

SJRES 21

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to contributions and expenditures intended to affect elections.

Congress: 110 (2007–2009, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Oct 18, 2007

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13099 Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S13099)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • State: NY • Chamber: Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Sen. Harkin, Tom [D-IA]	D·IA		Oct 18, 2007
Sen. Specter, Arlen [R-PA]	R · PA		Oct 18, 2007

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Oct 18, 2007

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
110 HJRES 61	Identical bill	Nov 2, 2007: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.

Summary (as of Oct 18, 2007)

Constitutional Amendment - States that Congress shall have the power to regulate the raising and spending of money, including through setting limits, for campaigns for nomination for election to, or for election to, federal office.

Gives a state the power to regulate the raising and spending of money for state or local ballot initiatives, referenda, plebiscites, or other similar ballot measures and campaigns for nomination for election to, or for election to, state or local office.

Gives Congress the power to implement and enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

Actions Timeline

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