### 105TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

# H. RES. 177

Prohibiting any personal staff employee of a Member of the House of Representatives from holding a paid position in the campaign of the employing Member.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 26, 1997

Mr. Goodlatte submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Oversight

# **RESOLUTION**

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1 Resolved,
2 SECTION 1. PERSONAL STAFF EMPLOYEES OF MEMBERS
3 OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES PRO4 HIBITED FROM HOLDING PAID POSITIONS IN
5 CAMPAIGNS OF EMPLOYING MEMBERS.
6 (a) IN GENERAL.—A personal staff employee of a
7 Member of the House of Representatives may not, with
8 respect to any period described in subsection (b), be em-

ployed by a political committee of the Member or otherwise

- 1 perform services for pay from campaign funds of the
- 2 Member.
- 3 (b) Period Described.—A period referred to in
- 4 subsection (a) is any pay period of the House of Rep-
- 5 resentatives for the personal staff employee position in-
- 6 volved.

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#### 7 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

- 8 As used in this resolution—
- 9 (1) the term "Member of the House of Rep-10 resentatives" means a Representative in, or a Dele-11 gate or Resident Commissioner to, the Congress;
- 12 (2) the term "personal staff employee" means, 13 with respect to a Member of the House of Rep-14 resentatives, a clerk hire or other employee on the 15 personal staff of the Member; and
  - (3) the term "political committee" has the meaning given that term in section 301 of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431).

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