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# H. J. RES. 104

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to make eligible for the Office of President a person who is not a natural born citizen of the United States but has been a United States citizen for at least 20 years.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SEPTEMBER 15, 2004

Mr. ROHRBACHER introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3 *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the fol-*  
4 *lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-*  
5 *stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all*  
6 *intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when*  
7 *ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several*

1 States within seven years after the date of its submission  
2 for ratification:

3 “ARTICLE —

4 “A person who is a citizen of the United States, who  
5 has been a citizen of the United States for at least 20  
6 years, and who is otherwise eligible to hold the Office of  
7 the President, is not ineligible to hold that Office by rea-  
8 son of not being a native born citizen of the United  
9 States.”.

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