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HR 689

First Amendment Restoration Act Congress: 109 (2005–2007, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 9, 2005

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
109 HR 46	Identical bill	Jan 4, 2005: Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

${\color{red}Summary} \ \ (\text{as of Feb 9, 2005})$

First Amendment Restoration Act - Amends the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to repeal: (1) a requirement that persons making disbursements for electioneering communications file reports on such disbursements with the Federal Election Commission; (2) a prohibition against the making of disbursements for electioneering communications by corporations and labor organizations; and (3) a provision treating coordinated communications as contributions.

Actions Timeline

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