

113TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 323

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to observe a moment of silence in the House on the first legislative day of each month for those killed or wounded in the United States engagement in Afghanistan.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 1, 2013

Mr. JONES (for himself, Ms. BONAMICI, and Mr. GARAMENDI) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Rules

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## RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved*, That rule XIV of the Rules of the House  
2 of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the  
3 following new clause:

4       “7. (a) On the first legislative day of each month on  
5 which there is a record vote on any bill or joint resolution,  
6 immediately after that vote, a moment of silence shall be  
7 observed on behalf of those killed or wounded (as well as

1 their families) in the current United States engagement  
2 in Afghanistan.

3 “(b) The moment of silence shall be led by the Speak-  
4 er of the House, except when granted a leave of absence  
5 from the House.”

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