question shall be consid-  
4 ered as ordered on the concurrent resolution and amend-  
5 ments thereto to final adoption without intervening motion  
6 except amendments offered by the chairman of the Com-  
7 mittee on the Budget pursuant to section 305(a)(5) of the  
8 Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to achieve mathemati-  
9 cal consistency. The concurrent resolution shall not be  
10 subject to a demand for division of the question of its  
11 adoption.

12 SEC. 2. The following amendments are in order pur-  
13 suant to the first section of this resolution:

14 (1) An amendment in the nature of a substitute  
15 by Representative Payne of New Jersey printed on  
16 May 15, 1996, in the portion of the Congressional  
17 Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of  
18 rule XXIII.

19 (2) An amendment in the nature of a substitute  
20 by Representative Orton of Utah printed on May 15,  
21 1996, in the portion of the Congressional Record  
22 designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule  
23 XXIII.

24 (3) An amendment in the nature of a substitute  
25 by Representative Sabo of Minnesota printed on

1 May 15, 1996, in the portion of the Congressional  
2 Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of  
3 rule XXIII, which may be offered by any Member,  
4 or that failing, shall be considered as pending under  
5 the terms of the first section of this resolution.

6 SEC. 3. (a) If House Concurrent Resolution 178 is  
7 agreed to, then for all purposes of the Congressional  
8 Budget Act of 1974 as it applies in the House—

9 (1) the allocations of spending and credit re-  
10 sponsibilities that are depicted in House Report  
11 104–575, beginning on page 158, shall be considered  
12 as the allocations otherwise required by section  
13 602(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to  
14 be included in the joint explanatory statement of the  
15 managers on a conference report to accompany a  
16 concurrent resolution on the budget; and

17 (2) the Congress shall be considered to have  
18 adopted House Concurrent Resolution 178 in the  
19 form adopted by the House.

20 (b) Upon adoption by the Congress of a concurrent  
21 resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1997, subsection  
22 (a) shall cease to apply.

23 (c) This section supersedes section 603 of the Con-  
24 gressional Budget Act of 1974 with respect to the concur-  
25 rent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1997.

1        SEC. 4. Rule XLIX shall not apply with respect to  
2 the adoption by the Congress of a concurrent resolution  
3 on the budget for fiscal year 1997.

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