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PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1274, THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1997

APRIL 23, 1997.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

Mr. DIAZ-BALART, from the Committee on Rules, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. Res. 127]

The Committee on Rules, having had under consideration House Resolution 127, by a nonrecord vote, report the same to the House with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

BRIEF SUMMARY OF PROVISIONS OF RESOLUTION

The resolution provides for the consideration of H.R. 1274, the "National Institute of Standards and Technology Authorization Act of 1997" under an open rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate divided equally between the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Science.

The rule waives bill clause 2(l)(6) of rule XI (the 3 day availability of committee reports) against consideration of the bill. The rule also makes in order the Committee on Science amendment in the nature of a substitute as an original bill for the purpose of amendment, with each title being considered as read.

Members who have preprinted their amendments in the Record prior to their consideration will be given priority in recognition to offer their amendments if otherwise consistent with House rules. Finally, the rule provides for one motion to recommit, with or without instructions.

