

106TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. R. 596

To amend title 39, United States Code, to prevent certain types of mail matter from being sent by a Member of the House of Representatives as part of a mass mailing.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 1999

Mr. LAHOOD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned

A BILL

To amend title 39, United States Code, to prevent certain types of mail matter from being sent by a Member of the House of Representatives as part of a mass mailing.

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. RESTRICTION.**

4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3210(a) of title 39,
5 United States Code, is amended by adding at the end the
6 following:

1 “(8) A Member of the House of Representatives may
2 not send, as part of a mass mailing, any matter described
3 in subparagraph (B), (C), or (F) of paragraph (3).”.

4 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
5 subsection (a) shall apply with respect to mail sent during
6 any session of Congress beginning after the date of the
7 enactment of this Act.

○