

119TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 491

Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to prohibit Members of Congress from owning individual stocks.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 9, 2025

Ms. CRAIG submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ethics

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# RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved,*

2       **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

3       This resolution may be cited as the “NO STOCK  
4 Resolution” or the “No Option for Stock Trading and  
5 Ownership as a Check to Keep congress clean Resolution”.

6       **SEC. 2. PROHIBITING MEMBERS OF HOUSE OF REPRESENT-**  
7               **ATIVES FROM OWNING INDIVIDUAL STOCKS.**

8       Rule XXIII of the Rules of the House of Representa-  
9 tives (known as the “Code of Official Conduct”) is amend-

1 ed by redesignating clause 22 as clause 23 and inserting  
2 after clause 21 the following:

3 “(22) PROHIBITING MEMBERS OF  
4 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM OWN-  
5 ING INDIVIDUAL STOCKS.—A Member,  
6 Delegate, or Resident Commissioner may  
7 not own the common stock of any indi-  
8 vidual public corporation.”.

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