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HR 157

Citizen Involvement in Campaigns Act of 2003

Congress: 108 (2003–2005, Ended)

Chamber: House Policy Area: Taxation Introduced: Jan 7, 2003

Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on Ways and Means. (Jan 7, 2003)

Official Text: https://www.congress.gov/bill/108th-congress/house-bill/157

Sponsor

Name: Rep. Petri, Thomas E. [R-WI-6]

Party: Republican • State: WI • Chamber: House

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. English, Phil [R-PA-3]	$R \cdot PA$		Jan 7, 2003
Rep. Franks, Trent [R-AZ-2]	$R \cdot AZ$		Jan 7, 2003
Rep. Kanjorski, Paul E. [D-PA-11]	$D \cdot PA$		Jan 7, 2003
Rep. Lipinski, William O. [D-IL-3]	$D \cdot IL$		Jan 29, 2003
Rep. Stenholm, Charles W. [D-TX-17]	$D \cdot TX$		Feb 27, 2003

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Ways and Means Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 7, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Taxation

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 7, 2003)

Citizen Involvement in Campaigns Act of 2003 - Permits an individual a tax credit of up to \$200 (\$400 in the case of a joint return), equal to the verified amount of certain political contributions the individual made during the taxable year. Denies a deduction for any amount taken into account in determining the credit permitted in this Act.

Allows a deduction of up to \$600 (\$1200 for a joint return). Allows the deduction whether or not a taxpayer itemizes other deductions.

Actions Timeline

- Jan 7, 2003: Introduced in House
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- Jan 7, 2003: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E9)
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