

## HJRES 64

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving Congress power to regulate campaign contributions for Federal elections.

**Congress:** 115 (2017–2019, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 6, 2017

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

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (Feb 14, 2017)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-joint-resolution/64>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Schrader, Kurt [D-OR-5]

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

### Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Feb 14, 2017

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

## Constitutional Amendment

This joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment giving Congress the power to prohibit, limit, or otherwise regulate donations to candidates for federal office or to purchase media advertisements intended to influence the outcome of any such election.

States may prohibit, limit, or otherwise regulate donations to candidates for state office or donations for media advertisements intended to influence the outcome of an election for state office or any other direct vote in the state.

The amendment prohibits a person who is not a U.S. citizen or who is a foreign government or its agent from: (1) donating to a candidate for public office in the United States, or (2) making donations intended to influence the outcome of an election for public office or of any other direct vote of the U.S. electorate.

## Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 14, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Feb 6, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Feb 6, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.