

106TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 1077

To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow consumers greater access to information regarding the health benefits of foods and dietary supplements.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 11, 1999

Mr. PAUL (for himself, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. DeFAZIO, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. STUMP) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce

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## A BILL

To amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow consumers greater access to information regarding the health benefits of foods and dietary supplements.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Consumer Health Free  
5 Speech Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. DEFINITION.**

7 Section 201(g)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and  
8 Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 321(g)(1)) is amended in clause

1 (B) by inserting “(other than food, including dietary sup-  
2 plements)” after “articles”.

3 **SEC. 3. ADULTERATED FOOD.**

4 Section 402(f)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and  
5 Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 342(f)(1)) is amended in sub-  
6 paragraphs (A) and (B) by striking “significant or unrea-  
7 sonable” and inserting “significant and unreasonable”.

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