

## HR 1171

Stand By Every Ad Act

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**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

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### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Price, David E. [D-NC-4]

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

### Cosponsors

*No cosponsors are listed for this bill.*

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Committee on House Administration	House	Referred To	Feb 18, 2021

### Subjects & Policy Tags

**Policy Area:**

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
117 S 4822	Related bill	<b>Sep 22, 2022:</b> Cloture on the motion to proceed to the measure not invoked in Senate by Yea-Nay Vote. 49 - 49. Record Vote Number: 346. (CR S4949-4950)
117 S 443	Related bill	<b>Jul 19, 2022:</b> Committee on Rules and Administration. Hearings held. Hearings printed: S.Hrg. 117-331.
117 S 2093	Related bill	<b>Sep 15, 2021:</b> Cloture motion on the motion to proceed to the measure withdrawn by unanimous consent in Senate. (CR S6516-6517)
117 S 1	Related bill	<b>Aug 11, 2021:</b> Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 123.
117 HR 1334	Related bill	<b>Apr 28, 2021:</b> Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties.
117 HR 1	Related bill	<b>Mar 11, 2021:</b> Received in the Senate.

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This bill generally revises disclosure requirements for political advertisements.

First, the bill applies political advertising disclosure requirements currently applicable to candidates (also known as *stand by your ad* requirements) to entities such as corporations and certain political committees. Political advertisements made by these entities must generally disclose the top funders of the entity, with specified exceptions.

In addition, the bill revises the classification of certain media, including audio and visual media, for purposes of disclaimer requirements. It also expands the definition of *communication* to include prerecorded telephone calls.

Finally, the bill creates additional readability and audio requirements for communications.

## Actions Timeline

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