

SRES 50

A resolution improving procedures for the consideration of nominations in the Senate.

Congress: 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Congress

Introduced: Feb 6, 2019

Current Status: Motion by Senator McConnell to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the motion to proceed to S. R

Latest Action: Motion by Senator McConnell to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the motion to proceed to S. Res. 50 was not invoked (Record Vote No. 57) entered in Senate. (Apr 2, 2019)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-resolution/50>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Lankford, James [R-OK]

Party: Republican • **State:** OK • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

| Cosponsor | Party / State | Role | Date Joined |
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| Sen. Blunt, Roy [R-MO] | R · MO | | Feb 6, 2019 |

Committee Activity

| Committee | Chamber | Activity | Date |
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| Rules and Administration Committee | Senate | Reported By | Feb 13, 2019 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Congress

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

This resolution limits Senate post-cloture consideration to two hours for certain nominations. This limitation applies to a nomination to U.S. district courts, to the U.S. Court of Federal Claims, or to an executive branch position that is not

- at level I of the Executive Schedule; or
- as a member of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, the Securities and Exchange Commission, the Federal Election Commission, the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, the National Labor Relations Board, the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, the Consumer Product Safety Commission, the Federal Communications Commission, the Surface Transportation Board, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, or the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Senate post-cloture consideration of all nominations shall be equally divided between the majority and the minority leaders.

Actions Timeline

- **Apr 2, 2019:** Motion to proceed to measure considered in Senate. (CR S2163)
- **Apr 2, 2019:** Cloture on the motion to proceed to the measure not invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 51 - 48. Record Vote Number: 57. (CR S2177)
- **Apr 2, 2019:** Motion by Senator McConnell to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the motion to proceed to S. Res. 50 was not invoked (Record Vote No. 57) entered in Senate.
- **Mar 28, 2019:** Motion to proceed to consideration of measure made in Senate. (CR S2082)
- **Mar 28, 2019:** Cloture motion on the motion to proceed presented in Senate. (CR S2082)
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Committee on Rules and Administration. Ordered to be reported without amendment favorably.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Committee on Rules and Administration. Reported by Senator Blunt without amendment. Without written report.
- **Feb 13, 2019:** Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 24.
- **Feb 6, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 6, 2019:** Referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (text: CR S924)