
ence report²⁹⁷ as reported²⁹⁸ to the House or Senate which provides —

- § 303(a)(1) (1) new budget authority²⁹⁹ for a fiscal year;
- § 303(a)(2) (2) an increase or decrease in revenues³⁰⁰ to become effective during a fiscal year;
- § 303(a)(3) (3) an increase or decrease in the public debt

²⁹⁷ Section 13207(a)(1)(C) of the Budget Enforcement Act struck "bill or resolution (or amendment thereto)" here and inserted "bill, joint resolution, amendment, motion, or conference report." See *infra* p. 723. Before enactment of the Budget Enforcement Act, by virtue of its application to "amendments," section 303 also applied to conference reports by precedent where amendments made in conference contain new matter not previously considered by the Senate. 124 CONG. REC. S9383-403 (1978); Senate Precedent PRL19780410-001 (Apr. 10, 1978) (LEGIS, Rules database); see also 131 CONG. REC. S6367-68 (1985); Senate Precedent PRL19850516-001 (May 16, 1985) (LEGIS, Rules database) (the Chair responded that a particular conference report would violate section 303(a)); 132 CONG. REC. S16,419-20, S16,611-13 (1986); Senate Precedent PRL19861016-002 (Oct. 16, 1986) (LEGIS, Rules database) (precedent headnote states that a point of order would lie against a conference report; point of order waived).

²⁹⁸ Cf. *infra* note 514 (by virtue of the words "as reported," a point of order will not lie under section 311(a) against a deficit-neutral bill that has been amended by an amendment that reduces revenues below the revenue floor).

²⁹⁹ See, e.g., 133 CONG. REC. S5381-83 (1987) (point of order by Sen. Chiles on amendment by Sen. Boschwitz).

Section 3(2) defines "budget authority." See *supra* pp. 11-13.

³⁰⁰ See, e.g., 132 CONG. REC. S8207-09 (1986); Senate Precedent PRL19860624-001 (June 24, 1986) (LEGIS, Rules database) (point of order by Sen. Packwood on amendment by Sen. Melcher that would reduce revenues); 132 CONG. REC. S318-19 (1986); Senate Precedent PRL19860127-001 (Jan. 27, 1986) (LEGIS, Rules database) (inquiry of Sen. Metzenbaum; bill that would reduce revenues); 131 CONG. REC. S8806-07 (1985); Senate Precedent PRL19850626-001 (June 26, 1985) (LEGIS, Rules database) (inquiry of Sen. Chafee; amendment that would reduce revenues); 131 CONG. REC. S6367-68 (1985); Senate Precedent PRL19850516-001 (May 16, 1985) (LEGIS, Rules database) (inquiry of Sen. Metzenbaum; conference report that would raise revenues).