

SJRES 28

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

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (text of measure as introduced: CR S751)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Dodd, Christopher J. [D-CT]

Party: Democratic • **State:** CT • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Udall, Tom [D-NM]	D · NM		Feb 24, 2010
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Mar 17, 2010
Sen. Specter, Arlen [D-PA]	D · PA		Apr 28, 2010

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 24, 2010

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Feb 24, 2010)

Constitutional Amendment - Declares that Congress shall have the power to regulate the raising and spending of money with respect to federal elections, including through limits on the amount of contributions and expenditures.

Grants a state the power to regulate the raising and spending of money with respect to state elections.

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

Actions Timeline

- **Feb 24, 2010:** Introduced in Senate
- **Feb 24, 2010:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S749-751)
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