

## HJRES 89

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the equal application to the Senators and Representatives of the laws that apply to all citizens of the United States.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Congress

**Introduced:** Apr 20, 2016

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (May 17, 2016)

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. DeSantis, Ron [R-FL-6]

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

### Cosponsors (7 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Blum, Rod [R-IA-1]	R · IA		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Peters, Scott H. [D-CA-52]	D · CA		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Poe, Ted [R-TX-2]	R · TX		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Ratcliffe, John [R-TX-4]	R · TX		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Salmon, Matt [R-AZ-5]	R · AZ		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Yoho, Ted S. [R-FL-3]	R · FL		Apr 20, 2016
Rep. Carter, John R. [R-TX-31]	R · TX		May 16, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 17, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Congress

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Constitutional Amendment

This joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment prohibiting Congress from making any law respecting the citizens of the United States that does not also apply to the Senators and Representatives.

## Actions Timeline

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- **May 17, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Apr 20, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Apr 20, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.