

HR 7267

Political Accountability and Transparency Act

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Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

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This bill restricts the use of certain political funds and revises requirements for political communications. Specifically, the bill:

- prohibits the personal use of political committee funds;
- treats coordinated expenditures, as defined by the bill, as campaign contributions, thereby subjecting them to limits and disclosure requirements;
- applies disclosure requirements for electioneering communications to Internet or digital communications; and
- requires persons paying for political communications to make their best efforts to determine the true source of the funds used.

Actions Timeline

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