

HR 36

Presidential Library Donation Reform Act of 2009

Congress: 111 (2009–2011, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

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Current Status: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Government

Latest Action: Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. (Jan 8, 2009)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Towns, Edolphus [D-NY-10]

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

Cosponsors (5 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Clay, Wm. Lacy [D-MO-1]	D · MO		Jan 6, 2009
Rep. Duncan, John J., Jr. [R-TN-2]	R · TN		Jan 6, 2009
Rep. Issa, Darrell E. [R-CA-49]	R · CA		Jan 6, 2009
Rep. Sherman, Brad [D-CA-27]	D · CA		Jan 6, 2009
Rep. Waxman, Henry A. [D-CA-30]	D · CA		Jan 6, 2009

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 8, 2009
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred To	Jan 6, 2009

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

(This measure has not been amended since it was introduced. The summary of that version is repeated here.)

Presidential Library Donation Reform Act of 2009 - Amends federal law regarding presidential archival depositories to require any presidential library fundraising organization to submit quarterly reports to the National Archives and Records Administration and specified congressional committees on every contributor who gave the organization a contribution or contributions (whether monetary or in-kind) totaling \$200 or more for the quarterly period.

Requires the Archivist of the United States to make such information available to the public through the Internet as soon as is practicable after each quarterly filing.

Makes it unlawful for contributors or fundraising organizations to knowingly and willfully submit false information or omit material information. Prescribes criminal penalties for violation of such prohibitions.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 8, 2009:** Received in the Senate and Read twice and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Mr. Towns moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill.
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Considered under suspension of the rules. (consideration: CR H45-48)
- **Jan 7, 2009:** DEBATE - The House proceeded with forty minutes of debate on H.R. 36.
- **Jan 7, 2009:** At the conclusion of debate, the Yeas and Nays were demanded and ordered. Pursuant to the provisions of clause 8, rule XX, the Chair announced that further proceedings on the motion would be postponed.
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Considered as unfinished business. (consideration: CR H50)
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Passed/agreed to in House: On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 388 - 31 (Roll no. 6). (text: CR H45)
- **Jan 7, 2009:** On motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: (2/3 required): 388 - 31 (Roll no. 6). (text: CR H45)
- **Jan 7, 2009:** Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection.
- **Jan 6, 2009:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 6, 2009:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.