

HJRES 51

Marriage Protection Amendment

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Chamber: House

Policy Area: Families

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Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (Jul 15, 2013)

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Committee Activity

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| Judiciary Committee | House | Referred to | Jul 15, 2013 |

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Families

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Jun 28, 2013)

Constitutional Amendment - Marriage Protection Amendment - Defines marriage in the United States as consisting only of the union of a man and a woman. Prohibits either the U.S. Constitution or the constitution of any state from being construed to require that marriage or the legal incidents of marriage be conferred upon any other union.

Actions Timeline

- **Jul 15, 2013:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Jun 28, 2013:** Introduced in House
- **Jun 28, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.