

HJRES 13

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to limitations on the amounts of contributions and expenditures that may be made in connection with campaigns for election to public office.

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. (Feb 9, 2009)

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Sponsor

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Party: Democratic • **State:** OH • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (6 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Higgins, Brian [D-NY-27]	D · NY		Jan 8, 2009
Rep. Moran, James P. [D-VA-8]	D · VA		Jan 26, 2010
Rep. Ryan, Tim [D-OH-17]	D · OH		Jan 26, 2010
Rep. DeFazio, Peter A. [D-OR-4]	D · OR		Jan 27, 2010
Rep. Filner, Bob [D-CA-51]	D · CA		Feb 3, 2010
Rep. Grayson, Alan [D-FL-8]	D · FL		Feb 23, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 9, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jan 8, 2009)

Constitutional Amendment - Declares that Congress shall have power to set limits on the amount of contributions that may be accepted by, and the amount of expenditures that may be made by, in support of, or in opposition to, a candidate for nomination or election to federal office.

Declares that a state shall have the power to set limits on the amount of contributions that may be accepted by, and the amount of expenditures that may be made by, in support of, or in opposition to, a candidate for nomination or election to state or local office.

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 9, 2009:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
- **Jan 8, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 8, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.