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H. CON. RES. 8

Providing for a joint session of Congress to receive a presentation from the Comptroller General of the United States regarding the audited financial statement of the executive branch.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 6, 2017

Mr. RENACCI (for himself, Ms. SINEMA, Mr. O’ROURKE, Mr. COOPER, Mr. BARTON, Mr. DAVIDSON, Ms. STEFANIK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Miss RICE of New York, Mr. HUIZENGA, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. COSTELLO of Pennsylvania, Mr. BYRNE, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. BUCSHON, Mr. WESTERMAN, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. KILMER, Mr. TURNER, Mr. WEBSTER of Florida, Mr. JOYCE of Ohio, Mr. MCCLINTOCK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. AMODEI, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio, Mr. PETERS, Mr. MOULTON, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. BARLETTA, Mr. BISHOP of Michigan, Mr. VALADAO, and Mr. MARINO) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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- 1 *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*
- 2 *concurring),*

1 **SECTION 1. ANNUAL JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS TO RE-**
 2 **CEIVE A PRESENTATION BY THE COMP-**
 3 **TROLLER GENERAL.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 45 days (excluding
 5 Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays) after the date on which
 6 the Secretary of the Treasury submits to Congress the au-
 7 dited financial statement required under paragraph (1) of
 8 section 331(e) of title 31, United States Code, on a date
 9 agreed upon by Congress and the Comptroller General of
 10 the United States, the two Houses of Congress shall as-
 11 semble in the Hall of the House of Representatives to re-
 12 ceive a presentation from the Comptroller General review-
 13 ing the findings of the audit required under paragraph (2)
 14 of such section and providing, with respect to the informa-
 15 tion included by the Secretary in the report accompanying
 16 such audited financial statement, an analysis of the finan-
 17 cial position and condition of the Federal Government, in-
 18 cluding financial measures (such as the net operating cost,
 19 income, budget deficits, or budget surpluses) and sustain-
 20 ability measures (such as the long-term fiscal projection
 21 or social insurance projection) described in such report.

22 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The requirement under sub-
 23 section (a) shall apply with respect to any audited finan-
 24 cial statement submitted on or after the date of the enact-
 25 ment of this resolution.