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# HR 491

Push Poll Disclosure Act of 2005 Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

Latest Action: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration. (Feb 1, 2005)

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## **Sponsor**

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Party: Republican • State: WI • Chamber: House

## Cosponsors (12 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	<b>Date Joined</b>
Rep. Holden, Tim [D-PA-17]	D · PA		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Johnson, Timothy V. [R-IL-15]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Kind, Ron [D-WI-3]	D · WI		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Maloney, Carolyn B. [D-NY-14]	D · NY		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. McGovern, James P. [D-MA-3]	D · MA		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Miller, George [D-CA-7]	D · CA		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Schwarz, John J.H. "Joe" [R-MI-7]	R · MI		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Shays, Christopher [R-CT-4]	$R \cdot CT$		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Shimkus, John [R-IL-19]	$R \cdot IL$		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Simmons, Rob [R-CT-2]	$R \cdot CT$		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Slaughter, Louise McIntosh [D-NY-28]	D · NY		Feb 1, 2005
Rep. Taylor, Gene [D-MS-4]	D·MS		Feb 1, 2005

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 1, 2005

## **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

**Government Operations and Politics** 

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

Push Poll Disclosure Act of 2005 - Amends the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to require any person who conducts a Federal election poll by telephone or electronic device to: (1) disclose to each respondent the identity of the person paying the poll expenses; and (2) report to the Federal Election Commission the poll's total cost and all its funding sources (if not otherwise to be made public), the total number of households contacted, and a copy of the poll questions.

#### **Actions Timeline**

- Feb 1, 2005: Introduced in House
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- Feb 1, 2005: Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR E115)
- Feb 1, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.