

113TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

H. J. RES. 119

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating
to contributions and expenditures intended to affect elections.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 14, 2014

Mr. DEUTCH (for himself, Ms. EDWARDS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. LEE of California, Mr. HOLT, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. HONDA, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. MOORE, Mr. COHEN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. WELCH, Mr. NOLAN, Mr. BEN RAY LUJÁN of New Mexico, Mr. SCHRADER, Mr. TONKO, Mr. CICILLINE, Ms. DELBENE, Ms. TITUS, Ms. BROWNLEY of California, Mr. HECK of Washington, Mr. KILMER, Ms. MICHELLE LUJAN GRISHAM of New Mexico, Mr. SWALWELL of California, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. KUSTER, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. GRAYSON, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. HUFFMAN, Mr. HIMES, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. POCAN, Mr. GARAMENDI, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. FARR, Ms. CLARK of Massachusetts, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SPEIER, Mr. LEWIS, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. GABBARD, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. HAHN, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. JACKSON LEE, Ms. SEWELL of Alabama, Mr. FOSTER, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. MEEKS, Ms. FUDGE, Mr. RICHMOND, Mr. ELLISON, Ms. WATERS, and Mr. ENGEL) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United

10 “ARTICLE —

17 “SECTION 2. Congress and the States shall have
18 power to implement and enforce this article by appropriate
19 legislation, and may distinguish between natural persons
20 and corporations or other artificial entities created by law,
21 including by prohibiting such entities from spending
22 money to influence elections.

1 “SECTION 3. Nothing in this article shall be con-
2 strued to grant Congress or the States the power to
3 abridge the freedom of the press.”.

