
PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R. 276) TO
RENAME THE GULF OF MEXICO AS THE “GULF OF AMERICA”,
AND PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF THE BILL (H.R.
881) TO ESTABLISH DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
FUNDING RESTRICTIONS ON INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER
EDUCATION THAT HAVE A RELATIONSHIP WITH CONFUCIUS
INSTITUTES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

May 5, 2025.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

MR. AUSTIN SCOTT OF GEORGIA, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the
following

R E P O R T

[To accompany H. Res. __]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution
____, by a record vote of 9 to 2, report the same to the House with the
recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF THE RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for consideration of H.R. 276, the Gulf of America Act, under a closed rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Natural Resources now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Natural Resources or their respective designees. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit. The resolution further provides for consideration of H.R. 881, the DHS Restrictions on Confucius Institutes and Chinese Entities of Concern Act, under a closed rule. The resolution waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The resolution provides that in lieu of the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Homeland Security now printed in the bill, an amendment in the nature of a

substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 119-2 shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The resolution waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The resolution provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on Homeland Security or their respective designees. The resolution provides for one motion to recommit.

EXPLANATION OF WAIVERS

Although the resolution waives all points of order against consideration of H.R. 276, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

Although the resolution waives all points of order against provisions in H.R. 276, as amended, the Committee is not aware of any points of order. The waiver is prophylactic in nature.

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COMMITTEE VOTES

The results of each record vote on an amendment or motion to report, together with the names of those voting for and against, are printed below:

Rules Committee Record Vote No. 63

Motion by Mrs. Fischbach to table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair.
Adopted: 9–2

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mrs. Fischbach.....	Yea	Mr. McGovern.....	
Mr. Norman.....	Yea	Ms. Scanlon.....	Nay
Mr. Roy.....	Yea	Mr. Neguse.....	
Mrs. Houchin.....	Yea	Ms. Leger Fernández.....	Nay
Mr. Langworthy.....	Yea		
Mr. Austin Scott.....	Yea		
Mr. Griffith.....	Yea		
Mr. Jack.....	Yea		
Ms. Foxx, Chairwoman.....	Yea		

Rules Committee Record Vote No. 64

Motion by Ms. Leger Fernández to provide for consideration of a resolution to be introduced by Rep. Leger Fernández, debatable for one hour equally divided between the chair and ranking member of the Committee on Rules. The text of the resolution is as follows:

Resolved, That House Resolution 211 is amended by striking section 4. This amendment shall take effect as if included in the adoption of House Resolution 211.

Section 2. House Resolution 313 is amended by striking section 2. This amendment shall take effect as if included in the adoption of House Resolution 313. Defeated: 2–9

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mrs. Fischbach.....	Nay	Mr. McGovern.....	
Mr. Norman.....	Nay	Ms. Scanlon.....	Yea
Mr. Roy.....	Nay	Mr. Neguse.....	
Mrs. Houchin.....	Nay	Ms. Leger Fernández.....	Yea
Mr. Langworthy.....	Nay		
Mr. Austin Scott.....	Nay		
Mr. Griffith.....	Nay		
Mr. Jack.....	Nay		
Ms. Foxx, Chairwoman.....	Nay		

Rules Committee Record Vote No. 65

Motion by Mr. Austin Scott to report the rule. Adopted: 9–2

Majority Members	Vote	Minority Members	Vote
Mrs. Fischbach.....	Yea	Mr. McGovern.....	
Mr. Norman.....	Yea	Ms. Scanlon.....	Nay
Mr. Roy.....	Yea	Mr. Neguse.....	
Mrs. Houchin.....	Yea	Ms. Leger Fernández.....	Nay
Mr. Langworthy.....	Yea		
Mr. Austin Scott.....	Yea		
Mr. Griffith.....	Yea		
Mr. Jack.....	Yea		
Ms. Foxx, Chairwoman.....	Yea		