

Bill Fact Sheet – December 5, 2025 https://legilist.com Bill page: https://legilist.com/bill/109/hres/591

HRES 591

Raising a question of the privileges of the House.

Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Congress Introduced: Dec 8, 2005

Current Status: On motion to table the measure Agreed to by recorded vote: 219 - 188 (Roll no. 622).

Latest Action: On motion to table the measure Agreed to by recorded vote: 219 - 188 (Roll no. 622). (Dec 8, 2005)

Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/109th-congress/house-resolution/591

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Pelosi, Nancy [D-CA-8]

Party: Democratic • State: CA • Chamber: House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

No committee referrals or activity are recorded for this bill.

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Dec 8, 2005)

Declares that the House of Representatives: (1) denounces the culture of corruption exhibited by the Republican Leadership and the ongoing resort to illegitimate actions taken to pass legislation like the Prescription Drug bill under false pretenses; (2) rejects the practice of improperly holding votes open beyond a reasonable period of time for the sole purpose of circumventing the will of the House; and (3) directs the Speaker to take such steps as necessary to prevent any further abuse.

Actions Timeline

- Dec 8, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Dec 8, 2005: Considered as privileged matter. (consideration: CR H11264-11266; text of measure as introduced: CR H11264-11265)
- Dec 8, 2005: Mr. Putnam moved to table the measure.
- Dec 8, 2005: On motion to table the measure Agreed to by recorded vote: 219 188 (Roll no. 622).