

§ 310(d)(2)

(2) It shall not be in order⁴⁷³ in the Senate to consider any amendment⁴⁷⁴ to a reconciliation bill or reconciliation resolution⁴⁷⁵ if such amendment would have the effect of decreasing any specific budget outlay⁴⁷⁶ reductions below the level of such outlay reductions provided (for the fiscal years covered) in the reconciliation instructions which relate to such bill or resolution set forth in a resolution providing for reconciliation, or would have the effect of reducing Federal revenue increases below the level of such revenue increases provided (for such fiscal years) in such instructions relating to such bill or resolution, unless such amendment makes a reduction in other specific budget outlays, an increase in other specific Federal revenues, or a combination thereof (for such fiscal years) at least equivalent⁴⁷⁷ to any increase in outlays or decrease in revenues provided by such amendment, except that a motion to strike a provision shall always be in order.



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(3) Paragraphs (1)⁴⁷⁸ and (2)⁴⁷⁹ shall not apply if

⁴⁷³ Congressional Budget Act prohibitions are not self-enforcing, and require points of order from the floor for their enforcement. *Cf. supra* note 293 (regarding section 303(a)).

⁴⁷⁴ An amendment is subject to points of order under the Congressional Budget Act even if the Senate has specified by unanimous consent that the amendment is one of the amendments in order and the yeas and nays have been ordered. *Cf. supra* note 295 (regarding section 303).

⁴⁷⁵ Section 310(b) defines "reconciliation resolution." *See supra* pp. 163-166.

⁴⁷⁶ Section 3(1) defines "budget outlays." *See supra* p. 11.

⁴⁷⁷ The Congressional Budget Act makes no exception for violations of negligible amounts. *Cf. infra* note 520 (regarding section 311(a)).

⁴⁷⁸ *See supra* p. 170.

⁴⁷⁹ *See supra* p. 171.