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S. RES. 246

Requiring that legislation considered by the Senate to be confined to a single issue.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 6, 2009

Mr. ENZI (for himself and Mr. BARRASSO) submitted the following resolution;
which was referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration

RESOLUTION

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confined to a single issue.

1 *Resolved,*

2 **SECTION 1. SINGLE ISSUE REQUIREMENT.**

3 (a) POINT OF ORDER.—It shall not be in order in
4 the Senate to consider a bill or resolution that is not con-
5 fined to a single subject.

6 (b) SUPERMAJORITY WAIVER AND APPEALS.—

7 (1) WAIVER.—This section may be waived or
8 suspended in the Senate only by the affirmative vote
9 of two-thirds of the Members, duly chosen and
10 sworn.

1 (2) APPEALS.—Appeals in the Senate from the
2 decisions of the Chair relating to any provision of
3 this section shall be limited to 30 minutes, to be
4 equally divided between, and controlled by, the ap-
5 pellant and the manager of the bill or joint resolu-
6 tion. An affirmative vote of two-thirds of the Mem-
7 bers of the Senate, duly chosen and sworn, shall be
8 required to sustain an appeal of the ruling of the
9 Chair on a point of order raised under this section.

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