

specific budget outlay¹⁷²⁶ reductions below the level of such outlay reductions provided in such joint resolution unless such amendment or conference report makes a reduction in other specific budget outlays at least equivalent to any increase in outlays provided by such amendment or conference report.

§ 258B(h)(4) (4) For purposes of the application of paragraph (3), the level of outlays¹⁷²⁷ and specific budget outlay reductions provided in an amendment shall be determined on the basis of estimates made by the Committee on the Budget of the Senate.¹⁷²⁸

§ 258B(i) (i) Immediately following the conclusion of the debate on a joint resolution introduced under subsection (d), a single quorum call at the conclusion of the debate if requested in accordance with the rules of the Senate, and the disposition of any pending amendments under subsection (h), the vote on final passage of the joint resolution shall occur.

§ 258B(j) (j) Appeals from the decisions of the Chair relating to the application of the rules of the Senate to the procedure relating to a joint resolution described in subsection (d) shall be decided without debate.

§ 258B(k) (k) In the Senate, points of order under titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 (including points of order under sections 302(c), 303(a), 306, and 401(b)(1)) are

¹⁷²⁶ Section 250(c)(1) (*see supra* p. 440) defines "outlays" at least in part by reference to the definition of section 3(1) of the Congressional Budget Act. *See supra* p. 11.

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¹⁷²⁸ This subsection reflects the normal scorekeeping convention that Congress turns to its Budget Committees to assess the costs of legislation. *See also* section 201(g) of the Congressional Budget Act, *supra* p. 32; section 302(g) of the Congressional Budget Act, *supra* p. 105; section 310(d)(4) of the Congressional Budget Act, *supra* p. 172; section 311(c) of the Congressional Budget Act, *supra* p. 194; and section 313(e) of the Congressional Budget Act, *supra* p. 228.