

## HJRES 97

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to applying laws equally to the citizens of the United States and the Federal Government.

**Congress:** 113 (2013–2015, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Law

**Introduced:** Oct 22, 2013

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (Jan 9, 2014)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/113th-congress/house-joint-resolution/97>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Jenkins, Lynn [R-KS-2]

**Party:** Republican • **State:** KS • **Chamber:** House

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 9, 2014

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Law

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
113 HJRES 98	Related bill	<b>Jan 9, 2014:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
113 SJRES 25	Related bill	<b>Oct 11, 2013:</b> Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Oct 22, 2013)

Constitutional Amendment - Prohibits Congress from making any law that is applicable to a U.S. citizen but not equally applicable to: (1) Congress; (2) the executive branch, including the President, Vice President, ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, and all other officers of the United States, including those provided for under the Constitution and by law; and (3) Justices of the Supreme Court and judges of inferior courts.

### Actions Timeline

- Jan 9, 2014:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- Oct 22, 2013:** Introduced in House
- Oct 22, 2013:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.