

104<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. R. 49

To amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit contributions by multicandidate political committees and to limit contributions in House of Representatives elections from persons other than individual in-State residents.

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## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 4, 1995

Mr. ARCHER introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on House Oversight

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## A BILL

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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. PROHIBITION OF CONTRIBUTIONS BY**  
4 **MULTICANDIDATE POLITICAL COMMITTEES.**

5 Section 315(a)(2) of the Federal Election Campaign  
6 Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441a(a)(2)) is amended to read  
7 as follows:

1       “(2) No multicandidate political committee may make  
2 contributions with respect to any election for Federal  
3 office.”.

4 **SEC. 2. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ELECTION LIMITA-**  
5 **TION ON CONTRIBUTIONS FROM PERSONS**  
6 **OTHER THAN INDIVIDUAL IN-STATE RESI-**  
7 **DENTS.**

8       Section 315 of the Federal Election Campaign Act  
9 of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 441a) is amended by adding at the end  
10 the following new subsection:

11       “(i)(1) A candidate for the office of Representative  
12 in, or Delegate or Resident Commissioner to, the Congress  
13 may not, with respect to an election for Federal office,  
14 accept contributions from persons other than individual  
15 in-State residents totaling more than 20 percent of the  
16 total of contributions accepted from all sources.

17       “(2) As used in this subsection, the term ‘individual  
18 in-State resident’ means an individual who resides in the  
19 State in which the congressional district involved is  
20 located.”.

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