

HRES 656

Providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4970) to reauthorize the Violence Against Women Act of 1994, and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4310) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2013 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2013, and for other purposes.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

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Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: May 15, 2012

Current Status: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 235 - 186, 1 Present (Roll no. 255). (

Latest Action: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 235 - 186, 1 Present (Roll no. 255). (text: CR H2726) (May 16, 2012)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Foxx, Virginia [R-NC-5]

Party: Republican • **State:** NC • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules Committee	House	Reported Original Measure	May 16, 2012

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 HR 4310	Procedurally related	Jan 2, 2013: Became Public Law No: 112-239.
112 HR 4970	Related bill	May 21, 2012: Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 406.

Summary (as of May 15, 2012)

Sets forth the rule for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4970) to reauthorize the Violence Against Women Act of 1994, and providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4310) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2013 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2013.

Actions Timeline

- **May 16, 2012:** By direction of the Committee on Rules, Ms. Foxx called up the resolution, H. Res. 656, and asked for its immediate consideration.
- **May 16, 2012:** POINT OF ORDER AGAINST CONSIDERATION - Ms. Moore stated that the provisions of H. Res. 656 violate section 426(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 and made a point of order against consideration of the resolution. Subsequently, the Chair noted that the required threshold of identifying the specific language in question had been met, and the House proceeded with 20 minutes of debate on the question of consideration. At the conclusion of debate on the question of consideration, the Chair will put the question to wit: Will the House now consider the resolution?
- **May 16, 2012:** At the conclusion of debate on the Moore point of order, the Chair put the question on consideration of the resolution.
- **May 16, 2012:** On motion to consider the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 239 - 183 (Roll no. 253).
- **May 16, 2012:** Considered as privileged matter. (consideration: CR H2726-2744)
- **May 16, 2012:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with one hour of debate on H. Res. 656.
- **May 16, 2012:** On ordering the previous question Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 235 - 187 (Roll no. 254). (consideration: CR H2742-2743; text: CR H2742)
- **May 16, 2012:** Passed/agreed to in House: On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 235 - 186, 1 Present (Roll no. 255). (text: CR H2726)
- **May 16, 2012:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **May 16, 2012:** On agreeing to the resolution Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 235 - 186, 1 Present (Roll no. 255). (text: CR H2726)
- **May 15, 2012:** Introduced in House
- **May 15, 2012:** The House Committee on Rules reported an original measure, H. Rept. 112-481, by Ms. Foxx.
- **May 15, 2012:** Resolution provides for 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 4970. The amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary, modified by the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules, shall be considered as adopted. Previous question shall be considered as ordered on H.R. 4970, as amended, without intervening motions except one motion to recommit. Resolution provides for 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 4310. No further consideration of H.R. 4310 shall be in order except pursuant to a subsequent order of the House.
- **May 15, 2012:** Placed on the House Calendar, Calendar No. 131.