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Rule XXI of the Rules of the House of Representa-
tives is amended by adding at the end the following new
clause:

“Concurrent resolution providing for adjournment
during August

“13. If by July 31 of any calendar year the House
has not passed each of the regular appropriation bills for
the fiscal year which begins on October 1 of that calendar
year, it shall not be in order to consider a concurrent reso-
lution to provide that the House stand adjourned during
any day occurring during August of that calendar year
until the House has passed each such bill. For purposes
of this clause, term ‘regular appropriation bill’ means any
annual appropriation bill which is under the jurisdiction
of a single subcommittee of the Committee on Appropria-
tions of the House of Representatives (as may be provided
under the Rules for the fiscal year involved).”.