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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 4422

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State of Washington

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By Representative Peery

Read first time 05/06/93. Referred to Committee on .

1 BE IT RESOLVED, By the House of Representatives, the Senate  
2 concurring, That Rule 26 of the Joint Rules of the Fifty-Third  
3 Legislature be amended as follows:

4 **Adoption of Reports**

5 **Rule 26.** No floor vote may be taken on any conference committee  
6 report without a distribution to all members of a summary of additions,  
7 changes, and deletions made by the conference committee with a  
8 reference in each instance to the page and line number or numbers in  
9 the report containing said additions, changes, or deletions. The clerk  
10 and the secretary shall place the reports on the desks of the members  
11 as soon as possible.

12 Each house shall have twenty-four hours from the time of proper  
13 receipt, by the chief clerk of the house and the secretary of the  
14 senate, and by distribution to the desks of the members before  
15 considering reports from a conference committee which has proposed new  
16 items within the scope and object of the bill in conference. The report  
17 shall be read in full.

18 The foregoing provisions relating to twenty-four hour intervals and  
19 reading of the report in full may be suspended by the senate or the

1 house of representatives by two-thirds vote of the members present, or,  
2 on May 6, 1993, by a majority vote of the members present, and such  
3 suspension shall apply only to the house voting to suspend these  
4 provisions.

5 The report must be voted upon in its entirety and cannot be  
6 amended. The report of a conference committee may be adopted by  
7 acclamation.

8 Passage of a bill as amended by conference report shall be by roll  
9 call and ayes and nays shall be entered on the journals of the  
10 respective house. Passage requires a constitutional majority in both  
11 houses, except in the case of constitutional amendments, which require  
12 a two-thirds vote.

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