

HR 2008

Keeping Politics Out of Federal Contracting Act of 2011

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Chamber: House

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Rep. Hanna, Richard L. [R-NY-24]	R · NY		Jun 13, 2011
Rep. Rokita, Todd [R-IN-4]	R · IN		Jul 6, 2011

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Oversight and Government Reform Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 20, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
112 S 1100	Identical bill	Dec 19, 2012: Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 570.

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

Keeping Politics Out of Federal Contracting Act of 2011 - Prohibits the head of an executive agency from: (1) requiring a contractor to submit political information as part of a solitication, request for bid, request for proposal, or any other communion in connection with the award of a contract for procurement of property or services or during the course of the contract performance until the completion of a contract; (2) using such political information as a factor or consideration in the source selection process used to award a competitive or non-competitive contract; or (3) including such political information in a contracting past performance database. Defines "political information" as information relating to political spending, including any payment for an electioneering communication, by a contractor or persons related to such contractor to a candidate for federal office, a political commitee, a political party, or to a third party entity for political purposes.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 15, 2012:** Reported by the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. H. Rept. 112-536.
- **Jun 15, 2012:** Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 384.
- **Apr 26, 2012:** Committee Consideration and Mark-up Session Held.
- **Apr 26, 2012:** Ordered to be Reported by Voice Vote.
- **Jun 20, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations and Procurement Reform .
- **May 26, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **May 26, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.